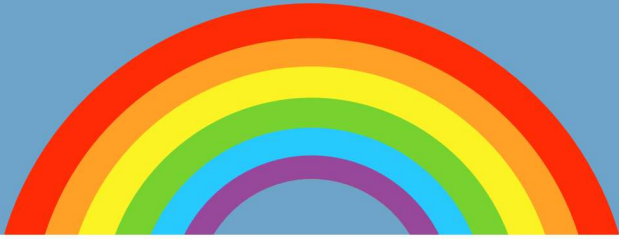


The Reynolds Rainbow

Sharing bright news from our school community



William Reynolds Primary School
"To be the best we can be"

Headteacher's Message

Dear Parents and Carers,

A big thank you to all our families for the extra effort over the last few weeks to make sure children are in every day — it's been really encouraging to see attendance improve. Our children have done a fantastic job, coming in with smiles on their faces, trying their best, and showing great attitudes to learning. We are very proud of the effort they are making every day.

We hope you all have a happy and relaxing Bank Holiday weekend and get the chance to enjoy some of the sunshine we've had this week. Thank you, as always, for your continued support.

Warm wishes,

Mrs Angeloff
Acting Headteacher



Four Hills
Education Trust

Headteacher's awards

Congratulations to this weeks award winners.

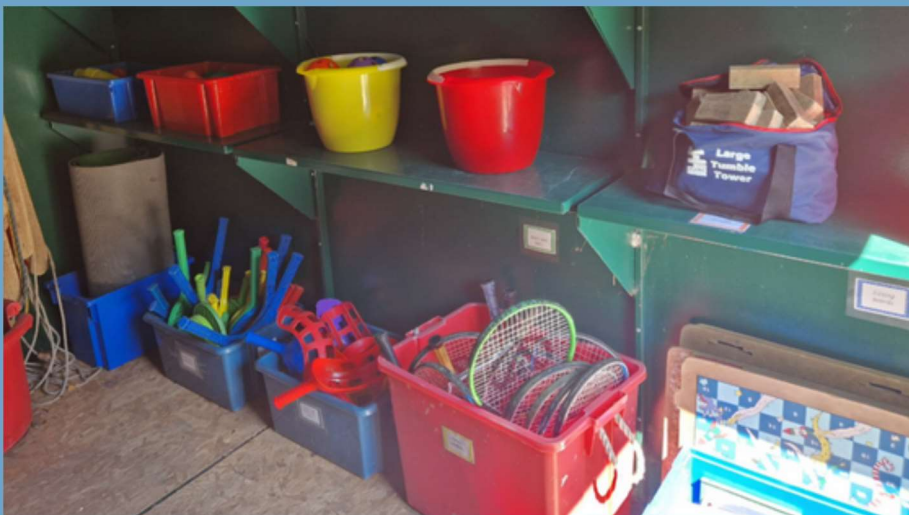
Mikhail-Joseph Konnuah-Fantastic independent writing
Eliza Smith-Knowing all of her Read, Write Inc sounds
Blossom Murray-Knowing all of her Read, Write Inc sounds
Delilah Parsons-Knowing all her Read, Write Inc sounds
Ivy Patterson-Knowing all her Read, Write Inc sounds



Leading the Way at Playtime

A big thank you to our Year 6 helpers: Esma, Tatinda, Maisey and Kelsey. These children regularly support our playtimes by leading games, ensuring equipment is used correctly, and keeping the shed tidy. Their responsibility and enthusiasm make a real difference—We couldn't do it without them!

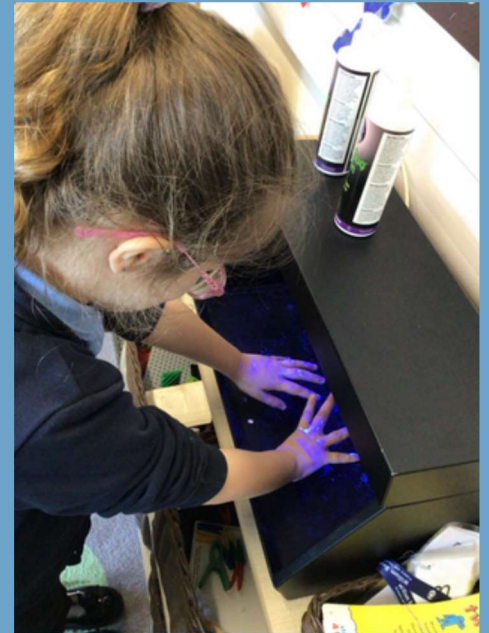
With a set budget for new games, pupils shared their ideas and helped choose the equipment—making playtime even more enjoyable for everyone.



