

Northaw Newsround

Friday 10 July 2026

How wonderful it is that nobody need wait a single moment before starting to improve the world –
Anne Frank

Head's Lines

There might be only eight and a half days of the current academic year left, but we have never seemed so busy. For Y6, yesterday was Secondary Transition Day, and we have enjoyed hearing of their adventures. For the rest of the school, however, Thursday was Switcheroo, when teachers here meet their new classes.

As I am leading in Oak from September, I also had the pleasure of spending yesterday in the classroom – I have missed this. We played some maths games after writing Clerihews: whimsical, character-based, four-line poems, e.g.

Our headteacher is Dr Inglis,
And he likes Pringles,
Especially salt and vinegar,
Which he shares with Mrs Whitaker.

This was followed by a spot of science, culminating in fingerprint art. I know the other classes had just as much fun.

Next week promises to be busy too, particularly for our leavers, who have been rehearsing their performance and looking forward to our service.

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,

Thank you for helping us show respect this week and the lovely weather. May the leavers enjoy their last days here.

Amen

The headteacher has chosen this scripture for us this week:

Moreover, we have all had human fathers who disciplined us and we respected them for it. How much more should we submit to the Father of spirits and live! Hebrews 12:9

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

Elizabeth

Julianna

House Credits

Narnia	17
Neverland	30
Oz	39
Wonderland	24

Mind Your Manners

Amelia

Lola-Belle

Stefanos

6Rs Stars

ACORNS

Arielle

Oliver

APPLES & PEARS

Jesse-James

Stefanos

WILLOW

Lucia

Amy

OAK

Isabella

James

Thank You For The Music

Hope

Times Tables Rock Stars

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

Upcoming Events

13 July

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15 July

15 July

16 July

16 July

17 July

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No church worship

School Council

The N Factor

Leavers'

Performance

Leavers' Service

PTA Disco

PTA Breaking-the-

Rules Day

Pupils' results

released

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Attendance Matters

Please contact the school when your child is absent to explain the reason.

Lateness patterns and unauthorised absences trigger a communication from the headteacher. Failure to improve or non-engagement with the school in offering support can lead to involving the Local Authority Attendance Officer and even legal sanctions.



You can be fined for taking your child on holiday during term time without the school's permission.

Dr Inglis' Brain Training

What one letter can you change to make a cold bear hot?



Answer: Change the "P" in polar and make it a "S" for solar