

9th January 2026



Puttenham
Church of England School

Dear parents and carers,



Happy New Year and welcome back to the spring term! I hope you all had a wonderful Christmas.

We are looking forward to the spring term and hoping the weather will warm up, however exciting it was to see some flurries of snow earlier this week! The children have returned very well from the Christmas break with lots of news about their lovely presents.



Our week started with an Epiphany assembly, celebrating the Wise Men's visit to Jesus. We talked about the special gifts they gave to Jesus. We also discussed the gifts we have been given by God and how we can use them to fulfil our new year goals. You may have also noticed a chalked sign above the class doors **20+C+M+B+26**. This is an Epiphany blessing which reminds us of the Wise Men's visit but also warmly welcomes anyone who comes to or visits Puttenham School.

The children have been very excited to learn about their new topics this term. Please see the attached class letter and curriculum overview for the spring term. These are very useful to help you support your child's learning. They will also be available on ClassDojo and our school website under the curriculum/class pages tab

<https://www.puttenhamschool.co.uk/curriculum/class-pages>

Dates for your diary

Please see the 'key dates for your diaries' box for this term for key events such as parent/teacher meetings and Easter events.

Have a lovely weekend,
Miss De Filippis

BOOGIEPUMPS

On Tuesday we had a Boogiepumps assembly. Please see the email sent on Wednesday or their website www.boogiepumps.co.uk/farnham for further details of the after school club. They are offering a free trial when club starts next week for those who are interested in joining.



RECEPTION & YEAR 3 SCHOOL APPLICATIONS

Please remember to apply for your reception and junior school place. The deadline for applications is

Thursday 15th January 2026

<https://www.surreycc.gov.uk/schools-and-learning/schools/admissions>

INFORMATION FOR PARENTS

THE DIGITAL WORLD

Please see document which we have received from the Children's Commissioner

<https://www.childrenscommissioner.gov.uk/resource/what-i-wish-my-parents-or-carers-knew-a-guide-for-parents-and-carers-on-managing-childrens-digital-lives/>

Headteacher's awards **and house points** **Stars of the week**



Hedgehog class: Cole and Emeline

Rabbit class: Orla and Jack P

Fox class: Jemima and Arthur

Values award: Ray for Wisdom and Love

Lunchtime stars: Bertie and Sienna

House points: Fox class

Well done to you all!

KEY DATES FOR YOUR DIARIES

HALF TERM

Monday 16th February – Friday 20th February

INSET DAY

Monday 23rd February

COME & SEE MY LEARNING FOLLOWED BY MOTHER'S DAY ASSEMBLY

Friday 13th March 8.45am

PARENT TEACHER MEETINGS

Tuesday 24th March 3.15pm – 6.00pm

Thursday 26th March 4.00pm – 7.00pm

EASTER CHURCH SERVICE

Friday 27th March 9.15am

BREAK UP FOR EASTER HOLIDAYS

Friday 27th March **1.00pm**

INSET DAY

Monday 13th April

SUMMER TERM STARTS

Tuesday 14th April