*Thank,
You!*

Germ Busters in Reception!

Reception enjoyed an exciting and hands-on visit from the school nurse, who taught the children all about germs and why careful handwashing is so important. The children had great fun using a special sparkly gel and placing their hands under an infrared light – they were amazed to see the ‘germs’ glowing on their skin! After practising the correct handwashing technique, they checked their hands again under the light and were thrilled to see just how clean they were. A fun, interactive session and some very proud, germ-busting children!



KS1 Singing Assembly

KS1 have started singing assemblies this term and have already been enjoying learning their first song together. Singing is a lovely way for the children to build confidence and have fun as a group.

Here are the lyrics for their first song – see if they can sing it to you at home!

THE FIRST DAYS OF SUMMER

CHORUS

*These are the first days of summer,
Everyone together,
Ready for the sun to shine.
These are the days we'll remember,
Memories forever,
It's celebration time!*

CHORUS

- 1 Let's enjoy the sun
Now summer has begun,
We'll make the most of time with all the family.
We'll do the things we love to do
With friends we love to see,
We'll make the most of every opportunity there is!

CHORUS

- 2 Let's enjoy the fun
Now all the work is done,
We'll go to places we don't get to usually.
We'll do the things we love to do
With friends we love to see,
We'll make the most of every opportunity there is!

CHORUS X 2



We're So Proud of You, Mrs Humphries!



Base 8 held a wonderful celebration for Mrs Humphries on Wednesday.

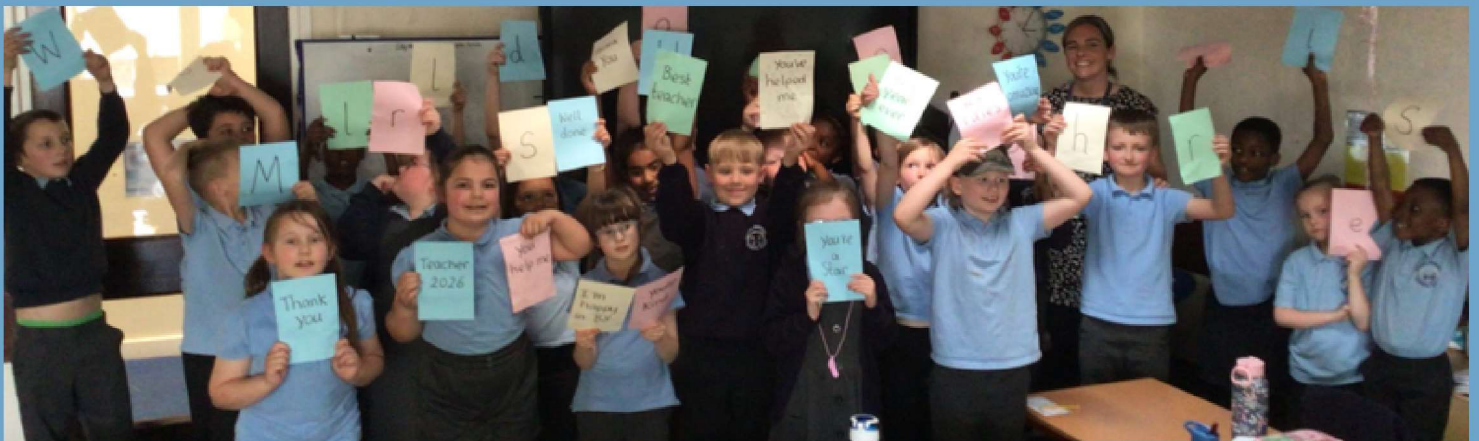
The children proudly held up cards saying "Well done Mrs Humphries" and shared thoughtful, heartfelt messages to celebrate her fantastic achievement.

