

Newsletter

Celebrating learning together in faith, hope and love

Ephesians 4 v 1-3 Be completely humble and gentle; be patient, bearing with one another in love. Make every effort to keep the unity of the Spirit through the bond of peace.

6/6/25

Headteacher's Hello

Dear Parents and Carers.

I hope you had a restful and enjoyable half-term break.

Thank you very much for your kind messages of congratulations and support in response to the news of my appointment as substantive headteacher for Bishop Perrin School from September. It's very much appreciated and it is reassuring to know I have your support as we move forward into a new chapter for our school. We now begin the process of recruiting a new substantive deputy headteacher. You can find more information about this later in the newsletter.

Thank you to everyone who completed the Parent and Carer questionnaire for us. It gave us some good insight into the views of our parent community, and it was lovely to read the positive comments that you shared with us. I will respond more fully to the survey at our Parent Forum on 13th June, and we will publish a response on our school website before the end of the summer term.

Well done to the children from Year 5 and 6 who did a brilliant job representing the school at the Borough Sports event on Wednesday. They participated very well in their races and Miss Holloway reported back that they did a brilliant job.

Well done to Year 4 who have completed their statutory Multiplication Times Tables Check this week. They have worked very hard in the lead up to this, with lots of practice of learning of times tables going on. We're very proud of their efforts.

During the half term break, we have had some repairs to the equipment in the playground and a new balance beam installed and it has been nice to see the children enjoying the full use of the activity trail once again. The children have been reminded about safe use of the equipment, which includes not using it at the end of the school day as this is difficult to supervise. Thank you to the School Association who have supported the funding of the updates to the playground equipment.

As we approach the end of the school year, this second half of the summer term quickly becomes incredibly busy with events, school visits and other goings-on. Please keep an eye on the newsletter for updates and reminders. Many thanks.

Have a lovely weekend, Miss Macklearn





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Attendance

Friendship: 90.33 Endurance: 98.00% Peace: 96.00% Forgiveness: 88.33%, Reverence: 93.45%, Service 95.67% and Justice: 94.00% **Whole school: 93.68%**

In collective worship this week...

On Tuesday, Miss McAvoy led worship all about Pentecost, and on Thursday Mr Nimmo led us in worship thinking about World Environment Day.

We wish all our families celebrating Eid today a very enjoyable time.

Celebrations & Achievements

Well done to the children who have earnt a certificate this week.

CLASS	NAME
Friendship	Isobel
Endurance	Theo
Peace	Harry
Forgiveness	Saroop
Reverence	Stanley & Harleen
Service	Josh
Justice	Blessing

School News

Curriculum information for this half-term

You can find out what your child will be learning about next half term by visiting the curriculum page on our website.

Class texts

The key texts for classes for this half-term are listed below. We do have a supply of these books in school for use in class, but it is very helpful if your child is able to have their own copy. If your child has had their own copy of a class text during the autumn or spring term and no longer has a use for it, please consider donating it to our school supplies for future classes to use — thank you.

	Summer 2
Year 2	Charlie and the Chocolate
	Factory – Roald Dahl
Year 3	Planet Omar: Unexpected
	Super Spy – Zanib Mian
Year 4	Who Let the Gods Out? –
	Maz Evans
Year 5	Children of the Benin
	Kingdom - Dinah Orji
Year 6	Coming to England –
	Floella Benjamin

Year R and Year 1 will read a range of picture books over the course of the term. There is not a need for them to have their own copy of the book, but they are welcome to bring one in if they have it.

We Are Hiring!

We are recruiting for September 2025. We currently have the following positions available:

• Deputy Headteacher Please see here for further details.

Year 6 School Journey Meeting, Monday 9th June 3 30nm

Year 6 are due to go on their school journey to Bowles Activity Centre (departing on Monday 23rd June). This meeting has been scheduled so that parents can receive important information about the trip and ask any questions.

