

Newsletter

Summer Term 6 Week 1

Friday 5th June 2026

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Welcome back, and I hope you all enjoyed the glorious sunshine we were treated to last week. Although I have to say, I'm glad the temperature has cooled now that the children have returned to school. This term is going to be a very busy one as the children bring their learning in their current year to a close. We have Sports Day to look forward to, along with many other exciting events. We will also begin the process of supporting the children as they transition into their next year group. We have lots planned to ensure this is a smooth and positive experience for all. Once we have finalised our staffing list for September, I will write to you at the end of June with an update on who your child will be working with next year, as well as the opportunities they will have to spend time with their new teacher and classroom.

Until then, it is important that we focus on what is still a significant amount of time in their current class, and an opportunity for them to continue to make and sustain the progress they have already achieved. Our key dates have now been fully updated with all the exciting events planned, so please make sure you have these in your diary.

Denton Community Challenge Saturday 6th June CHANGE OF VENUE

We are looking forward to seeing you at the Denton Community Challenge. Please note due to the poor weather the DCC have moved the location to be split between the School Hall and Denton Social Centre (next to the park). See you on Saturday from 1:00pm.

Dodgeball National Finalists... AGAIN!

Congratulations to our dodgeball team, who represented the school at the Regional Championships in Twickenham on Thursday. The children came 3rd overall and secured a place at the National Finals in July for the third year in a row. Thank you to Mrs Buss and Mrs Woodcock for supporting the children.



Celebration Assembly – Friday 5th June

These children were recognised in whole school assembly for their over and above learning this week.

Reception – Roman MacCleod

Year 1 – Grayson Gilbert

Year 2 – Henry Addyman

Year 3 – Erdem N'Guessan

Year 4 – Turtles Class

Year 5 – Amy Lawrence

Year 6 – Ava Needham



Our attendance for **this week:**

Whole school: 95.5%

Reception: 90.2%

Year 1: 97.9%

Year 2: 91.8%

Year 3: 97.1%

Year 4: 96.8%

Year 5: 95.2%

Year 6: 99.0%

Attendance Matters



Congratulations
Year 6



New Catering Provider

As you will have seen from my letter this week, the school is excited to announce that we will be working with a new catering provider from September 2026. A copy of the letter can be found on our website.

Join us on Thursday 2nd July from 2:45 pm in the hall to sample some of the new food.



Fresh Meat & Poultry

Fresh meat and poultry delivered daily

Fresh Coffee Beans

Our fresh coffee is roasted locally in West

Fresh Fruit & Veg

Fresh fruit and vegetables delivered

Frozen & Dry Goods

Dry and frozen goods delivered daily

Food Vouchers Update

East Sussex Local Authority would like to inform parents and carers of an important change regarding holiday supermarket vouchers (HUGGG vouchers). The Household Support Fund, which was provided by the UK Government and administered by local councils, came to an end nationally on **31 March 2026**. This fund previously supported eligible families, including providing holiday vouchers for children.

As part of the transition, East Sussex County Council continued to fund HUGGG vouchers for the **April and May holidays**. However, under the new funding arrangements, vouchers will **no longer be issued automatically** based on free school meal eligibility.



Eco Action

Thank you to our Eco Team led by Mrs Stevens and supported by Mrs Buss, who carried out a litter pick in the areas being used for the Denton Community Challenge over the weekend. Denton School is doing its bit for the community once again.

Key Dates (2025/2026) - Term 6

- Saturday 6th June – Denton Community Challenge
- Tuesday 9th June – Year 5 @ Congress Theatre Eastbourne
- Wednesday 10th June – Year 6 River Ouse Workshop
- Thursday 18th June – Year 1 visit to the Toy Museum
- Thursday 18th June – Year 2 visit to the Sealife Centre
- Friday 19th June – FADS Father's Day Event
- Monday 22nd June – EYFS trip to Sealife Centre
- Thursday 2nd July – New catering provider taster session from 2:45pm in the hall
- Tuesday 7th July – Key Stage 2 Sports Day @ 9:00am
- Tuesday 7th July – Key Stage 1 Sports Day @ 1:15pm
- Wednesday 8th July – EYFS Sports Day @ 2:00pm
- Thursday 9th July – Rock Steady Performance @ 2:20pm
- Monday 13th July – Year 6 Production (inc. Yr 5) @ 4:00pm
- Thursday 16th July – Year 6 Production (inc. Yr 5) @ 4:00pm
- Tuesday 21st July – Year 6 Leavers Assembly @ 9:00am
- Tuesday 21st July – **End of term 6 for all children**
- Wednesday 22nd July - INSET

Year 6 Leavers

Assembly – change of date

Please note we have had to reschedule the year 6 leavers assembly which will now take place on Tuesday 21st July at 9:00am.

NEW Term Dates (2026 – 2027)

Term 1

Friday 4th Sept – Friday 23rd Oct

Term 2

Monday 2nd Nov – Friday 18th Dec

Term 3

Monday 4th Jan – Friday 12th Feb

Term 4

Monday 22nd Feb – Thursday 25th Mar

Term 5

Monday 12th April – Friday 28th May

Term 6

Monday 7th June – Thursday 22nd July

Please note **not** all INSET days have been allocated



Avis Road Recreation
Ground - Denton BN9 0PN

Saturday
6th June
1 - 5pm

JOIN US FOR A FUN-FILLED FÊTE WITH A SPORTING THEME!

A fantastic day out for the whole family, where children can take part in exciting sporting challenges hosted by local clubs for a small fee.

To participate, simply purchase a scorecard from the main tent, complete as many challenges as you'd like, and then return to the main tent to collect your rosette and a voucher for a free burger after 3pm.



While Denton Challenge will endeavour to ensure the safety of all visitors, it remains the responsibility of accompanying adults & guardians to supervise the children in their care while visiting. All children must be accompanied by a responsible adult and remain the responsibility of said adult at all times. Should DCC be unable to host the planned event for any reason, no compensation will be payable



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Sporting Calendar: Term 6 After School Football



Starting Week Commencing Monday 8th June 2026

Thursday's: Whole School: 3.15pm - 4.10pm

Reception Year

Key Stage 1 (Year 1 & 2)

Key Stage 2 (Year 3, 4, 5, 6)

**Starts Thursday 11th June and each Thursday
until the 6 session are completed @ £36.00 for the term.**

(Last session Thursday 16th July)

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