Mrs Humphries has successfully completed her Teaching Degree through the Route to Teaching and is now a Fully Qualified Teacher. She began her training during the challenging Covid period and previously worked at our school as a Teaching Assistant. Her determination, commitment and passion for teaching have been truly inspiring.

The entire school community is incredibly proud of Mrs Humphries and all she has achieved—we are so lucky to have her as part of our team!



TEACHING IS A WORK OF HEART



Dates for Your Diary



Term Dates 2025/2026

Monday 4th May	Bank Holiday
Monday 11th May	Year 6 SAT's Week
Monday 18th May	Walk to School Week
Wednesday 20th May	National Numeracy Day - Wild about Maths
Thursday 21st May & Friday 22nd May	Something Fun Is Coming!
Friday 22nd May	Break up for Half Term

Sep-25	Oct-25	Nov-25
Dec-25	Jan-26	Feb-26
Mar-26	Apr-26	May-26
Jun-26	Jul-26	Key
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Something fun is coming!




Another Little Hint ☹️

Think of something that turns an ordinary day into an unforgettable one—where gravity feels optional and fun is guaranteed. The school is about to feel a little more springy! 😊

Coming Up! National Numeracy Day

Wednesday 20th May

We're thrilled that all children from Nursery right through to Year 6 will be taking part in this exciting 'Wild About Maths' day! **To help us bring this fun and inspiring whole-school experience to life, we are kindly asking for a voluntary contribution of £1, payable via ParentPay.** Your support will not only help cover the cost of this event, but will also enable us to continue offering memorable and engaging activities like this in the future. Thank you for helping us make learning come alive!

 **A** As Creatives
**Wild About
MATHS**



William Reynolds Primary
May 20th 2026

 **National
Numeracy
Day**

© As Creatives

Hilde Beest, star presenter of an exciting new television programme called Wild About Maths, has become separated from her film crew - and is lost in the middle of the African savannah! And, in a whole-school challenge, she needs the children's help to navigate her way back to safety! The pupils will meet Hilde's producer in an opening assembly - then participate in both classroom challenges and workshops in the hall. Will they be able to use both their mathematical skills and knowledge of animals to defy the odds and reunite Hilde with her friends? Only time will tell - as you all go Wild About Maths!



**WILLIAM REYNOLDS
PRIMARY SCHOOL & NURSERY**

Ofsted
Outstanding
Provider

NURSERY ADMISSIONS

**Do you have a child due to start
Nursery?
Our Early Years offers:**

- ✓ Fun & Engaging Learning
- ✓ Safe & Nurturing Environment
- ✓ Experienced & Caring Teachers
- ✓ Focused teaching sessions
- ✓ Purposeful play and exploration

**We have spaces available for
September 2026.**

15 hours and 30 hours



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BEGINNING THE JOURNEY 'TO BE THE BEST WE CAN BE'.

Important Messages

Just a reminder that **school will be closed on Monday 4th May** for the May Day Bank Holiday.

That means no uniforms, no packed lunches, and no morning rush (just for one day!).

We hope everyone enjoys a well-earned day off and a lovely long weekend. We'll see you all back, bright-eyed and ready to go, on Tuesday!



Thank You for Switching Off

Helping Us Keep Our School Entrance Fresh and Friendly

To help create a healthier start and end to the school day for our children, we kindly encourage drivers to switch off their engines when parked near the school gates.

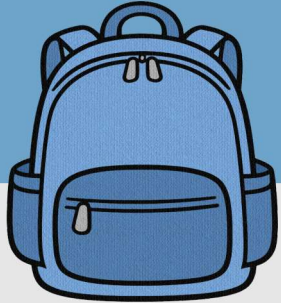
Now that the weather is getting nicer, walking to and from school can also be a healthy and enjoyable option for families who are able to do so. We know this isn't possible for everyone.

Every little bit helps, and we're very grateful to our families for working together to make arrival and pick-up times a pleasant and welcoming experience for everyone.



School Bags and Water Bottles

Please can we remind families to ensure that children bring their school bags and a water bottle to school every day. These are important for carrying books and letters between home and school, and for helping children stay hydrated throughout the day. Thank you for your continued support.



