



Dear Parents and Carers,

Children have continued to demonstrate our school values this week, not only in their class learning but also in their actions throughout the rest of the day. It has been lovely to see the sun finally come out properly, which has definitely increased the number of smiles coming through the school gate in the morning.

This week, children in Year 5 have been rehearsing with their trombones and trumpets for their Bold As concert, held at St. George's Church on Tuesday afternoon.



Bold As is an innovative brass and woodwind project for children and young people which has been running since 2014. They work with a number of primary schools in Deal and Dover, and in 2016 the project was shortlisted for a Music Teacher Excellence Award.

Next week, we are looking forward to welcoming parents and carers in to celebrate learning with your child's teacher. If you have not yet booked your appointment, please do so online through School Cloud.

Today marks Red Nose Day, which raises money to support up to 4.5 million people across the country. If you would like to donate, please visit <https://donation.comicrelief.com/>. Children have been discussing the importance of this in class, and on Monday we will be holding our annual Red Nose Day assembly. As we move through the year, as well as raising money for the school, we will also be finding ways to raise money to support local communities and a range of projects.



You may be aware that from September 2026, the Government will introduce a free breakfast club for all primary-aged children, running alongside our current provision.

All parents will receive an email to share their views. Your feedback will help shape our breakfast provision.

Have a lovely weekend in the sunshine.

Mrs Cooper

## Dates for your diary

- ❖ Rocksteady Concert – Monday 23rd March 2pm
- ❖ Year 1 Parent Phonics Workshop - Tuesday 24th March 2.30pm
- ❖ Year 5 Bold As! Concert – Tuesday 24th March 12.30pm – 16.30pm
- ❖ Year R–5 Parents' Evening – Wednesday 25th March & Thursday 26th March
- ❖ PTFA Easter Hop Party – Wednesday 1st April  
KS1 15.30pm – 16.30pm  
KS2 16.45pm – 17.45pm
- ❖ End of Term 4 – Thursday 2nd April
- ❖ Start of Term 5 – Monday 20th April

## Attendance

**Whole school**  
**93.79%**

Year group of the week  
Year 3

## Book Recommendation

This week's book recommendation comes from Shannon in Year 3

**Book: 'A Tale of Sorcery' by Chris Colfer from his series 'The Land of Stories'**

"I like the cool adventures and amazing characters in the fabulous book. 10/10!"

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Next Week's Lunch Menu – Week 2