Year 6 Decades Day

As part of their Back to the Future theme for this half-term, Year 6 are going to take part in a Decades Day on Tuesday 8th July; they can dress up in the fashion from a particular decade (1950s-1990s - although this is optional) and they will listen to music, learn dances and play games from the different decades. If you have any questions, please let me know. Thanks, Miss Sweeney

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School Trips Payments / Permissions

Unless otherwise stated, children should wear school uniform for school visits (this includes school shoes). Children should bring a bag (school bag or other) to carry their packed lunch and water bottle in. Packed lunches should not contain any form of nuts (this applies to children and adult volunteers); no fizzy drinks or glass bottles. In the summer term, if the children are likely to be outside during their visit, please ensure you apply sunscreen before they come to school and they wear a hat. If details vary to this they will be provided below within the specific trip section.



Y3 - Y6 Swimming Gala

Our KS2 (Y3 - Y6) swimming gala will be held at Teddington Pool on Wednesday 16th July. Please make the payment for this event via ScoPay by Monday 30th June.

Teddington Pool have a limited number of 60 spectator spaces on their balcony. As in previous years, we will prioritise offering one space to one adult per child in years 5 and 6 first. Year 5 and 6 parents, please complete the spectator booking form here letting us know if you would like a space and the name of which parent will be attending by Friday 6th June. After this time, we will then allocate any remaining spaces to the parents of Year 3 and 4 children.

Y1 Barnes Wetlands Centre

Y1 will be visiting Barnes Wetlands Centre on the 3rd July. Please complete the payment and any lunch order forms via your child's SCOPAY account by 23rd June 2025.

We require some volunteers for this trip, please send an email into the school office to volunteer, we will then let you know if you're required or not.

Y2 Hounslow Jamia Masjid & Islamic Centre

Y2 will be visiting Hounslow Jamia Masjid & Islamic Centre on 19th June 2025. They will be walking to and from the venue.

Y2 Roald Dahl Museum

Y2 will be visiting The Roald Dahl Museum and Story Centre on the 17th July 2025. As part of the visit they will explore the museum and also participate in a 90-minute workshop. Please can you complete the permission and payment via your child's SCOPAY account by the 23rd June 2025 (please disregard the previously communicated date incorrectly stated within the email). There is also an option to book a school provided packed lunch within the SCOPAY permission slip. Alternatively, you can provide a packed lunch from home.

Y5 Beautiful Minds' A Richmond Youth Service Mental Health Event

Y5 will visit Heatham House Youth Centre on the 24th June 2025 to take part in an event run by The Achieving for Children Richmond Youth Service. This free event will be a celebration of the ways in which the Richmond Youth Service supports young people's mental well-being, while providing young people with access to local mental health support services and wellbeing activities throughout the day.

There is no cost for this, but permission needs to be granted via your child's SCOPAY account.

You will need to provide a packed lunch for this trip. Alternatively, you can book a school provided packed lunch via SCOPAY.

Please complete the permission slip by the 13th June.

Y5 Orange Tree Theatre

Y5 will participate in a two-part event in conjunction with Orange Tree Theatre. Part one will be on site workshop led by the Orange Tree Theatre team.

The class will then visit The Orange Tree Theatre on the 1st July for a performance of Shakespeare's Julius Caesar, please complete the SCOPAY permission for this trip ASAP, thank you.

Y6 End of Term Trip

Y6 will be visiting Feltham Leisure West complex via minibus to watch the new Lilo & Stitch film as well as play some rounds of bowling. Children will be provided with a Cineworld munch box, containing popcorn, a chocolate snack and a fruit shoot drink. Your child will need a packed lunch for this trip.

There is no cost for this trip as the School Association have subsidies this trip.

Please complete the permission slip within your child's SCOPAY account by the 7th July.



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Safeguarding, Wellbeing and Inclusion

Richmond Dyslexia Association

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Do you have a child with dyslexia?

Do you think your child might be dyslexic?

