



Newsletter



Redfield Edge Primary School

Our school values...

Resilience
Compassion
Respect

'Striving to be the best version of ourselves.'

Thank You Friends of Redfield Edge 😊

We would like to extend a **huge** thank you to the Friends of Redfield Edge for their incredibly generous gift of 10 brand new iPads and a charging station for the school.

In the current climate, where school budgets are increasingly stretched, the support of charities such as the Friends is truly invaluable in helping us provide much-needed resources for our children.



The iPads will be used across the school as a valuable learning tool, allowing children to access interactive activities and reducing the need for paper and printing in lessons such as Maths. They will also support the development of important digital skills through coding, word processing and a range of educational software.

We would also like to thank the PTA for once again supplying the food and drink for this week's Year 6 SATs breakfast – a wonderful tradition at our school and a fantastic way for Oak class to begin each day during a busy and important week of exams.



In addition, the school has recently requested further Friends funding to enhance our art resources, improve our learning enquiry "interest boxes" filled with artefacts and topic-based resources, and extend subscriptions to online learning tools such as TT Rockstars and SPAG.com. These programmes provide children across all age ranges with valuable opportunities to practise and strengthen key skills both in school and at home.

We are extremely grateful for the continued support of the Friends and the positive impact they have on the experiences and opportunities we are able to offer our pupils.

Our very hard working Trustees of the Friends are stepping down from their roles and we are looking for parents who would like to take this on. If you are interested in being part of our PTA, please contact the school office.



Friday 5th June

Class Photos
(individual photos for Y6)



Learning in Holly Class

This week in Holly class, the children have had a very exciting mystery to solve! Their classroom was turned into a *crime scene* after discovering that someone had been sneaking around and causing mischief...

After examining the clues, the children became brilliant detectives and quickly realised the culprit was none other than Goldilocks!



To help the Three Bears, who even sent Holly class a special letter, the children created their very own Wanted Posters to try and track her down. The children loved using their imaginations and practicing their mark-making skills to describe Goldilocks.



In addition to our detective work, Holly class also got creative with clay, designing and making special bowls and spoons for Baby Bear – he was very grateful! And of course, they couldn't forget about the oats! The children have explored lots of fun sensory activities using oats, and it's been wonderful to see their curiosity and creativity shine.



What a "just right" week they have had in Holly class!



Tuesday 9th June

Open Classrooms
(3.30-4pm)



Willow Class Mini Production Ancient Egypt

On Thursday afternoon, the children in Willow class performed to their family and friends in their mini production all about Ancient Egypt.

The children have learnt so much about their learning enquiry this term – it was wonderful hearing all about it.



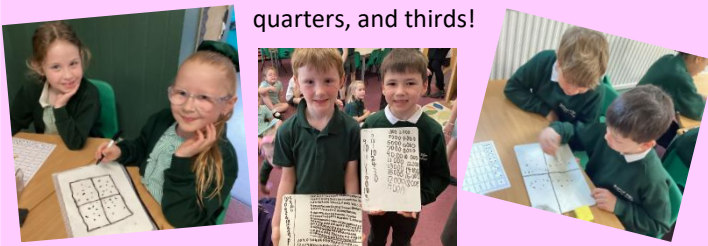
We would like to say a **special** well done to Year 3 as rehearsing this week has been tricky due to Year 6 SATs taking place in school. They have shown great resilience and patience – thank you guys! 😊

Learning in Pine Class

Recently in Pine class the children have been super busy. They have continued their learning in RE, acting out the steps of Wudu (the washing and cleansing process before saying prayers).



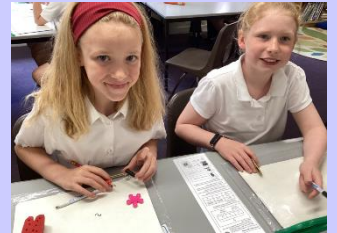
In Maths, Year 2 have been working hard in their fraction's unit. The children have learned to recognise and find halves, quarters, and thirds!



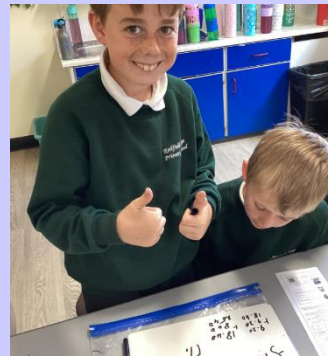
Behind the scenes, they have started to practice their class assembly which they are all very excited to perform!

