

27 March 2026

Dear Parents / Carers

End of Spring Term Recap

As we come to the end of another busy and successful half term, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your continued support.

This half term has been full of valuable experiences and achievements for our students. Our Year 10 students had the opportunity to visit Huntercombe Prison, which provided a thought-provoking and important learning experience. We were also proud to introduce our Anti-Bullying Ambassadors, who will play an important role in promoting kindness, respect and positive relationships across the school.

Students and staff also enjoyed taking part in a range of national events and enrichment opportunities. We marked World Book Day, celebrated Comic Relief, and all year groups fully engaged in British Science Week activities with great curiosity and enthusiasm. Activities included crime scene investigation, making blood, and elephant toothpaste, which captured students' interest and encouraged scientific thinking.

Our Year 10 students should also be congratulated on completing their work experience placements, showing maturity and commitment as they developed important skills for the future.

There have also been a number of exciting trips this half term, including visits to Reading Football Club training ground and year group trips to the Look Out, which gave students the chance to learn, develop confidence and enjoy new experiences outside the classroom.

A special mention should also go to our Year 7 and Year 8 students, who have been working incredibly hard on their reading challenge. It has been wonderful to see their effort and determination.

We are very proud of everything our students have achieved this half term and of the way they have represented the school.

We would like to wish all of our students, parents and carers a happy and restful Easter holiday. We hope you enjoy the break and return refreshed for the new term.

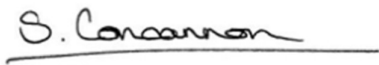


Key dates for next term:

- Return to school: Monday 13 April 2026
- Bank Holiday Monday 4 May 2026
- Year 11 Start Study Leave Monday 11 May 2026
- Year 11 Exams Start Thursday 14 May 2026
- Break up for Half Term 22 May 2026
- Return to school on Monday 1 June

Thank you again for your ongoing support.

Yours sincerely,



Sarah Concannon
Headteacher

