



Executive Head Teacher: Melanie Smallwood

Head of School: Karen Lintin

Dear Parents & Carers

23/1/2026

*Please see important dates and information below for the coming weeks.*

**Important dates:**

Date	Event
30 <sup>th</sup> January	Pre-school stay and play
10 <sup>th</sup> February	Rock and Rapid Residential and Statutory Times table screening Parent Meeting 3.00pm (Information to follow)
13 <sup>th</sup> February	Weighing and measuring Reception and Year 6
16 <sup>th</sup> - 20 <sup>th</sup> February	Half-term
23 <sup>rd</sup> February	First day of Spring term 2
25 <sup>th</sup> February	St Georges House Residential parent meeting and SAT's meeting 3pm (Information to follow)
27 <sup>th</sup> February	Visiting cricket coach KS2
2 <sup>nd</sup> March	Space and light Odessey visit KS2 (Information to follow)
4 <sup>th</sup> March	Parent Forum meeting at 2.15pm
4 <sup>th</sup> March	London Residential Parent Meeting at 3.00pm (Information to follow)
5 <sup>th</sup> March	World Book Day
20 <sup>th</sup> March	Sport Relief Day
1 <sup>st</sup> - 2 <sup>nd</sup> April	Y5 London Residential
20 <sup>th</sup> April	First Y3&Y5 swimming lesson (Information to follow)
20 <sup>th</sup> April-24 <sup>th</sup> April	Y6 St Georges House Residential
23 <sup>rd</sup> -24 <sup>th</sup> April	Y4 Rock and Rapid
April	Bikeability Y4 Level 1 (Information to follow)
June	Bikeability Y5/6 Level 2 (Information to follow)
17 <sup>th</sup> June	Codden and Taw stay and play sports 9am-10am
23 <sup>rd</sup> June	KS1 sports afternoon
25 <sup>th</sup> June	KS2 sports afternoon
9 <sup>th</sup> & 10 <sup>th</sup> July	Park school Y6 taster days

**Don't forget to access your child's home learning weekly via the school website, or click [here](#)!**

**Please see the Spring Term Munch Time Menu via our school website, [here](#).**

### Parent forum

This half terms parent forum was well attended, and we were able to allocate a parent representative for each year group. We will be holding our next meeting on Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> at 2.15pm. The agenda will include a toilet improvement working part and work done in school to support online safety and how parents can support at home.

### Checking for Headlice

Please ensure that you are regularly check your children for headlice as we have had a reported case in school. A Government advice link for school information.

<https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/head-lice-and-nits/>

### Residentials 2026 - Updates

Parents meetings have been set for each trip (see information above) this will give you the opportunity to find out more about what is happening during the residential and ask any questions you may have.

Please see the meeting dates for the residentials listed below...

**Y4 Rock & Rapid Residential - 10/2/26**

**Y5 London Residential - 4/3/26**

**Y6 St Georges House Residential (+SATS) - 25/2/26**



### Y3&5 Swimming

Swimming for year 3 and 5 will commence **after the Easter holidays**. Parents will be provided with more details nearer the time.

### Y6 Leavers Hoodies

Thank you for completing the online form and paying the deposit for your child's Y6 Leavers hoodie. Once the order is placed and confirmed we will add the remaining payment to Eduspot/SchoolMoney. An email will be sent out to Y6 parents with the details of this very soon.

### Term dates 2026/2027

2026/2027 Term dates have been added to our school website [here](#).

## Two Rivers Federation Governing Board - VACANCIES

We have **two** vacancies on our Two Rivers Governing Board.

Two Rivers Federation consists of both, **Bishops Tawton Primary School** and **Langtree Community School & Nursery Unit**.

We are looking for more representation from the parents/community of Langtree and would like for at least one of the two vacancies to be filled by a Langtree representative. However, we welcome interest and will equally consider candidates from both schools.

The governing body meet in-person at either school, six times in an academic year and twice a term online for committee meetings. If you have some time to give and believe that you have something to offer the governing board, please do get in touch, we'd love to hear from you!

Please see our school page for more information or email the clerk if you have any questions...

Website: [Bishops Tawton Primary School - Governors](#)

Email: [clerk@tworiversfederation.org](mailto:clerk@tworiversfederation.org)

Please check the "**Events and Holiday Activities**" page on our school website [here](#) for fun local clubs, activities and events happening in the community.

**Have a great weekend!**