



NEWS & VIEWS

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Headteacher: Mr R Watson



Headteacher's Comment:

Dear Parents and Carers,

Last week, we were delighted to conclude a successful Ofsted inspection. It provided a fantastic opportunity to showcase the progress our school has made over the past few years. I would like to thank you for your positive comments following last week's newsletter—it's clear that you, too, recognise and value the positive changes we've worked hard to achieve.

I'm pleased to share with you some of our academic achievements from this academic year, for the children who have been formally assessed:

- **EYFS Outcomes:** Our Early Years Foundation Stage results have improved from last year, reflecting the strong foundations being laid in our youngest learners.
- **Phonics Screening:** The results are incredibly positive, particularly in the number of strong readers within the cohort. Remarkably, even if the national threshold had increased from 32 to 34, we would still have recorded the same high pass rate.
- **Multiplication Tables Check:** Our children performed exceptionally well, with both the average score and the number of pupils achieving 100% increasing from previous years. This puts them in a strong position as they move into upper Key Stage 2 maths.

To top off what has been a truly successful year, our **SATs results** were published this week. We've seen a significant improvement in outcomes, with our combined Reading, Writing, and Maths score increasing by 7% compared to previous years. There is also the potential for this figure to rise further, pending the outcome of some appeals we have submitted.

I could not be prouder of the progress, attainment, and opportunities our children have experienced over the last couple of years.

Next week, many of our Year 6 pupils will be heading off on their residential trip. I wish them all a fantastic time and encourage them to take good care of the staff who have generously volunteered their time—ideally by going to bed at 7:00 p.m. and enjoying a solid 12 hours of sleep! Huge thanks to Mrs Carey, Mrs Higgs, Mrs King, and Mr Yexley for making this experience possible.

Finally, a gentle reminder: we have recently had an increasing number of children being collected late from school. While I understand there have been occasional last-minute club cancellations and traffic issues any child still waiting in the office after 3:30 p.m. will be taken to after-school club, and charges will likely be applied to ParentPay accounts. Your cooperation in ensuring prompt collection is greatly appreciated.

Thank you again for your continued support throughout the year.



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Stars of the Week

RKH	RB	1A	1C	2Y
Florence	Nigel	Sophia	Marnie	Harrison R
3S	4C	5C	6C	6H
Noah A	Jacob C	Scarlett	George D	Mariam



Mr Watson's Superstar Award –

Our Year 6 children for surpassing our predictions and expectations this year.



Reading at Home

class	Table shows actual number and rounded percentages of children reading at home						% 3 and more	% 4 & 5	% not reading
	Times Read								
	0	1	2	3	4	5			
RB	5	2	1	2	3	3	47%	35%	29%
RKH	6	0	1	1	5	4	59%	53%	35%
1A	1	2	1	5	2	6	72%	44%	6%
1C	4	0	1	1	3	9	72%	67%	22%
2Y	0	1	1	9	9	7	93%	59%	0%
3S	3	0	1	15	1	7	85%	30%	11%
4C	4	0	2	8	8	5	84%	52%	16%
5C	4	0	0	9	4	13	90%	59%	14%
6C	12	0	0	6	2	1	43%	14%	60%
6H	7	0	1	10	1	3	64%	18%	32%



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Weekly Attendance

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Class	RKH	RB	1A	1C	2Y	Whole school
Attendance	97.6%	97.5%	96%	96.7%	93%	94.9%
Class	3S	4C	5C	6C	6H	
Attendance	94.1%	92.7%	94.3%	94.8%	96.4%	

1 st	2 nd	3 rd
RKH	RB	1C



Yearly Attendance

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Class	RKH	RB	1A	1C	2Y	Whole school
Attendance	93.6%	95.2%	90.6%	91.5%	91.5%	93.5%
Class	3S	4C	5C	6C	6H	
Attendance	92.8%	95.1%	94.2%	95%	95.7%	

1 st	2 nd	3 rd
6H	RB	4C

Literacy Word of the Week	Reception	Year 1	Year 2
	recycling	swirl	invisible
Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
acceptance	sarcophagus	preposition	gradually

Maths Word of the Week	Reception	Year 1	Year 2
	add and even	hour	grams
Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
numerals	statistic	negative	dual bar chart



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Diary Dates

Monday 14 July – Year 6 Residential

Wednesday 16 July – Reception Graduation 14.00 – parents welcome

Thursday 17 July – Reception picnic trip to King George's Park

Thursday 22 July – Year 6 Leavers Party 17.00 – 19.00

Wednesday 23 July – Last day of term



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COMING AUTUMN 2025

MUNCHKINS NURSERY
Meet Jo and Liz – the heart behind Munchkins Nursery & Preschool. As sisters and passionate early years educators, Jo and Liz have spent years building a trusted group of nurseries across Essex, each rooted in their shared vision of nurturing, child-led care. Their settings have consistently been voted some of the best nurseries in Essex, thanks to their natural, holistic approach to learning through play. With a deep belief in creating warm, home-from-home environments where every child can thrive, Jo and Liz continue to shape spaces where little ones feel loved, inspired, and truly seen.

WHAT WE OFFER
At Munchkins Nursery & Preschool Brentwood, we care for children aged 0–4 in a warm, homely setting where little ones can grow, explore, and thrive. We're open from 7:30am to 6:30pm, 51 weeks a year, we offer a flexible, nurturing environment with funded spaces available.

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