



Newsletter

Thursday 12 February 2026

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Parents' Evenings – 5 March & 10 March 2026

Similarly to arrangements in November, the school will be undertaking Parents' Evening Appointments for parents and carers shortly after the coming half-term. As part of this process, arrangements have been made to allow yourselves as parents and carers to book a teacher appointment for our upcoming Parent Evenings (from 4.00pm – 6.30pm on either Thursday 5 March or Tuesday 10 March) via 'ParentMail', the school's electronic communications platform. To this end, the appointment booking window will open in **Parentmail – Parents Evenings** later today from 6.00pm for you to select a convenient appointment with your child's teacher. During both evenings, the short, bookable appointment which takes place between your child's teacher and yourselves will follow on from a more extended opportunity for you to look through your child's learning and work within their class setting prior to the meeting.

Lydgate Infant School Breakfast Club

Please note that we have expanded our school's Breakfast Club provision (open each weekday from 7.45am) recently – feel free to take a look at the attached flyer and contact the school office if you are interested in booking a place for your child.

Children's Mental Health Week (9 – 15 February)

Schools all over the country have been focussing upon pupil Well-Being activities as part of Children's Mental Health Week this week, with its theme of 'This is my Place', and we are no exception. Please find a link below to additional resources accessible to all as part of this event:

<https://www.childrensmentalhealthweek.org.uk/>

World Book Day Vouchers

Please note that your child should have brought home a World Book Day Voucher in her or his bookbag today (which can be used in bookshops from today until mid-March), as part of this event which takes place on Thursday 5 March.

Trans-Pennine Trail Holiday Activity Pack

We're excited to share our brand new **Kids' February Half-Term Activity Pack**, filled with fun nature themed activities, crafts, recipes and puzzles for families to enjoy during the holiday. It's a great way to inspire children to get creative, explore the outdoors, and learn more about the outdoors and the Trans-Pennine Trail.

Download it from our Children's page at: [TPT Activity Packs | Trans Pennine Trail](#)

Kung Hei Fat Choy!

Please may we take this opportunity to wish all parents and children a Happy Chinese New Year, as we enter the Year of the Fire Horse next week!

Headlice

Please could we request that all parents and carers take the opportunity to carefully check their child's hair over the coming holiday period, in order to ensure the issue of headlice is as controlled as possible within the school. This is best done with a plastic comb, available from local chemists. Thank you.

February Half-Term Holiday

Finally, a reminder that the school closes at the end of the school day tomorrow (Friday 13 February) for the February Half-Term break. The school will **re-open to pupils on Monday 23 February**.

March

Thursday 5
4pm-6.30pm
Parents'
Evening

Thursday 5
World Book
Day ('Curl Up
with a
Favourite
Book' pyjama
non-uniform
day)

Friday 6
'Sponsored
Bounce' LISA
event in school
(more info to
follow soon!)

Tuesday 10
4pm-6.30pm
Parents'
Evening

Friday 20 Red
Nose Day
(Comic Relief
non-uniform
day)