



Monday 24th November 2025

Dear Families,

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Reading at home



It was lovely to see all the wonderful comments from parents and other grown ups that read with their child. A huge thank you for supporting your child’s reading journey at home and writing in record books. This really helps us to see which children may need extra reading sessions in school, especially for families who may struggle to hear their child read 3x a week. Below is a table of how much reading is happening at home currently in each class.

Class	Reads 3x or more each week	Sometimes reads at home (x1)	Rarely reads	Book not in school
Tigers Red	21%	32%	26%	21%
Tigers Blue	28%	28%	22%	22%
Leopards	56%	19%	19%	6%
Jaguars	78%	0	17%	4%
Panthers	59%	15%	15%	11%

We understand that some parents may not have written in their record books, but read daily at home. A little plea from us to write in regularly and let us know about all the wonderful reading that goes on so we can celebrate it in school. We would also ask that reading books/records are in school every day. Thank you for your support with this

Please also see below information shared in September and at our reading meetings for parents regarding our reading competition.

Reading Competition



Children who read 3 times or more each week will receive a reading sticker/stamp/acknowledgement in their record books.

- Children who collect 15 stickers will receive a ‘Bronze Reading Award Certificate’
- Children who collect 25 stickers will receive a ‘Silver Reading Award Certificate’
- Children who collect 35 stickers will receive a ‘Gold Reading Award Certificate’



Breakfast Club and Lunchtime Supervisor Post



We will soon be advertising for a Breakfast Club and Lunchtime Supervisor.

The hours are 7.15 – 9.00am and 11.45 – 1.15pm Monday – Friday. If you would be interested in applying for this post (or part of this post), please see Mrs Hendy in the office for more information. Job share applications will be considered. We will let you know once the advert has been released.

Nativity

Please click the following links to book a place at your child's nativity. These are limited to 2 tickets per child initially. Once all families have booked, there may be opportunity for extra tickets.

KS1 - <https://forms.gle/EPbaR1PdtmBwrQLe8>

Reception - <https://forms.gle/aaUPaxQdPRv1ECiu9>

There will be no charge for tickets this year, but we will be running a Christmas raffle and selling refreshments at each performance to raise funds for school.



Stars of the Week

Every week, two children from each class are nominated as Stars of the Week in recognition of their hard work, achievement and progress. Our stars of the week this week are:

Tigers Red	Jaxon	For always being enthusiastic and trying his best in phonics
Tigers Blue	Teddy	For working super hard and making a fantastic model of a boat with lots of detail
Leopards	Alexandru Isaac	For great work when partitioning numbers in maths For fantastic contributions in our RE discussions
Jaguars	Nora G Theo	For fantastic ideas in writing this week For amazing contributions in our history workshop
Panthers	TJ Violet H	For his amazing football skills in the Football competition For her great ideas in writing this week

Attendance: Whole School Target: 96.8%

Our Whole School attendance figure this week is: 95%



Oak	95.1%
Ash	95.1%
Silver Birch	93.5%
Hawthorne	96.3%

Tigers Red	96.3%
Tigers Blue	88.9%
Leopards	94.8%
Jaguars	99.1%
Panthers	98.1%

Thank you for your continued support

Miss Kilkenny

Head of School

Key Dates: September 2025 – December 2025

Please note these are subject to change and there may be further key events added

Date	Event
WC 24 th November	KS1 Learning Journey sessions 2.45 – 3.05 (Mon-Thu)
10 th December	Reception Nativity 9.15 or 2.00
11 th December	Nursery 'Christmas Stay and Play'
12 th December	KS1 Christmas Concert 9.15 or 2.00
15 th December	Tigers' Parent Inspire 9.30 – 10.30 or 2.00 – 3.00
16 th December	Nursery Nativity
17 th December	Christmas Dinner and Christmas Jumper Day
18 th December	KS1 Christingle Church Service at St Mary's 1.30 (Parents Welcome)
18 th December	Reception Christmas Party PM
19 th December	Nursery Christmas Party AM KS1 Christmas Party PM
19 th December	Family Reading Event 9.00am Break up for Half Term