



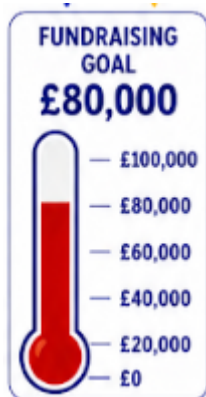
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CELEBRATING GOOD SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

Overall whole school attendance this week: 96.51%

Well done to class 1B for achieving the highest attendance this week.



TOGETHER, WE CAN MAKE A BIG DIFFERENCE!

Fundraising Campaign for 2026-2027 – All help will be greatly appreciated

This week FOMISA held a Muffin sale which raised over £80. Thank you to all those of you who supported this and enjoyed a muffin.

If you have a little time to spare to help the FOMISA team or know of anyone who might be able to help us with our fundraising efforts, please do get in touch!

Reymead Wood Damage – Communication from West Mersea Town Council

Unfortunately, we have received an email from the Town Clerk sharing much sadness about significant damage which has been done to the trees in Reymead Wood. The email says 'I'm just making you aware of the damage that is taking place in Reymead Wood, we don't know the ages of the children who are causing the damage, but they are going out with tools (saws, pick axes, shovels, and spades).' If your child goes to the park before or after school, please can you make them aware so they are not implicated.



You are invited to Open Classrooms on Monday

Classrooms will be open for you to visit after school on Monday. Do pop in and say hello to your child's class teacher and see what they have been doing so far.

High Tides

Please be aware, and plan ahead, as next week there are high tides around pick up times. We do not authorise early pick ups because of the tide. However, we do have Wraparound Care should you need to use it.

Have you booked your Wraparound care?

If you know you are going to require wraparound provision for your child/ren during the autumn term, please can you contact the school office to book your place/s. This will really help us in having an idea of numbers. If you find yourself needing last minute wraparound, just give the office a ring and they will be happy to book your child in!



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Stars of the Week



Nursery	Benedict in Nursery is being celebrated this week for being an excellent role model for our school rules - CARE, Be Kind, Be Safe. Benedict has helped our new nursery children to settle in by showing them where the toys are and playing with them. Benedict has also been our busiest tidier, helping to keep our classroom floor safe.
Rec 1	Theadora M-B in Reception 1 has settled into our school routines so well. She tries her absolute best with everything she does and is a pleasure to have in the classroom.
Rec 2	This week we are celebrating Etta P - Etta has been very kind and caring to her classmates and approaches everything, in her new classroom, with a smile! Well done Etta, you are a star!
1B	1B Star of the Week is Ivy A for her excellent attitude towards the start of a new school year. Ivy has been organised and eager to complete all of her must do's in the classroom and has shown great kindness and helpfulness when tidying and caring for our classroom.
1E	Poppy has had such a fantastic start to the year and shown us what a superstar she is. She has put so much effort into her learning and been really helpful and kind to everyone around her. Very well done Poppy!
2D	I would like to celebrate Luke R for having such a positive attitude since returning to school. He has come in ready to learn every single day and contributed to group discussions. An excellent start.
2E	George L-M for his kind and helpful behaviour around the classroom and his super effort in all his work so far. Keep it up George, it is a pleasure to have you in Year 2.
3S	Lois M for her contributions during lessons, always having her hand up and wanting to share, and for always being organised and ready to learn.
3T	Toby has made a fantastic start to his learning in Year 3. He has consistently pushed himself to go 'above and beyond' in everything he does and has shown excellent teamwork, kindness and respect to others. What a great role model you are, Toby!
4R	Pupil of the week for 4R is Imogen. She has really impressed me by asking lots of questions, demonstrating her maths methods to the class and also with her keen attitude towards her art writing.
4W	I would like to celebrate how well Tia T and Ran M have settled in to our school. They have been working really hard in lessons and demonstrated such positive attitudes towards their learning.
5 & 6E	Star of the week is Bea S because of her focused and positive attitude towards her work. What a fantastic start to the new school year. Well done.
5 & 6H	This week I would like to celebrate Sebastian G. He has had an excellent first week! If ever I need help with anything, I know I can count on Seb to give me a hand. As well as this, he has been working incredibly hard in lessons to get the most out of his learning. Well done, Seb!
5 & 6Y	We are celebrating Bella D for a super start to the year. She has shown great resilience in many things this week, but particularly in Maths, where she has made fantastic contributions during group discussions. Well done Bella.
Head Pupil	Well done to Sebastian G who will be one of our Head Pupils for 2026-2027. We look forward to seeing him and Alice in action over the course of the year.

SAFEGUARDING CONTACTS IN SCHOOL:

Mrs T Wright (Designated Safeguarding Lead)

Miss Poole, Mrs Khan, Mrs Jenkins (Deputy Safeguarding Leads)

If you have a concern about a child please act quickly – call the police immediately if you consider them at risk of imminent harm. For other matters, please contact a safeguarding lead.