



Park Lane Primary & Nursery School

Headteacher **Update**

Monday 5th October 2026

Dear Parents, pupils, and staff

The children have thoroughly enjoyed finding conkers this week, sharing in the excitement of our annual 200m and 400m race events, and making the most of the glorious weather, perhaps some of the last reminders of summer. It has been wonderful to see so many smiling faces around school.



Keeping Our Smiles Healthy!

This week, the children enjoyed an exciting visit all about dental health. They learned why our teeth are so important and discovered lots of ways to keep them clean and healthy, from brushing twice a day to making healthy food choices.

The children came away with plenty of top tips to share at home. We hope to see lots of bright, healthy and confident smiles around school in the weeks ahead!

Year 2 Visit Whittlesey War Memorial

As part of their History learning about Whittlesey in the past, Year 2 enjoyed a visit to the town's War Memorial. The children listened respectfully as they learned about local soldiers who lost their lives during different conflicts. Each child was given the name of a soldier and carefully searched the memorial to find them.

The visit helped the children understand that important historical events did not just happen in distant places but had a lasting impact on families and communities right here in Whittlesey.



Thank you for supporting our School! Mr Rob Litten, Headteacher

Wed 7th October	Year 6 Swimming
Friday 9th October	Year 2 trip to POSH
Mon 12th to 14th of October Wed 14th Oct	Y4 Residential, Burwell House 3.15pm -4.00pm nursery visits – pre booked with school office
Thurs 15th October	Reception visit for September 2027 at 2pm
Tuesday 20th October	Year 5/6 Disco
Wed 21st October	Year 3 & 4 Disco Year 6 trip to Peterborough Nursery story time – 10am
Thursday 22nd October	Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 Disco
Fri 23rd October	Year 1 trip to Sacrewell Farm
Wednesday 4th November	3.15pm -4.00pm nursery visits – pre booked with school office
Sunday 8th November	Whittlesey Remerance Parade
Mon 9th November	Flu vaccination mop up Odd sock day Mock week
Tues 10th November	Reception visit for September 2027 at 2pm
Wed 11th November	Year 5 and 6 Remembrance Service, St Mary's Church, 1.45pm
Frid 13th November	Children in Need. Information to follow
Tues 17th November	Parents Evening 3.30pm to 6.00pm, booking link to be sent.
Thurs 19th November	Parents Evening 3.30pm to 6.00pm, booking link to be sent.
Mon 23rd November	Height & Weight. Reception & Year 6
Wed 25th November	Nursery parents evening 3.30pm-4.30pm
Thursday 26th November	3.15pm -4.00pm nursery visits – pre booked with school office
Tues 8th December	Pantomime visit to school, Dick Whittington, am
Wed 9th December	Years 4 – 6 Christingle, St Mary's Church, 1.45pm Nursery show – 10 am
Sat 12th December	Whittlesey Christmas Extravaganza
Mon 14th December	Rocksteady concert. Details to be confirmed Reception trip to Cresset
Tues 15th December	Year 4 – Year 6 carols on the playground @ 9am Reception Nativity, 5pm Mrs T school award
Wed 16th December	Christmas Lunch
Thurs 17th December	Reception Nativity, 2pm Years 1 to 3 Carols on the Playground, 9am

Fri 18th December	Christmas Jumper/Dress Down Day and Class Party - last day of term!
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Term Dates 2026/2027

AUTUMN TERM 2026

START OF TERM Thursday 3rd September 2026
 Half Term Monday 26th to Friday 30th October 2026
 Last Day of Term Friday 18th December 2026

SPRING TERM 2027

START OF TERM Monday 4th January 2027
 Half Term Monday 15th to Friday 19th February 2027
 Last Day of Term Thursday 25th March 2027

SUMMER TERM 2027

START OF TERM Monday 12th April 2027
 May Day Bank Holiday (school closed) Monday 3rd May 2027
 Half Term Monday 31st May to Friday 4th June 2027
 Last Day of Term Friday 16th July 2027