

Friday, 15 May 2026

Dear Parent / Carer / Guardian

Marvellous Maple Moments

- This week has been mental health awareness week and students and staff have completed some amazing activities linked to this very important topic.
- We held our first celebration assembly last Friday in school and gave out lots of certificates to children. It was lovely to have the whole school together to celebrate the success.
- Cedar have been sharing the love this week and have shared bookmarks with staff as well as producing a display which collates all the positive feedback from students about staff.
- Ash have had a settled week and have made some really good progress in maths.
- Pine are still continuing to show excellent progress in terms of reading.
- Bay class have been working hard on supporting their own regulation. They have managed to work together to reduce the time needed to regulate and shown a really positive mindset and approach.
- Thank you to Sky in Bay who has been supporting me with a dislike of the texture of squishy toys by setting up exercises each day to help me.
- Oak have worked very hard once again in preparation for examinations this week. They have been working with both Miss Strachan and Mr Rund on English and Maths as well as revisiting this with Mr Johnson each day.
- Willow have also been working hard on supporting each others emotional regulation. They have shown real kindness to each other this week and really demonstrated The Maple Way.
- Re-Engage students have been working with other children across the school as part of the mental health awareness week.

End of Term

Just a reminder that school closes for students at the end of the day on Wednesday 20th May 2026 and reopens on 1st June 2026.

Free School Meal holiday vouchers

We have been informed that the funding for these vouchers has only been confirmed until the start of the next academic year. The council have enough funding to provide £3 per day for the upcoming half term break and £2 per day for the summer holiday. There will be no vouchers to cover holidays for children entitled to free school meals beyond the summer break. We realise this has a significant impact on families and will ensure we prepare and share as much information about available support when the time comes.

Have a great weekend

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