

LEVERINGTON



newsletter

APRIL/MAY 2026

"Every day is a chance to grow, just like the flowers in May."

After diving back in after Easter, the Summer Term is already in full swing, with lots of wonderful learning opportunities already for our children!



Some of our Year 5 pupils were chosen to take part in the School Games Skipping Day at TCA, led by the Skipping Ninja. It gave them the opportunity to take part in a fun and active day focused on skipping skills, teamwork and building confidence through physical activity. They also learnt lots of skills to share with the rest of the school.

A group of budding Year 5 mathematicians will take on other local schools in the Cambridgeshire Maths Challenge next week, held at TCA. The children will work together to solve puzzling problems designed to test their knowledge and memory skills along the way. We wish them the best of luck and know they will do us proud!



Sir David Attenborough is 100!

As you know, all of our class names this academic year were chosen in honour of Sir David Attenborough turning 100 this year. As a school, we will celebrate this wonderful milestone by sharing in a Picture News Live Assembly on 8th May. Children will also be doing some writing linked to this in class.



Uniform policy

Please remember that cycling shorts and tube skirts are not part of our summer uniform policy. Cycling shorts may only be worn underneath dresses or skirts, which should be an appropriate length. Trainers are allowed to be worn, however these should be plain black if worn as school shoes.

We have noticed an increasing number of girls wearing hoop earrings to school. This is a health and safety concern, particularly with our more active playtimes, and we kindly ask that children wear stud earrings only. Children will be asked to remove hoops if they are seen wearing them in school.

Fundraising



Thanks to your generosity and support (and determination to win a prize!) we raised a fantastic amount of money at our Chocolate Tombola.

With the donations, we are excited to share that we have ordered a giant sandpit that will add to our Opal lunchtime provision! Photos to follow...

The Roving Book Shop



We are delighted to welcome back The Roving Book Shop into school on **Thursday 21st May 2026**. Staff from the company will set up a book shop in the art room for the day stocked with high-quality texts for all ages and interests. Each class will have time to browse the book shop throughout the day and can make purchases at this time. The book shop will also be open at the end of the school day for parents and carers to buy books.

To avoid the disappointment of returning at the end of the day to find that their chosen book has gone, we recommend sending children to school with cash to make their purchase; we suggest between £8-£20 in a named envelope. Staff will ensure that children only buy books during the day: if they would like to purchase a poster, we ask that parents and carers agree this at home time when they take their child into the shop. Adults can also make card transactions.

By purchasing books on the day, you are supporting the school to earn a small commission to buy books for each class.

Cookery

We are delighted to share that we have received delivery today of the TM6 Thermomix machine. Following a successful, in-school promotional event, we were fortunate enough to be given this wonderful machine which will improve our cookery lesson delivery in school. Thank you to everyone that attended this event and enabled this to happen.

Our warmest and sincerest thanks go to Deborah and Carmen for giving us this opportunity, delivering the event and ensuring our children will benefit from this great opportunity.



SATs week 11th May 2026

Key Stage 2 SATs will take place week commencing 11th May 2026. Children are invited in to school for SATs Breakfast Club every morning at 8am to help them settle before the tests begin. We kindly ask that children are in promptly and every day during this week.

Diary dates...

Monday 4 th May	BANK HOLIDAY
Tuesday 5 th May	The Tale of the Whale performance for KS1
Thursday 7 th May	Reception parents invited to watch Phonics at 9:15am
Thursday 7 th May	Greek themed lunch
Monday 11 th May	Year 5 Maths Challenge 4pm-5:45pm
Tuesday 19 th May	9:15am Year 1 class assembly
Thursday 21 st May	Year 4 and 5 to Science workshop @ the Horsefair
Friday 22 nd May	Year 6 to Science workshop at Horsefair
Monday 25 th to Friday 29 th May	HALF TERM
Tuesday 2 nd June	Diamond Day (more to follow) KS2 School Council to Houses of Parliament
Thursday 4 th June	Reception trip to Church Farm
Friday 5 th June	Year 5 Wisbech Reads
Wednesday 10 th June	Year 1 Wisbech Reads
Tuesday 16 th June	Year 6 to Wisbech Safety Zone @ Fire Station
Wednesday 17 th June	Key Stage 1 Sports Day 1
Thursday 18 th June	Year 5 STEM event at TCA (more to follow)

Diary dates continued...

Tuesday 23 rd June	Mexican themed lunch
Tuesday 23 rd June	9:15am Reception class assembly
Monday 22 nd June	WSP Athletics event at TCA (more to follow)
Tuesday 23 rd June	Key Stage 1 Sports Day (if cancelled previously)
Wednesday 24 th June	Key Stage 2 Sports Day 1
Tuesday 30 th June	9:15am Year 3 class assembly
Wednesday 1 st July	9:15am Year 5 class assembly
Wednesday 1 st July	Key Stage 2 Sports Day (if previously cancelled)
Thursday 2 nd July	Steve Smallman visit (more to follow)
Friday 3 rd July	Year 1 to Sealife Centre
Friday 3 rd July	3:30pm-5:30pm Summer Fayre
Tuesday 7 th July	9:15am Year 4 class assembly
Tuesday 7 th July	2:30pm Rocksteady concert
Wednesday 8 th July - Friday 10 th July	Year 6 to Hilltop
Friday 10 th July	Year 5 trip to Space Centre
Tuesday 11 th July	Golf day
Wednesday 15 th July	Year 6 Leavers event at Play2Day - 6pm