

Friday 10 October 2025

Dear Parent/Carer

Mr Watkins and I very much enjoyed starting the week off sampling a large number of cakes, as ever there were some extremely impressive entries, making it very hard to choose. Some clever entries combining fruit and chocolate to try and win the votes of us both and even the addition of a Curly Wurly following an assembly involving them earlier this term!

The children were very excited to learn of the winners this morning, with many having their own opinion of the best cakes having bought them earlier in the week. Thank you again to everyone who entered or who bought cakes and congratulations to the winners below:

FS/KS1

1st place – Mark

2nd place – Chloe M

3rd place – Zofia

KS2

1st place - Ezra

2nd place – Emilia BM

Joint 3rd place – Emilia K & Rosie George

I am pleased that, thanks to a significant donation by the PSA (yes the cake sales, discos and fairs do really help the school as well as being enjoyable), I have placed the order for our new climbing frame to be installed. This will please many children and hopefully stop the questions about it. Hopefully next year we can find a space and some more money to allow the purchase of some monkey bars.

School times

As we head into the colder, darker months, I thought it would be useful to remind parents that we school starts at 8:45am, children should arrive then and go into their classrooms ready for register at 8:55am. If children are not in class by this time, they may receive a late mark, arriving after 9:10am will result in your child being marked absent for the morning session.

School finishes at 3:15pm, we have a 5 minute grace period before the children are taken to the main office to allow us to manage these children safely and ensure parents are contacted quickly. If you are running late, you must contact the office. If you are repeatedly collecting your child late we will record this and may use this as evidence to refer to other agencies.

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