Learning in Beech Class

Beech class have been busy at work in Maths this term! They have been learning about money - converting it from pounds to pence and estimating amounts. This week, they consolidated all of their learning by embarking on a challenge to solve problems.



Children battled against the clock to see how many problems they could solve involving money. They were brilliant at helping each other to answer tricky questions. There were some children who acted as the "master markers", overseeing problems children had answered and double checking for any errors. See if you can spot who they were, their faces may give them away!



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Learning in Hazel Class

**What does a Jewish festival look like?
Hazel Class welcomed a special visitor.**



This week, Year 1 had a very special visitor from the Jewish community. Mrs SB brought Challah bread and grape juice for the children to try. They lit candles, blessed the bread and juice, and Mrs SB recited a blessing in Hebrew. Volunteers had the opportunity to reenact the role of a Jewish parent and child during Shabbat.

All the children tasted the bread and juice and described the Challah bread as sweet and delicious. The children also had the opportunity to ask important questions about the significance of the Jewish faith. To deepen their understanding, they



Thursday 18th June

**New Parent Welcome Meeting
(Holly Class Sept 2026)**

After School Clubs (at) Redfield Edge Primary School



**Football Club – Now Open to ALL
Year Groups (including EYFS)**

Every Monday after school

Running for the whole of Term 6



Ultimate Frisbee – New for KS2

Every Tuesday after school

A brand-new club for KS2 pupils, running throughout Term 6.

CHECK WEBSITE FOR DETAILS

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**REDFIELD EDGE
PRIMARY SCHOOL**

**END OF YEAR
DRESS AS
YOU LIKE
DAY!**

17TH JULY 2026

TO RAISE
**MUCH NEEDED
FUNDS**
FOR THE SCHOOL.

MINIMUM
DONATION
£1

PAYMENT VIA
ARBOR SHOP



**Oak Class Cake Sale
£83.20**



Assembly Timetable

Thursday 21 st May	Year 2 Class Assembly
Thursday 11 th June	Holly Class Assembly
Thursday 25 th June	Year 1 Class Assembly
Tuesday 14 th July	Year 6 final production
Thursday 16 th July	Leavers Assembly (Y6)

Great Athletes

We are incredibly excited to be welcoming **Team GB Paralympic sprinter Katrina Hart** to Redfield Edge on **Friday 22nd May** as part of our upcoming **Great Athletes** event!

Katrina was born with cerebral palsy, which affects the left side of her body, and after her PE teacher spotted her talent at just 14 years old, she went on to compete for Great Britain at major international events — including the Paralympic Games twice!

Throughout the day, children will take part in sponsored fitness circuits before hearing Katrina's inspiring story in a special assembly and Q&A session. Children should come to school wearing their **PE kits and suitable footwear** ready for an energetic and exciting day!



Don't forget, if you haven't already, to set up your child's online fundraising page to help raise money for new sports equipment and support future athletes.




We can't wait for what promises to be a fantastic day full of inspiration, resilience and lots of fun!

KATRINA HART

is coming to our school

Scan to sponsor
Search our school

-  Get the children moving in a fun fitness circuit
-  Witness the strength, talent & resilience of a top athlete
-  Raise money for new sports equipment

DATE
Fri 22 May, 2026

TIME
9am

Amount raised so far!
£320.00



Friday 17th July

Last Day of Term 6

(Happy summer holidays!)



Oak Class sit their SATs

Miss Roach and I would like to start with saying how **incredibly proud** of Year 6 we are. The children in Oak class have worked so hard in preparation for their tests this week and the maturity, determination and resilience they have shown over the past four days has been excellent.

SATs are a measure of attainment and progress for individual children. The results are used by the school to review the education on offer and highlight next steps; they are used by secondary schools as a glimpse of the academic ability of children entering their setting and used nationally to rank schools.

What SATs simply cannot measure is how kind a child is, how creative they can be in their thinking or through music or art, how confident they are talking about their special interests which give them hours of fun, how technologically savvy they can be or how they care about younger children in their school.

