

SUMMER TERM

19 June 2026



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School Newsletter

Message from the Head Teacher

Dear Parents and Carers,

A huge thank you to everyone who supported our Sports Day. It was wonderful to see so many families cheering on the children and helping to make the day such a success. Most importantly, it was fantastic to see the children encouraging and supporting one another throughout the events, demonstrating great teamwork and sportsmanship.

Special thanks go to our Year 6 Sports Crew for all their hard work and enthusiasm, and to Mrs Grizzell for organising such a successful event. I would also like to thank all of our staff for their dedication and support in ensuring the day ran smoothly. Thank you to FoCS for providing refreshments.

This afternoon, it was lovely to welcome Dads, Grandads and Uncles into Nursery to celebrate Father's Day. The children thoroughly enjoyed sharing this special time with their families.

It has been another busy day today, with interviews taking place. We are looking forward to sharing the outcome with you early next week.

Thank you, as always, for your continued support.

Have a lovely weekend.

God Bless,

Mrs Jones

VALUE OF THE MONTH

WISDOM

"Wisdom is more precious than rubies; nothing you desire can compare with her."

Proverbs 3:15



June

School Calendar

- 23 - Nursery and Maple Class to Sea Life Centre
- 24 - Y6 Chase Transition Day
- 25 - Y6 Dyson Perrins School Transition Day
- 26 - Y5 Athletics Taster Day at The Chase
- 26 - New Reception Transition Afternoon 1.00pm
- 27 - Cradley Village Fete
- 30 - Y5 to Dyson Perrins Taster Morning

July

- 2 - Y6 JMHS & QEHS Transition Day
- 3 - New Reception Transition Afternoon 1.00pm
- 6 - Parents Forum
- 7 - Y5 Taster Day at JMHS
- 7 & 8 - KS2 Play
- 9 - Birch Class to Birmingham Museum
- 10 - Nursery Leavers Service & Teddy Bears Picnic
- 13 - Move Up Day



Music Lessons At Cradley

**PIANO, CLARINET,
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SINGING LESSONS**



**FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE
CONTACT ELIZABETH BENNETT**

elizabethbennettmusic@gmail.com



Guitar & Ukelele Lessons
with Tom Doherty

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Attendance



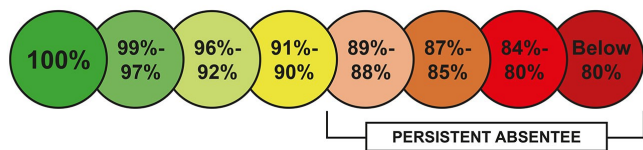
Well done to Birch Class who have had 97.14% attendance this week! Please can we remind parents that **arrivals after 8.50am are counted as late and are included in attendance figures.**

Maple Class	96.43%
Sycamore Class	95.73%
Birch Class	97.14%
Oak Class	96.42%

Whole school 96.43%

ATTENDANCE MATTERS

On Time: First Time, Every Time



Which CIRCLE are you in?

**STORRIDGE, CRADLEY & MATHON
TEENY TOTS PLAY GROUP**

Join us for play, singing and nature walks
Thursdays during term time
Children aged 0-5 years
10:30 am - 12:00 noon
Only £2 per family,
Includes a drink and a snack.

At the Scout Hut in Cradley
The Old Rectory Rooms, Churchfields Lane, Cradley,
Herefordshire WR13 5LL
Call Rachel with any questions 07790890183
Parents/carers are responsible for their children at all times.



Friends of Cradley School (FOCS)



Friends of Cradley School

Spring/Summer events



Disco!



Friday 6th February
6pm-8pm

£4 per child. Please bring change.
Tuck shop, glow stall, quiet room,
hot dogs and a bar (for the
grown-ups!)

Marshmallow Fridays

Friday 13th February and Friday
27th March @ 3:15pm in the
Playground.

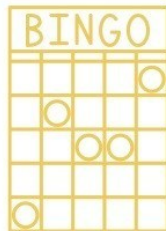


Hot chocolate and sweet treats for
sale; **please bring change.**
More dates will follow in the Summer
term.

HAPPY EASTER

**Whole school Easter
colouring competition &
name the bunny
competition for
nursery**

£2 per entry - all
entries in by Friday 20th
March



Family Bingo Night

Friday 20th March, doors open
6pm and eyes down at 6:30pm
More details to follow from the
School Office. FOCS will be selling
refreshments.

**Non-uniform Day
Friday 13th March**
in exchange for a
raffle prize for the
Bingo evening

Sponsored Run

Saturday 9th May

We are so excited
for this!
Sponsored family
fun run.
More details to
follow but please
save the date!