Come and join local parents for support and advice at our coffee morning

4th July from 9 to 11am.



We meet informally, no need to book.

Upstairs at Pret A Manger.

37 Lower George St, Richmond TW9 1HU

www.richmonddyslexia.org.uk

Summer Term Coffee Morning: ADHD Embrace







Scan here to register

Tuesday 1st July 2025 8:45 - 9:45am in the school library: all welcome

An expert from ADHD Embrace will be leading a workshop for families to build understanding and awareness of ADHD. This is an opportunity to learn more and is useful for families at all stages of their journey: pre-diagnosis, post-diagnosis, or those who are simply curious to learn more about how ADHD impacts young lives.

If you have any concerns regarding the safeguarding of children who attend Bishop Perrin Primary School, these should be reported to the Designated Safeguarding Lead who is Miss McAvoy. In her absence, concerns should be reported to the Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead who is Miss Macklearn. The school's safeguarding governor is Mrs James. If you have concerns about the safeguarding of a child during the school holidays, contact SPA directly on 020 8547 5008 or call the police if the child is in immediate danger.

Community Information Community Litter Pick

You are invited to take part in Twickenham School's Community Litter Pick on Tuesday 10th June at 3:30pm. Everyone is welcome to join as we give our local area some TLC. We'll meet outside Twickenham School reception at 3:30pm for a community litter pick. It's a great way to connect with others and help keep our local area clean.

If Bishop Perrin families are interested in walking along to the school on Tuesday, then your help will be gratefully received. The intention is to focus on the local streets and into Crane Park, stay for as little or as long as you can and come dressed appropriately for the weather! Please note that parents/carers must remain with and responsible for their children at all times, any Bishop Perrin School or Twickenham School staff will be there to facilitate the event, not to supervise the children.

Hope to see you there, Mrs English

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And finally...

Year 5 will be doing their class assembly on Thursday 12th June in the school hall at 08:55am. Parents and carers are welcome to join us.

Our next Parent Forum will be held on Friday 13th June, in the morning.

Our end-of-year Y6 Leavers' Service will be held in St. Augustine's Church, at 10:30am. It will be led by Rev'd Helen Calner, the new vicar for St. Augustine's Church. Parents and Carers are welcome to join us in the church. If you are able to walk with classes to and from the church, your help would be much appreciated – please let the school office know.

Key Dates

SUMMER TERM 2025		
Tuesday 3 rd June	All pupils return	
Thursday 12 th June	Y5 class assembly	
	Y5 Primary Shakespeare: Julius Caesar workshop (in school)	
Friday 13 th June	Parent Forum	
Tuesday 17 th June	YR Trip to Bockett's Farm	
Thursday 19 th June	Y2 Trip to Hounslow Jamia Mosque	
Monday 23 rd - Friday 27 th June	Y6 Residential Trip to Bowles	
Tuesday 24 th June	Y5 Heatham House Afc Event	
Monday 30 th June	Last week of clubs	
Tuesday 1 st July	Wellbeing Coffee Morning - ADHD Embrace	
, ,	Y5 Trip - Orange Tree Theatre	
Wednesday 2 nd July	Sports Day	
Thursday 3 rd July	Y1 Trip Barnes Wetland Centre	
Thursday 3.4 July	YR class assembly	
Thursday 10 th July	Whole school RE day	
Monday 14th July	Y6 Trip to Cinema & Bowling	
Wednesday 16th July	KS2 Swimming Gala	
Thursday 17 th July	Y2 Trip to Roald Dahl Museum	
Monday 21st July	Y6 Leavers' Celebration (5 – 7pm)	
Tuesday 22 nd July	Leavers' Service – St. Augustine's Church, 10:30am	
Tuesday 22 nd July	End of term Dismissal time: 13:50 – YR 14:00 - Others	



father's Day Sale

fri 13 june

CARDS & GIFTS FOR SALE

In the playground after school Card & Cash payments accepted 2/3 Parent Volunteers needed 2:45 to 3:45





