



Dear Parents and Carers

May I firstly begin by offering our best wishes to all who are celebrating Eid today or tomorrow. It is always an unusual day when so many children are at home as the school is so very quiet.



However, it is a reminder about the importance of the individual family values and how richly diverse our school community is as we recognize the important of Eid today and share in the Sikh Vaisakhi assembly on Monday.



My assembly this week began the term on the subject of having a 'can do attitude'. The whole school joined together to share the start of the term as one family group. We discussed what this meant. The

children came up with the following ideas: trying your best, persevering, believing in yourself, trying again if you don't succeed at first. We then talked about what this means for them in lessons whether it be PE, science, art or English and Maths. We also reminded ourselves of how we can show our respect to each other and encourage others to do their best.



Do talk to your children at home about giving things a go themselves first and having that 'can do' attitude at home too. This is such an important character skill to develop when approaching any task and develops them to be resilient and determined, two important character skills needed to be successful and confident in the

future.



Thank you to all our parents who have been adjusting to the new start time of 8.45am this week. I know it takes a bit of organising and timetabling at home to set a new habit so thanks to all. We have had a smooth start so do try and keep it this way. For any who are worried about being able to adhere to this, do come and talk to us as we can work together to find a solution.



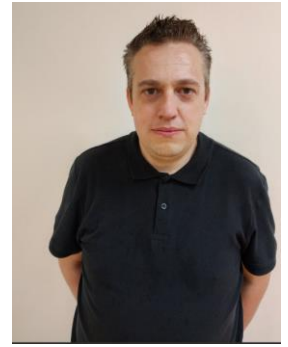
Diary Dates

- Monday 24 April – Year 5 Vaisakhi Assembly – 2.15pm
- Monday 24 April – Year 1 Beaumanor Hall Pirates Day
- Friday 28 April – Beehive Assembly 9.30am
- Monday 1 May – BANK HOLIDAY
- Friday 5 May – Year 3 EID Assembly 2.30pm
- Monday 8 May – BANK HOLIDAY FOR KING'S CORONATION
- Friday 12 May – Poppyfield Assembly 9.30am
- Friday 19 May – Sunburst Assembly 9.30am
- Friday 26 May – **TEACHER DAY – CHILDREN NOT IN SCHOOL**
- Monday 29 May – Friday 2 June – Half Term
- Monday 5 June – all children back at school



Our new Premises Officer Mr Farren, started with us this week. He has had a sunny few days to find his way around the school. Do give him a warm welcome if you see him around in the mornings and be patient as he learns the timings of everything! The role of Premises

Officer is so important in the school and we appreciate all the efforts and extra hours Mr Wragg has put in over the past half term to keep the school safe, compliant and tidy. He has done a super job and we are all very grateful.



Do look at the school dates for the term and put them in your diaries.

Thank you.

Summer Term Dates

Here is a list of some of the summer term dates for you to put in your diaries. We know our parents appreciate lots of notice for sports time so you can arrange time off work.

4 July Year 1 and Year 2 sports morning 10am

5 July Foundation Stage sports morning 10am

6 July Year 3 and Year 4 sports morning 10am

7 July Year 5 and Year 6 sports morning 10am

Attendance



This week the classes with the highest attendance in KS1 is **Bramblewood**.

The class with the highest attendance in KS2 this week is **Striding Top**.

Congratulations!

Sporting Achievement

Once again, Veer and his brother Niam, have been making the headlines! You can listen to their interview on BBC Radio Leicester here: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/sounds/play/p0fgff05>

We are very proud of their achievements and wish them all the best in their sporting journey.

