

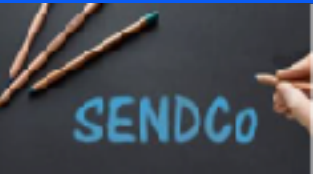
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AIMING HIGH TOGETHER



SENDCO SPOTLIGHT

Thank you to everyone who has signed up for the coffee morning on Friday 14th March. The session took place today and was to share how we adapt our teaching on a daily basis. These adaptations allow those children who find learning a bit more tricky, to be able to access the same challenging curriculum as the rest of their class. We hope this was useful and informative for parents / carers.

We hope to hold more of these sessions throughout the year about different aspects of special education needs.

Twenty three parents signed up and the list was then closed. Only seven parents from the list came. If you put your name down on a list for training please let school know **AT LEAST 24 hours in advance** if you can no longer attend. Other parents could have attended today's session. Sadly, due to parents taking up spaces and then not contacting school they were unable to.

INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL COUNCIL MEETING

Year 5 and 6 school councillors came into school early on Wednesday to take part in an international School council meeting with 11 different schools from all over the world. Schools from Moldova, India, Vietnam and a few others from the UK took part.



They discussed jobs of the future, the children's hobbies and what jobs they are interested in.

It was a wonderful chance for our children to speak to children from all over the globe and Corbin, Bushra, Carson, Alexander and Kegan represented our school and the UK brilliantly.



YEAR 3 TRIP TO THE THEATRE

On Tuesday morning Year 3 visited the Floral Pavillion in New Brighton. They watched the 'Pied Piper of Hamelin' which was performed by Caldys Grammar school.



PARKING

PARKING ON THE ZIGZAGS OUTSIDE OF THE SCHOOL GATES IS DANGEROUS AND SELFISH. IT IS PUTTING THE LIVES OF OUR CHILDREN IN DANGER.

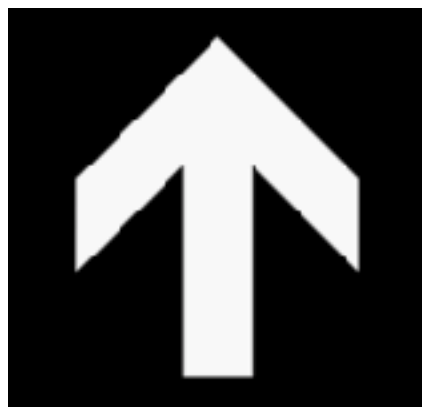
If you are one of the parents or carers who parks repeatedly on the zigzags, PLEASE stop and think about how you would feel if or when one of our children is seriously hurt or worse because they could not

see to cross the road, **BECAUSE OF YOUR CAR!** Do **you** want to be that parent?

Do you want the **injury or death** of a child or pedestrian on **YOUR** conscience?

This morning a pedestrian was nearly hit ON THE PAVEMENT by a parent from this school who had parked on the pavement outside school. As they went to drive off the pavement, they nearly hit the pedestrian. There have been several near misses this week. The current situation is unacceptable.

It is beneficial for children and families to walk. There are health benefits and well being benefits. Children enjoy walking and chatting as they go. Park and stride is beneficial if you need to take your car to go on to work. You can leave the house a little earlier and park further away from school.



WORLD BOOK DAY 2025

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6 MARCH 2025

The children thoroughly enjoyed World Book Day last week. We were impressed with all of the costumes and favourite books brought in for them to share. Each year group looked at a different poet and produced wonderful work for our main corridor display. We ended the day with 'Reading Buddies' where the older children paired up with the younger children to share their favourite books. It was lovely to take a step back and watch the children share their love of reading.





2025 - 2026

Please note that INSET days are subject to change.

Autumn Term 2025	
Open	Monday 1 st Sept – Friday 24 th Oct
Half Term	Monday 27 th Oct – Friday 31 st Oct
Open	Monday 3 rd Nov – Friday 19 th Dec
Christmas Holidays	Monday 22 nd Dec – Friday 2 nd Jan
Spring Term 2026	
Open	Monday 5 th Jan – Friday 13 th Feb
Half Term	Monday 16 th Feb – Friday 20 th Feb
Open	Monday 23 rd Feb – Friday 27 th March
Spring Break	Monday 30 th March – Friday 10 th April
Summer Term 2026	
Open	Monday 13 th April – Friday 22 nd May
May Bank Holiday	Monday 4 th May
Half Term	Monday 25 th May – Friday 29 th May
Open	Monday 1 st June – Monday 20 th July

196 Pupil days and 5 INSET Days 2025 – 2026

1. Monday 1st Sept 2025
2. Monday 5th Jan 2026
3. Monday 13th April 2026
4. Monday 1st June 2026
5. Monday 30th July 2026

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Whole school dates for the diary

21st March Last week of clubs

Friday 4th April - Last day of term - Spring Term
Report Card out to parents / carers

Reception dates for the diary

Year 1 dates for the diary

Year 2 dates for the diary

Year 3 dates for the diary

Year 4 dates for the diary

5th June Residential - Cheshire

Year 5 dates for the diary

Year 6 dates for the diary

Monday 12th May - Thursday 15th May -
SATs week