BISHOP PERRIN NON-UNIFO DAYS

Supporting the School Summer Fete and the School Association

Friday 6th June Non-uniform top

Please bring beauty/hair accessories, tattoos, nail varnish or a money donation

Friday 13th June

Non-uniform bottoms

Please bring sweets and popcorn or a money donation

Friday

Trainers Please bring second 20th June hand books, toys & soft toys or a money donation

Friday

FULL NON-UNIFORM

27th June Please bring baked goods and bottles for bottle tombola or a money donation







Could you be our next Home Visiting Volunteer?

Local charity Home-Start RKH is offering a free volunteer training course to train volunteers to provide emotional and practical support to parents with under 5's.

For more information contact volunteer@homestart-rkh.org.uk 07884 536161

Registered charity no: 1108975.



Vestry House, 21 Paradise Road, Richmond, TW9 1SA



THURSDAYS: 25th September, 2nd, 9th, 16th, 23rd October & 6th November 2025



9:45AM - 2:30PM



www.studysmartuk.online

We are looking to fill 150+ School Support vacancies in local schools (e.g. SEN Support, Behaviour Mentors, 1-1 Classroom Support, Cover Supervisors etc). These roles are available in both full time and part time positions.

Please go to our website address given above, or scan the QR code for more information.

This is a 6 week course, full time, intensive course, with online guided learning sessions within school hours.

*Please go to our website

for more detailed

information.

If you are earning less than £23,500 per annum or are in receipt of any benefits, you will be eligible for a fully funded place with us.



Daily sessions

1st session 9:30 - 11:30am

2nd session 12:30 - 2pm



Hazelwood Centre, Sunbury TW16 6QU







FRIDAY 6TH JUNE, FROM 7PM JOIN US FOR GAELIC FOOTBALL TRAINING TASTER SESSION **FOLLOWED BY OUR SUMMER BBQ!** LAUNCH NIGHT OF GAEL LONDAIN'S 'ROAD TO 2035' STRATEGY AND 'FRIENDS OF GAEL LONDAIN' INITIATIVE!









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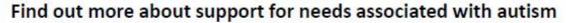


Coffee Morning

For parent carers of children and young people with Special Educational Needs and/or Disabilities (SEND)

When: 10am-11.30am, Wednesday 11th June

Where: The Park Hotel, 19 Park Rd Teddington, TW11 0AB



Come along and meet the pre and post diagnostic team, find out more about their workshops and events and have your say on

future topics and venues.

Refreshments will be provided and there is free parking on site. All parent carers are welcome.

Please let us know that you'll be coming along by following this booking link or emailing us at information@richmondpcf.org.uk



Not a Richmond PCF Member yet?

Becoming a member is easy and FREE!

Membership is open to anyone who has a child with SEND aged 0-25 that lives or accesses services in Richmond.

Who we are, what we do

We are an independent group of parent carers who have come together to ensure that ALL parents are able to have their say in the planning of local services. We don't provide SEND services, but bring parents' voices to those that do.



Giving families with SEND a voice

www.richmondpcf.org.uk information@richmondpcf.org.uk



Online Workshop

Access to activities for children and young people with Special Educational Needs and/or Disabilities (SEND)



When: 10.30am-12.30pm, Tuesday 10th June

Where: ONLINE via Google Meet

Join us to find out more about what support is available to help your child access evening, weekend and holiday activities. The session will be led by Inclusion Development Officers Caroline and Alys and will cover:

- Activities especially for children and young people with SEND
- How children and young people with SEND can be supported to access activities with mainstream providers

You can find out more about the Inclusion Development Team here

Book your place by using the QR code below. You can also follow this booking link or email us at information@richmondpcf.org.uk

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Saturday 7 June

From 9am until the skip is full or 12noon (whichever comes first)

Heathfield Junior School car park

(Powder Mill Lane entrance)

SKIP DAY

