



New Road Primary and Nursery School

# Headteacher Update

Monday 10<sup>th</sup> November 2025

Dear Parents, Carers, and Children,

Remembrance, courage and service are in our hearts and minds this week. As a school we encourage all our children to respect service men and women; and to be proud of our country's history and values.

## Honouring Remembrance Sunday: Our School Stands Proud

On Sunday, our school was honoured to be represented by both staff and pupils at Whittlesey's Remembrance Sunday Parade—a moving and important occasion that brought our community together in reflection and gratitude.

Dressed smartly and standing tall, our pupils joined local organisations, veterans, and residents in paying tribute to those who have served and sacrificed for our country.



Their respectful presence and thoughtful participation were a credit to the school and a reflection of the values we hold dear.

We were especially proud to see our pupils who are members of **Brownies and Cubs taking part in their uniforms**, standing tall and representing their groups with pride. It was also wonderful to see **former pupils now serving in the Cadets**, continuing their journey of service and leadership.

Thank you to all families who supported the event. It was a powerful reminder of the importance of remembrance, and our school was proud to play a part.

*Lest we forget.*

A list of future term dates is below. Thank you for supporting our school we are proud of your children and all they achieve.

Kindest regards,

**Mr Rob Litten**



## Term Dates 2025/2026

<b>Monday 10<sup>th</sup> November</b>	Year 5 Bikeability week
<b>Monday 10<sup>th</sup> November</b>	Anti-Bullying Week – Odd Socks Day
<b>Friday 14<sup>th</sup> November</b>	Children in Need.
<b>Monday 10<sup>th</sup> of November</b>	Parents Evening 3.30pm to 6.00pm
<b>Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> November</b>	Parents Evening 3.30pm to 6.00pm
<b>Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> November</b>	Year 5 and 6 Remembrance Service, St Mary’s Church, 1.45pm
<b>Friday 14<sup>th</sup> November</b>	Friends of New Road School, 3.30pm. A meeting to begin planning for the school’s summer fete 2026.
<b>Friday 21<sup>st</sup> November</b>	Year 5/6 A Question of Sport
<b>Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> November</b>	Flu vaccination in school
<b>Friday 28<sup>th</sup> November</b>	Year 5/6 Netball Tournament
<b>Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> December</b>	Pantomime visit to school, Rapunzel.
<b>Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> December</b>	Yr3 & Yr4 Birds of Prey visit to the school
<b>Monday 8<sup>th</sup> December</b>	Nativity, Reception Classes at 2.30pm, save the date
<b>Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> December</b>	Christingle, Y3,4,5 and 6, St Mary’s Church, 10am
<b>Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> December</b>	Nativity, Reception Classes at 9.30am, save the date
<b>Friday 12<sup>th</sup> December</b>	Table Tennis Tournament
<b>Friday 12<sup>th</sup> December</b>	Rock Steady Concert
<b>Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> December</b>	Whittlesey Christmas Extravaganza
<b>Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> December</b>	Christmas Lunch
<b>Friday 19<sup>th</sup> December</b>	Christmas Jumper/Dress Down Day and Class Party - last day of term!

<p><b>1<sup>st</sup> Term 2025</b>  Monday 1<sup>st</sup> September Professional Day (Closed to pupils)  Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> September Professional Day (Closed to pupils)  Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> September – Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> October  Friday 24<sup>th</sup> October Professional Day (Closed to pupils)  <b>Half Term</b>  Monday 27<sup>th</sup> October – Friday 31<sup>st</sup> October</p>	<p><b>2<sup>nd</sup> Term 2025</b>  Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> November – Friday 19<sup>th</sup> December  <b>Half Term</b>  Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> December - Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> January</p>
<p><b>3<sup>rd</sup> Term 2026</b>  Monday 5<sup>th</sup> January – Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> February  Friday 13<sup>th</sup> February Professional Day (Closed to Pupils)  <b>Half Term</b>  Monday 16<sup>th</sup> February – Friday 20<sup>th</sup> February</p>	<p><b>4<sup>th</sup> Term 2026</b>  Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> February – Friday 27<sup>th</sup> March  <b>Half Term</b>  Monday 30<sup>th</sup> March – Friday 10<sup>th</sup> April</p>
<p><b>5<sup>th</sup> Term 2026</b>  Monday 13<sup>th</sup> April - Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> May  Monday 4<sup>th</sup> May (May Day School Closed)  <b>Half Term</b>  Monday 25<sup>th</sup> May - Friday 29<sup>th</sup> May</p>	<p><b>6<sup>th</sup> Term 2026</b>  Monday 1<sup>st</sup> June – Friday 17<sup>th</sup> July  Monday 20<sup>th</sup> July Professional Day (Closed to pupils)</p>