

Dear Parents and Carers,

Next week our Year 6 pupils will be sitting their end of KS2 assessments. Children at all state primary schools sit these assessments in:

- Grammar, Punctuation & Spelling
- Reading
- Maths (an arithmetic paper and two reasoning papers)

Writing is separately assessed by teachers as part of the end of KS2 outcomes.

The assessments focus on content throughout Key Stage 2 and give the children the opportunity to display the learning they have acquired over the past four years.

Our Year 6 pupils and staff have worked incredibly hard all year and we wish everyone all the very best next week.

John Budden Executive Headteacher Mary-Lyne Latour Headteacher

From our SENCOs

The Family Hubs and Start For Life Programme are part of a national programme which brings together many different services to support families from pregnancy to 19 years, or 25 years with SEND, in one place. It makes it easier for families to get the help they need at the right time. To find out more about the services they offer, please read their flyer.

Dates for your diary:

Year 6 SATS week – Monday 12 – Thursday 15 May.

PTA Pre-loved Uniform Sale and Stationery Recycling – Morning drop-off. Friday 16 May, Meteor.

PTA Auction of Promises - Friday 16 May, 7pm, Civic Suite, Wandsworth. Tickets via the PTA website.

Year 5 and Year 6 Sports Day – Wednesday 4 June, morning. Tooting Bec Athletics Track.

PTA Quiz Night – Friday 6 June. Meteor Street, Further details to follow via PTA website.

Year 4 and Year 5 Secondary Transfer Event – Monday 9 June, 6 – 7.30pm. Webb's Road.

Year 6 Drumming Performances – Friday 13 June, Lower Playground, Webb's Road. 6DB 9.30-10am, 6T 10.30-11am, 6H 2.30-3pm.

Year 6 School Journey - Monday 16 - Friday 20 June.

PTA Summer Fair – Saturday 5 July, Webb's Road.

Parent/Carer Evenings – Wednesday 16 and Thursday 17 July.

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Summer Concert Dates

Year 4 WCET Festival – Brass (trumpet, trombone, baritone, French horn) - Monday 30 June, 11.30am - 12.30pm, All Saint's Church, Tooting, Brudenell Rd, SW17 8DQ
Strings (violin, viola, cello) - Tuesday 1 July, 11.30am – 12.30pm and Woodwind (Clarinets, Flute, Saxophone) - Tuesday 1 July, 2.30-3.30pm, both at The Civic Suite, Wandsworth Town Hall, SW18 2PU

Year 4 performance - Thursday 10 July, 2.30-3.05pm, Top Playground, Webb's Road.
Year 5 performance - Friday 11 July, 5G and 5K - 10.30am-11am, Lower Hall, Webb's Road,
5OG and 5S - 2.30-3pm, Meteor Hall. Please note change of time and location for 5OG.
Year 3 performance - Monday 14 July, 2.30-3.05pm, Top Playground, Webb's Road.
Year 2 performance - Tuesday 15 July, 2.30-3.05pm, Top Playground, Webb's Road.
Year 1 performance - Wednesday 16 July, 2.30-3.05pm, Top Playground, Webb's Road.

Year 1's Green-Fingered Gardeners!

Year 1 have been very busy planting cress and bean plants as part of our science investigations. We are exploring what plants need to grow and learning about the different parts of a plant, using key vocabulary such as stem, root, leaves, and seed. The children have shown great responsibility, carefully watering and looking after their plants every day. We're all very excited to observe how our plants grow and change over the coming weeks — we can't wait to see what happens next!



TCS Mini London Marathon

Many congratulations to the 25 Belleville children who took part in the final mile of the TCS Mini London Marathon on Saturday 26 April. Thank you to Belleville



PTA for all their support of this event.

House Points





Year 3 Update

The summer term has already been filled with so much excitement in Year 3!

In our science launch lesson, we planted 'mystery seeds'. We will observe them over time to see what they grow into, and see whether our predictions were correct. Since then, we have learnt more about the functions of the different parts of plants, and looked specifically at the stem, recreating this with an investigation to observe what happens when it is placed in food colouring.

In English, we have been reading The Promise. The children have enjoyed the story, and successfully been able to identify the main message. They have produced fantastic pieces of writing as well!



Our ICT days have been based on editing and drawing photos using various apps. The children created their own 'Belleville Photo Album' with some very artistic shots in it.

We created a human timeline in history as a way of representing ow long ago the Stone Age, Bronze Age and Iron Age were. We have learnt more about the Stone Age by looking at Otzi and hearing what historians have learnt from the discovery of his body.

We can't wait to see what the rest of the term has in store!

Belleville PTA Fun Run



The Belleville Fun Run is back this Sunday 11 May, from 9am – 11.30am on Wandsworth Common. <u>Book here online in advance</u>. Deadline for tickets is 9 May! No tickets will be sold on the day. We are very short of volunteers for the Fun Run. If you can help, please <u>sign up here!</u>

Term Dates

Summer Term 2025

Inset Day: Tuesday 22 April – school closed to children First day of Summer 1: Wednesday 23 April Bank holiday: Monday 5 May – school closed Last day of Summer 1: Friday 23 May Summer half term: Monday 26 to Friday 30 May First day of Summer 2: Monday 2 June Last day of Summer 2: Tuesday 22 July

Autumn Term 2025

Inset Days: Monday 1 and Tuesday 2 September First day of Autumn 1: Wednesday 3 September Last day of Autumn 1: Friday 24 October Autumn half term: Monday 27 October to Friday 31 October Inset Day: Monday 3 November First day of Autumn 2: Tuesday 4 November Last day of Autumn 2: Friday 19 December

Full term dates for 2025-26 academic year are on our website.