



Melling News

SPRING TERM 25th MARCH 2026



LAST WEEK OF TERM: I still cannot believe that this is our last week of Spring term – what a busy few weeks we have had. We finish for the Easter holiday on Friday 27th March at 1.30pm (DON'T FORGET THE CLOCKS GO BACK ON SATURDAY 28th MARCH) Happy Easter to all of our families!

DATES FOR DIARY

-FRIDAY 27th MARCH BREAK UP FOR EASTER 1.30pm

- Monday 13th April – return to school
- Monday 13th April to Friday 17th April Y5 Bikeability week
- Monday 4th May – School closed
- Bank Holiday Monday**
- Monday 11th – Thursday 14th May Y6 SATs – NO HOLIDAYS TO BE BOOKED
- FRIDAY 23RD MAY – BREAK UP FOR HALF TERM HOLIDAY**

SPORTS NEWS

With the improving weather, we have had a lot of school sport going on this last half term. Football matches have seen 2 draws for the boys team and a win and a loss for the girls. Last week, we took part in the Maghull and District Tag Rugby tournament and finished as deserved overall winners with 4 wins and a draw. The team played some great rugby and it was a brilliant skilful effort from the squad of Jack, Will, Henry, Miles, Georgie, Olivia, Thomas, Fran and Heidi. Also a huge well done to our swimming squad who competed in the gala. The squad of Georgie, Ethan, Will, Isla, Lillia, Heidi, John and Seth had all got their places in the team following time trials and performed confidently in both individual races and relays. Will won the individual backstroke and along with the rest of the boys' team, ended up winning the shield for 1st place out of 12 schools. Thank you to everyone for the proud way you represent the school at these events



END OF TERM PARENT/CARER QUESTIONNAIRE

Please do spend some time (10 mins max) completing our questionnaire.

A FOND FAREWELL TO MRS TOBORNE

This week we have said our farewells to Mrs Toborne, who is starting a new chapter in her teaching career. Mrs Toborne has worked in Melling for 13 years and has been a class teacher in Y3, Y6 and Y4. Her passion for teaching and helping all children learn to the best of their ability has been evident in all that she has given to Melling. Her love of literacy and the English language has had an impact across the school and for many generations of children who have been lucky enough to have been taught by her. We will be left with so many happy memories of Lynn, her Christmas plays and Y6 productions are legendary! As a school and a staff we have been blessed to have worked alongside such a dedicated teacher. Mrs Toborne we will miss you very much, please don't lose touch – enjoy your next adventure and know that you have helped hundreds of Melling children be the best that they can be!



EASTER HAS ARRIVED EARLY IN MELLING

MELLING PRE-SCHOOL CONTACT DETAILS
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NEW WEBSITE

Our new-look website is launched on Friday 27th March. The website address is still the same, but the look of the website is different as it is with a new provider. Please bear with us whilst we get used to the new format.

ATTENDANCE MATTERS

CLASS ATTENDANCE % SPRING TERM			
YR	94.9	Y3	94
Y1	95.6	Y4	96.3
Y2	95.8	Y5	97.7
Holidays of 5 days or more will incur a penalty fine.		Y6	94.5

Be an Attendance Hero...



Here Every day Ready On time

HOLIDAYS OF 5 DAYS OR MORE WILL NOT BE AUTHORISED AND WILL LEAD TO A FINE

BBC

Is your child finding it hard to make friends?

The award-winning makers of *The Dog House* are casting for a brand-new BBC series about friendship.

We are looking for children aged 5 to 8 from all over the UK who need a little help navigating the world of friendship. Over three days, a team of child psychologists will help them build the social skills and confidence to make real, lasting connections with other kids.

If you'd like to help your child make a new friend (with no pressure to take part), please apply at:

bemyfriend.tv

KEEP BRITAIN TIDY BE THE BEST TEAM & ECO WARRIORS



Huge well done to our Be the Best Team and Eco Warriors for helping to keep Rainbow Park tidy!!!

BREAKFAST CLUB AND DOLPHIN (AFTER SCHOOL) CLUB BOOKINGS: ALL BOOKINGS MUST BE MADE USING PARENTPAY – BOOKINGS CAN BE MADE UP TO 3pm ON THE DAY BEFORE A PLACE IS REQUIRED

BE THE BEST THAT YOU CAN BE...BE PROUD



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