SATs are a measure, but they do not measure the kind of person a child can grow up to be, what good citizens they can become and what success might look like for them.

Well done to all Year 6 children for this week – so much more to look forward to though including fundraising activities for London, end of year production and of course gathering lots of writing evidence!



Keep it up right to the end! 😊

Sports Day 2026


This year, Sports day will take place on Tuesday 30th June (weather permitting) with a reserve sports day set for Wednesday 1st July.

KS1 races will take place in the morning and KS2 races will take place in the afternoon.

We have separated the infants and juniors this year to reduce the amount of waiting around for the children and to ensure all children have a chance to participate in as many races they wish to as possible, without the events feeling rushed. Parents are welcome to come along and cheer their children on in both the morning and afternoon. The school will be closed to parents during the lunchtime for safety reasons.

More details will follow once we have confirmation from SBL regarding use of the field and track area. Please look out for this over the next couple of weeks.


Thank you 😊



Thursday 2nd July

Year 6

London Theatre Trip



Support for parents struggling with

EBSA

(Emotionally Based School Avoidance)

Join us for a coffee morning and supportive workshop designed for you.

This meeting is for you if your child is struggling with EBSA.

You are not alone. Come along to connect with other parents, share experiences and find practical support.

Meet other parents who understand

Share ideas, experiences and support

Enjoy a cuppa and a treat!

Understanding EBSA (Emotionally Based School Avoidance) - the context of the meeting

A supportive workshop for parents and carers

Is your child struggling with:

- School worries or anxiety?
- Difficult mornings?
- Emotional distress linked to school attendance?

Join us to explore:

- ★ What EBSA is
- ★ Why it happens
- ★ Practical strategies to support your child
- ★ Ways school and home can work together

Date:
9th June

Time:
9-10am

Location:
School Hall

Open to all parents and carers

Tea and coffee provided

Everyone welcome

Online Workshops

07 MAY
Understanding & Supporting Anxiety
Thursday 7th May
7:00pm - 9:00pm

09 JUN
Understanding Demand Avoidance
Tuesday 9th June
7:00pm - 9:00pm

30 JUN
When Siblings Needs Clash
Tuesday 30th June
7:00pm - 9:00pm



Being a parent carer of a child or young person with SEND can bring extra situations which are challenging to know how to handle.

Our online workshops are here to empower you on your child's SEND journey.

- ✓ Confidence in understanding and meeting your child's needs.
- ✓ Ideas, effective strategies and signposting to other services.
- ✓ A chance to ask questions, as well as receive extra support if needed.

Your child does not need to have a diagnosis for you to access any of our support

We are happy to say that due to funding, we are able to provide our workshops free of charge.



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Learning in Maple Class



This week, Maple Class have continued developing their printing skills through an exciting art project inspired by the artist Aftyn Shah. Using Styrofoam tiles, the children explored imprinting and etching techniques to create detailed printing plates.



Each child carefully selected an animal from the Amazon rainforest to sketch before transforming their designs into prints. They experimented with multiple layers of printing to create a striking 3D effect, showing great creativity and perseverance throughout the process.



The finished pieces are full of texture, depth, and vibrant detail, and the children were very proud of their final artwork.



Redfield Edge - Dates for the Diary

Monday 18th May	Year 5 & 6 Quadkids	Maple and Oak children taking part in athletics event after school at Mangotsfield school.
Tuesday 19th May	Year 5 visiting Cadbury Heath Library	Maple class walking to Cadbury Heath Library. Please complete the permission form on Arbor.
Thursday 21st May	Census Day	Please order your child a school lunch to be included in our census.
	Year 2 assembly	Pine class parents are invited in at 2.50pm to watch the class assembly.
	Cross Country	Year 4, 5 and 6 Cross Country run at Little Stoke Park - sign up on Arbor.
Friday 22nd May	Last Day	Last day of Term 5. Children return to school on Monday 1st June.
Monday 1st June	First Day of Term 6	We welcome the children back into school for Term 6.
Thursday 4th June	Year 5 Geography field trip	Maple class we will exploring the local area, please complete the permission form on Arbor.
Friday 5th June	School photographer	The photographer is in school to take whole class photos for all classes and individual Year 6 leaver photos.