

Northaw Newsround

Friday 5 June 2026

Good leaders must first become good servants – Robert Greenleaf

Head's Lines

The half-term break suddenly seems like a long time ago – this week has been nonstop. Y4 have been working very hard all year in preparation for the Multiplication Tables Check, a statutory assessment, which is completed across the first few weeks of June. This might sound straightforward, but it is actually very challenging as the children must input answers online within just 6 seconds, and there are 25 questions. With just one slip of the finger, the chance of full marks can drop out of sight. Similarly, Y1 have the Phonics Screening Check, another statutory assessment, next week, and last-minute revision with Miss Churchward and Mrs Glover is fully underway.

Although Y6 have completed tests already, they now have their Leavers' Performance to write and rehearse. They have been reminiscing about the years spent here, deciding which of their many happy memories to share with parents and carers next month. Their writing and achievement in science have also yet to be assessed, and Mr Herbert and Mrs Whitaker are supporting them in putting the finishing touches to their knowledge understanding and skills in both areas.

Dr James Inglis
Headteacher

This half term,
our value in focus is
respect.



*Be joyful in hope, patient in affliction,
faithful in prayer. Romans 12:12*

There is a prayer box near the signing-in point for parents – a group share requests confidentially. Our Reflection Champions maintain a prayer tree for pupils. They have written this prayer for us this week:

Dear God,

Help us to show respect this half term.
Thank you for the rain and sunshine, so
plants can grow.

Amen

The headteacher has chosen this scripture
for us this week:

*Whoever scorns instruction will pay for it,
but whoever respects a command is
rewarded. Proverbs 13:13*

Loving for today,
Learning for tomorrow,
Forever in faith



GOING FOR GOLD

Attendance Matters

The class with the highest attendance this week is **Acorns**.

Five-Star Fashion

Oliver CR

Sienna C

House Credits

Narnia	16
Neverland	16
Oz	19
Wonderland	17

Mind Your Manners

Noah

Amelia

Murat-Ali

6Rs Stars

ACORNS

Vienna

Ollie

APPLES & PEARS

Rosieanne

Jesse-James

WILLOW

Rex

Olivia

OAK

Madison

Erin

Thank You For The Music

Arthur CR

Times Tables Rock Stars

Year 4 had the highest average number of correct answers in Battle of the Bands this week.

Upcoming Events

11 June

Speak out Stay safe

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Family lunch (Apples & Pears)

12 June

PTA Sharing Cultures

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Science and DT

When planning science and DT, we carefully follow the latest edition of Be safe! (Health and safety in school science and technology for teachers of 3-to-12-year-olds) from the Association for Science Education.

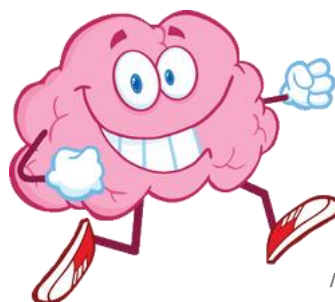
Sickness

The NHS is clear you can send your child to school with a cold, cough, headache, sore throat or stomach ache if they do not have a fever; cold sore or head lice, but please let us know, so we can look after them. If you are not sure, send them to school anyway as they often improve following registration and we would contact you should their symptoms become more concerning.



Dr Inglis' Brain Training

What loses its head first thing in the morning and gets it back last thing at night?



Answer: Your pillow