



Newsletter No 35, 19th June 2026

Message from the Head Teacher

I am delighted to share that the adventure playground is now open, and it has been wonderful to see the children enjoying it so much. A huge thank-you to FOLKS for their generous contribution towards the cost. Your support at FOLKS events has made this fantastic new addition possible, and we are truly grateful. The school has also contributed funding from the school fund to help bring this project to life.

On a different note, we are sad to report that the large fir tree by the main gate has died. For safety reasons, it will be removed as soon as possible.

Have a lovely weekend

Mr Dodd

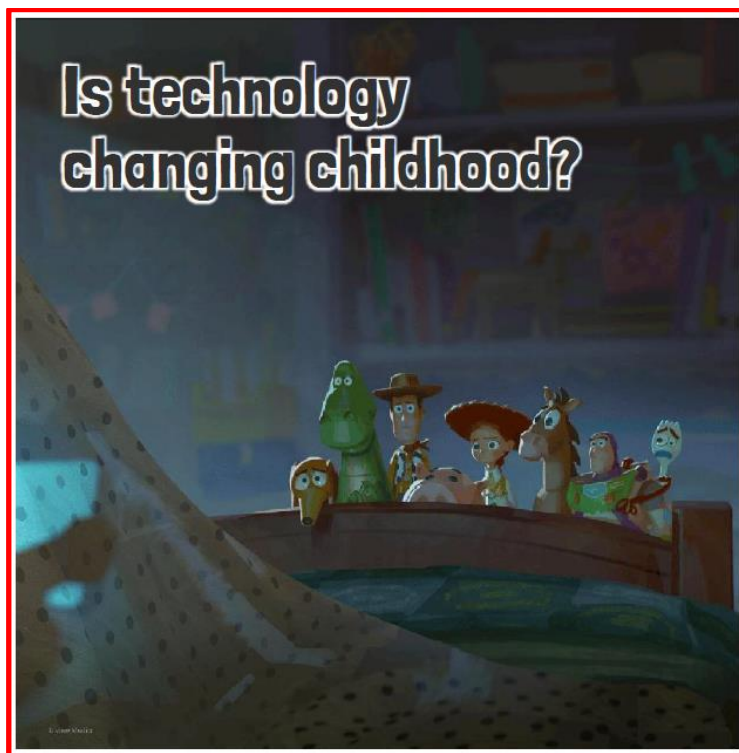
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Book Fair

A huge thank you to everyone who came to the book fair! Your support has raised £775 for new books for our school. This will be spent on new books for classrooms and the library in consultation with our reading ambassadors.

Achievement Assembly

Certificates of Merit		
Awarded To	Class	Awarded For
Holden	Reception	Ambition
Maya	Year 1	Ambition and Creativity
Olivia	Year 2	Creativity
Everyone	Year 3	All of our values
Amira	Year 4	Kindness and Respect
Harriet	Year 4	Creativity
James	Year 5	Ambition
Charlie	Year 6	Resilience



In the news this week

Filmmaker, Pixar, has shared that the new Toy Story 5 film will explore how children are spending more time using screens and digital technology. In the story, the toys worry that tablets, video games, and other devices are becoming more popular than traditional toys. The film has highlighted conversations about how childhood and play are changing.

Things to talk about at home ...

- What games or toys do you enjoy playing with most at home? Why?
- How much time do you believe people should spend using screens each day?
- What types of play help people use their imagination?
- Can digital technology and traditional toys both be important? In what way?



UN Rights of the Child



Every child has the right to play and relax. Toy Story 5 highlights this by asking whether technology allows children to use their imagination as fully as physical play does.



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Week commencing 22nd June ... at a glance

Monday	
Tuesday	Y4 Swimming (clothes needed)
Wednesday	Y6 Norfolk Lakes meeting 3.15pm
Thursday	Y1 Trip to Peterley Manor Farm
Friday	Y5 Forest school
Saturday	Festival on the Field