

The Headlines



MAYFIELD PRIMARY SCHOOL ISSUE 29 FRIDAY 1ST MAY 2026



REMINDER: SCHOOL IS CLOSED ON MONDAY 4TH MAY FOR MAY DAY BANK HOLIDAY

Don't Miss A Minute Attendance: Year

GOVERNMENT ENDS EDENRED VOUCHER SCHEME

This change means that families who currently receive EdenRed vouchers, through the HSF scheme, received their final vouchers in March prior to the Easter break. School is merely the facilitator of this system and the decision is nothing we have control of or can influence. The programme was not controlled or funded by school in any way, this was purely a government system that we delivered for them. The initiative was driven at government level and has been removed at government level. We understand that this will be difficult news for some families and we wanted to let you know now prior to any expected situation at the next holidays. So no one will receive the vouchers from here onwards. Government and local councils are working on new ways to support families in need and if we can help to signpost these then we will. Should you want to talk further or require any help with potential signposts for support then feel free to contact school, unfortunately we cannot solve this problem directly or replace it but we may be able to offer advice.

The Crisis Resilience Fund is a new Government initiative and may be worth a look. Here is the page below updated at 7th April 2026.

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/crisis-and-resilience-fund-guidance-for-local-authorities-in-england-1-april-2026-to-31-march-2029/the-crisis-and-resilience-fund-guidance-for-local-authorities-in-england-1-april-2026-to-31-march-2029>

A FURTHER SOCIAL PLATFORM/MOBILE PHONE PLEA

Social media platforms continue to be high on everyone's agenda linked closely with the whole debate surrounding mobile phones and access to them for children. Despite school's e-safety work covering these topics in detail and children showing very strong awareness of 'rights and wrongs', all schools continue to find friends and classmates falling out or being unkind on social platforms an ever increasing concern. As a school, we can only prompt, inform, suggest and ask in these circumstances, but we again find ourselves at Mayfield urging all adults with children in our school to restrict access to social media platforms, monitor conversations and discourage the use of such systems. In reality the only safe way to navigate this situation is to ensure your child is not on a social media platform and ideally has very, very limited access to a mobile phone and only when deemed essential. Please avoid your children having access to them and, if they do so, then you must manage and monitor them with the utmost responsibility.

1	EYFS	96.3%
2	1AR	96.7%
3	2NM	95.7%
4	3ND	97%
5	4HD	96.2%
6	5AC	94.8%
7	5PB	91.7%
8	6JG	96.2%
9	6NT	91.8%

Weekly Winner

EYFS

Target

SCHOOL	96%
NAT. YEAR	94.8%
NAT. WEEK	94.4%

Here On Time
97%



Forthcoming
Dates

Mon 4th May: May Day Bank Holiday

Mon 11th - Thu 14th May: Y6 SATS

Fri 22nd May: Doc What's Wild & Wacky Historical Adventure Day *Defy Convention with our History Learning*

Fri 22nd May: School Closes at 3.15 pm for Half-Term Holidays