

Rockwell Green Primary School

Newsletter

Friday 17th October 2025



“Sharing life in all its fullness.” John 10:10

Values : The value we are focussing on this half term is Respect

Dear Parent/Carers,

We are looking forward to seeing parent/carers next Tuesday and Thursday for our parents' evening. The final appointment slips have been sent home this week. The meetings will be held in the classrooms and there will be an opportunity to look at your child/children's learning before your appointment time.

Year 6 Residential

This week the vast majority of our Year 6 children have enjoyed their three day residential to Kilve Court. This opportunity for the children is always wonderful as it enables them to experience certain outdoor education challenges they may not have come across before and through these develop both resilience and collaborative skills. I would like to thank Miss Jenkin, Mrs Keet, Mrs Seaborne, Mrs Martin and Mr Adfield for joining the children on the residential and the encouragement that they gave the children.

Extra-Curricular Clubs

Due to parents' evening next Thursday, neither Mr Berrisford's/Mr Adfield's football club or Mrs Little's speaking and debating club will be taking place.

Staffing

I am delighted to share that we have appointed both Mrs Wedderkopp and Mrs Gregory to cover the maternity leave of Miss Harris which begins on 10th November. Mrs Wedderkopp will be teaching Hedgehogs on both a Thursday and Friday and then Mrs Gregory will be teaching Kingfishers on a Monday. Both Mrs Wedderkopp and Mrs Gregory are very experienced teachers and are excited about joining our school. Both of them will be in school next week to meet the children as well as meet staff members and learn about the learning approaches we have at Rockwell Green.

Coats

With the colder and wetter weather can I please ask that children have a coat in school each day. Thank you

PTFA Second Hand School Uniform Sale

Next Friday, after school, the PTFA will be holding another second hand school uniform sale.

School Tours

If any prospective parent/carers of children starting school in September 2026 missed our two school open days, then a school tour is still available by contacting the school office to make an appointment.

Primary & Secondary School Applications

Primary school applications for September 2026 are now open. Please click on the link below.

<https://www.somerset.gov.uk/children-families-and-education/applying-for-school/apply-to-start-school-for-the-first-time/>

The secondary school application deadline is Friday 31st October. A guide of how to apply is below.

<https://www.somerset.gov.uk/children-families-and-education/applying-for-school/secondary-admissions-guide/#:~:text=You%20can%20apply%20on%20our,sent%20by%20second%20class%20post.>

School Lunches Price Increase

The price of a school lunch will be increasing to £2.61 from 10th November 2025

The price of a Rockets lunch will be increasing to £2.00 from 10th November 2025

Hedgehogs: Raphael, Alfie & Robin



Kingfishers: Jack, Betsy & Nancy



Otters: Darcie, Vienna & River



Squirrels: Alfie, Bronte & Steven



Tawny Owls: Isabelle, Lexie & Matilda



Awards Outside School: River & Hardy



Star Learner: Jack