Sports Day

Tuesday 16th June

FOCS will be selling
refreshments
throughout the event.

Cradley Village Fayre

Saturday 27th June

FOCS will have a stall. Please
come along and support this
brilliant village event. Look
out for details advertised
locally.

School Summer Fayre

From 3:15pm on Friday
10th July

Lots of stalls,
refreshments and of
course the inflatables!

**Whole School Tea
Towel design**
Look out in the
Summer Term for
details of how to
order your keepsake
and raise funds for
FOCS.



Clubs

Below is the list of extra-curricular clubs available to children this term.

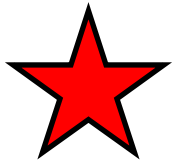
Club	Day/Time	Years	Member of Staff
Multi-skills	Monday 3.15-4.00pm	Yrs R-3	Ms Creek
Choir – KS2	Monday 3.15-4.00pm	Yrs 3-6	Miss Hughes
Gardening	Tuesday 3.15-4.00pm	Yrs 3-6	Mrs Jones
Football	Wednesday 3.15-4.15pm	Yrs 4-6	JH Football Coaching
Drawing	Thursday 3.15-4.00pm	Yrs 2-4	Mrs Galvin
Rounders	Thursday 3.15-4.00pm	Yrs 5-6	Mr Probert
Bikes and Scooters	Friday 3.15-4.00pm	Yrs R-1	Mrs Theakston

To ensure these clubs remain positive, safe and enjoyable for everyone, it is essential that children meet our expectations for behaviour at all times. Any child who does not meet behaviour expectations may be withdrawn from the club.

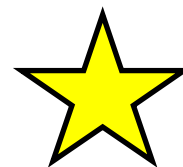
Children must also ensure they:

- have appropriate sports kit or PE kit including trainers
- bring the correct equipment as necessary
- follow instructions and show respect to staff and other pupils.

Many thanks for your continued support.



WEEKLY AWARDS



HAZEL CLASS

Friendship Award
Stars of the Week

Leah

Gabriel for increased engagement in our weekly PE session.
Wren for being a superstar during Sports Day.

MAPLE CLASS

Friendship Award
Star of the Week

Molly

Bobby for an amazing improvement in her reading and fluency.

SYCAMORE CLASS

Friendship Award
Star of the Week

Oliver

Ruby for taking pride in her work and presenting it beautifully.

BIRCH CLASS

Friendship Award
Stars of the Week

Lottie

William for taking such pride and care in the presentation of his work.

Aidan for showing fantastic creativity, curiosity and enthusiasm for learning at home.

OAK CLASS

Friendship Award
Stars of the Week

Hayden

Elena for her excellent performing skills in English.

Rowan for his enthusiasm and responsible approach during tennis.

HEAD TEACHER'S AWARD

Jenson for always having great behaviour and manners and being an amazing role model.

Ayvah for supporting younger children in sports day practice.



Nursery News



We all had a lovely morning on Tuesday as we joined the rest of the school for our annual Sports Day. The children were all superstars as they took part in a selection of races alongside their nursery friends. They showed determination, perseverance and all tried their very best as they made it across the finish line.

In between breaks, they were treated to some chilled watermelon as they cheered on older friends and siblings.

Back in nursery, we have continued learning more about what we might find Under and also On the Sea. Creatively, they have been making tissue paper squared turtles and handprint fishes, whilst their imaginations have come alive in the sensory treasure island tray, complete with pirates and gold coins.

Today we have welcomed Dads, Grandads and other important male role models into nursery to celebrate Father's Day with a sporty themed afternoon of fun and games.

Maple Class



Maple Class really enjoyed their trip to the park this week as a reward for filling their marble jar!

Sycamore Class



Class 2 have worked so hard this week researching sea turtles and writing a fact file for their 'Big Write'



Sycamore Class

Here are some more pictures from our brilliant riding trip last week.



