



**For week ending
5th May 2017**

Dear Parents,

'Fidget Gadgets'

With immediate effect, 'fidget gadgets' are not to be brought into school. Any pupil who does so will have the item confiscated.

Late items into school

Thank you to those of you who have already used our boxes in reception for late items. The boxes are for packed lunches, PE or sports kits, and miscellaneous items. There are also **labels for items not clearly marked already**. The office staff will take the items to the children during the course of the day. Thank you for your support.

Lawn Bowling Years 5 and 6

Once again we are delighted to have been invited to Sawbridgeworth Bowling Club. Years 5 and 6 will, over the coming weeks, take it in turns to visit the club on Friday mornings. Children must have their plimsolls or flat soled trainers in school on Fridays in order to participate.

PTA Main Event

This term's main PTA event will be a 60's Summer Picnic on Saturday 15th July, 1-3pm at school. Tickets will be on sale nearer the time.

Naming clothing and Lost Property

A reminder: please can you ensure that all of your child's clothing is clearly named. Our lost property box is filling up again and will now be placed in the reception area every Friday afternoon.

Lunchtime Clubs

Lunchtime clubs have started and they are as follows:

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| Homework | All year groups | Every day 12-12.30 | Mrs Stewart |
| Choir | All year groups | Tuesday | Mrs Kitson |
| Gardening | Years 4&5 | Tuesday | Mr Dupplaw |
| Art | Years 3&4 | Thursday | Mrs Kingston |
| Computing (coding-scratch) | Year 4 | Wednesday | Mrs A Walker & Miss Purdy |

Letters sent home

Jewish Museum – Year 5

Swimming – Year 6

SATs letter – Year 6

Final Kingswood letter – Year 6

Lawn Bowling – Year 5 & 6

Weekly Reminders

Dinner Menu

Week commencing Monday 8th May will be Week 1 on the **new** school dinner menu.

Office Box

Please remember to use the school office box in reception to drop off any dinner money payments, permission slips, letters for the school, etc. Thank you!

Reminder about school start time

Lessons begin at 8.50am when the registers are taken. Please remember that if your child arrives at school after 8.50am, **they need to come in via the school office with an adult and sign in the late book**. Children arriving after 8.50am but before 9am will be given a late mark and children arriving after 9am will be marked as an unauthorised absence. This is in accordance with the directive from our attendance officer.

Class Assembly

Please note the class assembly dates in the calendar below.

Dates for your diary (* New entry)

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| Mon 8th May | SATS week |
| Tues 9th May | 3W Swimming |
| Tues 16th May | 3W Swimming |
| Weds 17th May | Year 6 Crucial Crew visit |
| Thurs 18th May | 3W Class assembly |
| Tues 23rd May | 3W Swimming |
| Thurs 25th May | 4K Class assembly Year 5 Jewish Museum trip |
| Fri 26th May | Inset day |
| Mon 29th May – Fri 2nd Jun | Half term week |
| Thurs 8th Jun | New to Year 3 Parents Meeting 1.30pm |
| Mon 12th Jun | Year 6 Kingswood week |
| Thurs 15th Jun | 3A Class assembly |
| Thurs 15th Jun | Year 4 West Stow trip |
| Mon 19th Jun | Class photographs |
| Thurs 22nd Jun | 4PW Class assembly |
| Thurs 29th Jun | 5D Class assembly |
| Thurs 6th Jul | 5K Class assembly |
| Fri 7th Jul | Sports Day |
| Thurs 13th Jul | Year 6 Secondary Transfer Day |
| Sat 15th Jul | PTA 60's Summer Picnic 1-3pm |
| Fri 21st Jul | Year 6 Leavers Assembly School ends 2.30pm |
| Mon 24th Jul | Inset day |