



**Friday 27th March 2026**

**Absence Reporting** Please report your child's absence to the school office via telephone or via text message to **07891 274 260**

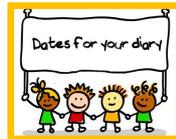
### SCHOOL DAY REMINDER

Please can we remind families and pupils that the normal school day begins at **8.45am** and the gates will open automatically at **8.30am** (no need to press the buzzer). If the gates do open for children in boosters, visitors or staff before this time please remain at the gates and do not enter the playground. Many thanks



### SPRING TERM DIARY DATES

Please find below a list of events that will be taking place during this term;



- 30.03.2026 Y4 Drumming Performance 2.30pm**
- 01.04.2026 Easter Bonnet Competition Day!**
- 01.04.2026 Rock Steady Concert 2pm**
- 02.04.2026 End of Term**
- 03.04.2026 School Closed for Easter Break**
- 03.04.2026 Good Friday**
- 20.04.2026 School Opens**
- 22.04.2026 Y1 Yorkshire Wildlife Park**
- 30.04.2026 Y5 Grinton Lodge**
- 30.04.2026 Reception Height and Weight**
- 30.04.2026 Spring Celebration Lunch Menu**
- 04.05.2026 May Bank Holiday**
- 11.05.2026 Y6 SAT's**
- 20.05.2026 Rec & Y6 Photos**

### RECEPTION

This week, we have been exploring the traditional tale of *Little Red Riding Hood*. We looked closely at the different characters and even created our own story maps to retell the story in our own way.



In maths, we have been learning about doubles. We enjoyed singing the "doubles song," which helped us remember some of our number doubles.



### YEAR 3

Year 3 have been exploring different religions and celebrations recently. We had a look into how people celebrate Ramadan and what activities they take part in. The children showed a great level of curiosity which was lovely to see.



### YEAR 2

This week we have had an art drop down day, exploring the works of Sheila Fell and LS Lowry. We have experimented with water colours and acrylic paint and have had lots of fun!



### YEAR 1

On Friday 20th March, Year 1 attended the ninth annual Little Sing for Key Stage 1. This is an immersive Musical Experience for children, where they are the performers as well as the audience. There was a band made up of brilliant ArtForms Music teachers who presented the activities, led and accompanied the songs. The theme was the sea and there were instrument playing lobsters and singing mermaids to help with the songs! We even got to play percussion in time to the music and everyone had great fun!





### PARENT VIEW QUESTIONNAIRE

There is still time to take part in completing our short questionnaire using the link below. Your feedback plays an important role in helping us review and develop areas that matter most to our school community. All completed entries will be entered into a prize draw for a chance to win a £20 voucher.



Thank you for taking the time to share your views with us.  
[February 2026 Parent View – Fill out form](#)

### EGG-CITING EVENTS!

FOPS are holding an Easter Bonnet Competition! Design and create your Easter Bonnet and bring them into school on Wednesday 1st to be judged!

There will be 1 winner for each year group and the winners will be announced on Thursday 2nd April.

We also have an Easter Egg Raffle for amazing Easter prizes!. Tickets are available on the playground most mornings and afternoons at pick up and drop off times.

The tickets are £1 a strip and we have 3 fabulous prizes.



### YEAR 4

This week, we have been exploring the fascinating journey of food through the digestive system. The children showed great enthusiasm as they created their own models of the key organs, including the intestines, helping them to visualise how each part plays an important role.

To bring their learning to life, the class took part in a hands-on activity where they simulated the digestive process, passing food through the system from the stomach and into the large intestine. This practical experience helped deepen their understanding of how nutrients are absorbed and how waste is eventually removed from the body.



# OPEN TRAINING SESSION

TUE 7TH APRIL | 6:15 - 8PM | LEEDS BECKETT UNIVERSITY

NIC LEEDS RHINOS NETBALL ARE INVITING YOU TO OUR OPEN TRAINING SESSION AT LEEDS BECKETT UNIVERSITY

- WATCH THE RHINOS NSL SQUAD TRAIN
- MEET STARS FROM THE 2026 RHINOS SQUAD
- GRAB A SELFIE WITH THE ONE AND ONLY RONNIE THE RHINO
- ON SITE PARKING (SUBJECT TO AVAILABILITY)

SCAN TO REGISTER YOUR INTEREST



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# FOPS EASTER BONNET COMPETITION

**DESIGN AND MAKE AN  
EASTER BONNET.**

**1 WINNER PER YEAR GROUP!**

**BRING YOUR CREATIONS TO SCHOOL  
ON WEDNESDAY 1<sup>ST</sup> APRIL**

**Winners to be announced on  
Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> April 2026**



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# *Need Your help!*

As part of making our playtimes more exciting for all our children, we are on a mission to collect anything and everything we can for them to play with. Are you planning to have a clear out before Christmas? Please keep us in mind  
We would really appreciate donations of the following things:

**Gardening things**

**Den Building Equipment**

**Mud Kitchen**

**Things to make music outside**

**Water Play**

**'Wheels' Scooters, go karts etc**

**Sand-Pit**

**Dressing up clothes and accessories**

**Small World**

**Construction Toys**