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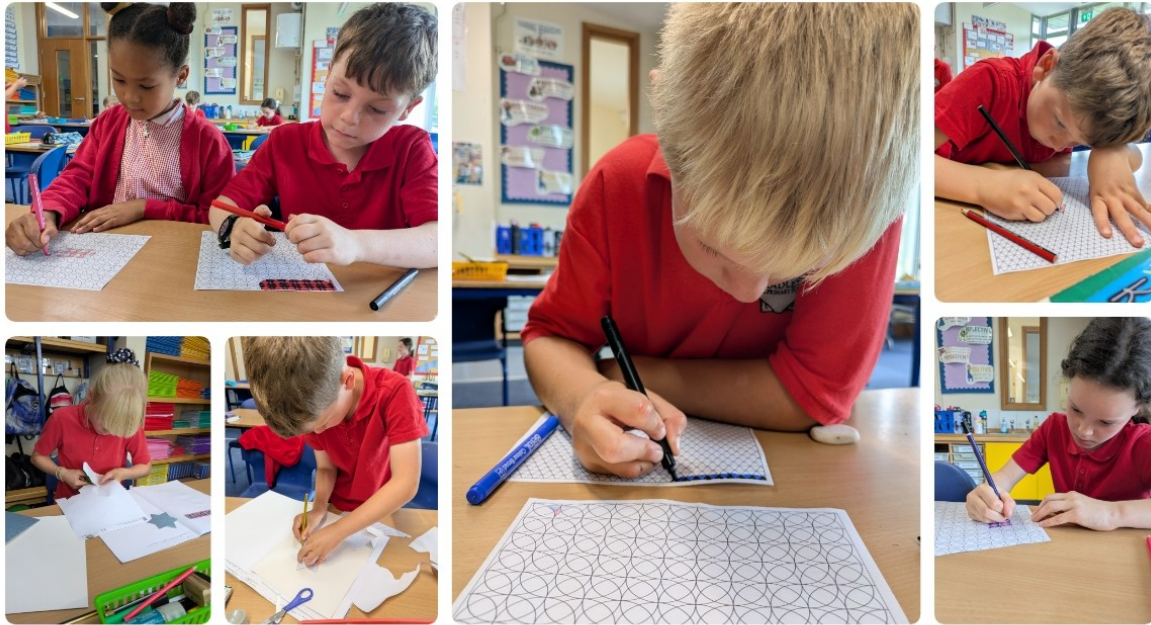
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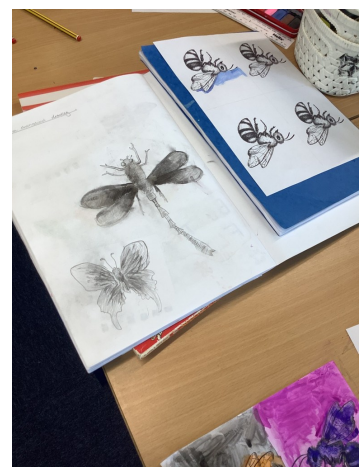
Birch Class

This week in Art, Birch Class have been creating their own repeated motif.



Oak Class

Oak Class enjoyed their Art lesson this week!





Teeny Tots Stay & Play Group

☀️ **We Need a New Volunteer!** ☀️

Would you like to support your local community?

Teeny Tots Stay & Play is looking for someone enthusiastic to **run our toddler group from September.**

📍 **Serving:** Cradley, Storridge, Mathon & surrounding areas

📅 **When:** Thursday mornings (term time)

🕒 **Time:** 10:30am - 12pm

🏠 **Where:** Cradley Scout Hut

Why It Matters

This group has been a cherished part of the community for **decades**. It would be such a shame to lose this valuable space for local families.

Interested in Volunteering?

Please contact **Rachel** on **07790890183**.

Your help could keep this wonderful group thriving! 🌈

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2026

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Sunshine Festival Local School Family Offer

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To book, visit www.thatsthetickets.co.uk, add your adult, teen and child tickets to your basket, and enter coupon code **FAMILYFUN** at checkout.

Find out more at www.uptonfestival.co.uk or follow Sunshine Festival on Facebook at www.facebook.com/thesunshinefestival.

Offer subject to availability and limited allocation. Cannot be applied retrospectively to existing bookings. All under-18s must attend with a responsible parent or guardian.

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PACHANGO / KAYCO / MICE IN A MATCHBOX
MILLY MASON / THE DIDGERIDOO MAN

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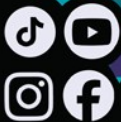
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CRADLEY SUMMER FESTIVAL

27 June 2026

at

Queenswood

Fete 11am - 5pm

Including old favourites: Novelty Dog Show, craft stalls, bouncy castle

NEW this year: Climbing Wall, Superhero/Princess Meet & Greet,
Party Games in the Arena and more...

Refreshments: Bar, Coffee63, Wheelie Good Pizzas, Hog Roast, refreshment tent

Rock and Folk Concert 7.30pm

with Accolade

Refreshments: Bar, Hooked&Cooked

Advance tickets: £3 for the Fete, £8 for the concert

(£4 and £10 on the gate)

Children **FREE**

