

Ravens Newsletter

Term 5 2026

Welcome back! We hope you have had an enjoyable Easter break and had some family days out in the sunshine. This term is another busy and short one! As always, if you have any concerns or questions please do not hesitate to speak to one of us at the end of the day.



What to expect this term!

The school theme this term is 'Land and Water'. We will focus on comparing and contrasting England and Spain, focusing on specific features of their landscape and infrastructure and discussing human and physical features within the countries. This will be our Geography focus.

We have a school trip planned to Godinton House on Friday 24th April, which we are all looking forward to. This trip will focus on habitats in our local area which links to our Science topic this term.

Ravens have their PE on a Wednesday every week. Please ensure children come to school in their PE kits and a school jumper, along with a water bottle which they can take to lessons with them.

Homelearning

Home learning will be set on Friday via Family Announcements on Seesaw. Written tasks should be recorded in homework books and all homework needs to be completed and returned to school by Tuesday of the following week so that it can be marked by an adult.

Accelerated Reader

Children will continue with AR (Accelerated Reader) and will continue to bring their books home each night to read. These must be brought into school **daily** so the children can quiz on the book they have read and change it on a set day. We only have 2 allocated AR sessions a week in class so children need to be supporting this by reading at home.

Times Tables

In Year 4 we have a focus on recall of times tables due to the statutory Multiplication Check (MTC) in the Summer term. Please ensure your child spends 5 minutes **every day** on TTRS to help them with this skill. They should complete at least one **Soundcheck** each time they log on.

Dates for the diary:

- Bank Holiday- Monday 4th May
- School Council & Rota Kids Bake Sale- Monday 18th May
- End of term 5- Friday 22nd May
- Term 6 begins- Tuesday 2nd June