EYFS Outdoor Area

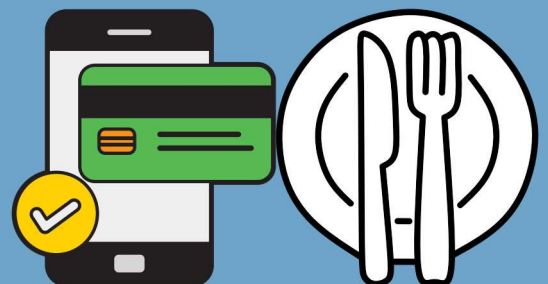


We kindly ask that children do not play on the EYFS outdoor equipment before or after school. The area is carefully prepared each day to support learning and keep everyone safe. Thank you for helping us look after this special learning space for all the children.



Keeping You Informed: School Meals Update

A quick note for families: We've recently updated our school dinner accounts, and any balances from before April are now showing again. If you get a chance, please log in to have a look. If you have any worries, questions, or need a bit of support with payments, please speak to the school office — we're always happy to help.



Attendance Matters

Every day counts!

At William Reynolds Primary School, we know that good attendance makes a big difference to children's learning, confidence and friendships.

When children miss school, they miss out on important learning and can find it harder to keep up.

Why attendance matters...

- Builds confidence and routine
- Supports learning and progress
 - Helps children develop friendships
- Prepares children for the future

If you need support with attendance, please speak to us— we are here to help.



Safeguarding and Wellbeing

Are you concerned about a child?

Please share your concerns with:



Mrs Angeloff
Acting Headteacher



Miss Shankland
Assistant Headteacher
SEND/CO



Miss O'vens
Attendance Officer



Miss Bowen
Class Teacher



Miss Groucott
Family Inclusion and
Safeguarding
Manager



Mrs Sands
Pastoral Team Leader

If you feel that you are
unable to talk to anyone
above, please ring...

Family Connect
01952 385385

Out of hours
01952 676500

NSPCC
0800 8005000

Thank you for helping us to keep children safe

Help When You Need It



Mental Health Support

Mind

<https://www.mind.org.uk>

Provides information and support for anyone experiencing mental health difficulties, including advice, helplines and local services.

The Samaritans

<https://www.samaritans.org>

24/7 confidential emotional support for anyone feeling distressed, overwhelmed or in need of someone to talk to.

NHS – Every Mind Matters

<https://www.nhs.uk/every-mind-matters>

NHS-approved advice and tools to support mental wellbeing, including stress, anxiety, sleep and mood.

Financial Wellbeing Support

MoneySavingExpert

<https://www.moneysavingexpert.com>

Independent, practical advice on saving money, budgeting, benefits, bills and everyday finances.

National Debtline

<https://www.nationaldebtline.org>

Free, confidential advice to help people deal with debt, including factsheets, tools and phone support.

StepChange Debt Charity

<https://www.stepchange.org>

Expert, free debt advice and practical solutions to help people regain control of their finances.



Age Restrictions for Social Media Platforms

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is the minimum age for account holders on these social media sites and apps.



X (formerly Twitter)



Facebook



Instagram



Pinterest



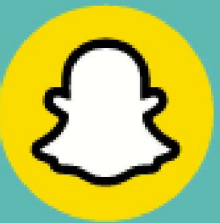
Messenger



TikTok



Discord



Snapchat



Twitch



Yubo



Reddit



YouTube



BeReal



WhatsApp



April-June**2026****MAY****THURSDAY****7****5pm-
6:30pm**

Dugout Youth Group 11-18 Years Old

Come and join us for a fun and relaxing session all about sleep and wellbeing!

We'll be getting creative by designing and customising our own sleep masks, while also learning helpful tips and information about how to get your best night's sleep.

We're also excited to be joined by Embrace, who will be running a range of multi-sport activities for everyone to enjoy.

As always, our usual activities will be available, including board games, table tennis, pool, and table football. Free refreshments will be provided for young people and their parents.

It's a great chance to learn something new, get active, and have fun with friends — we hope to see you there! 😊

Family Zone, Hazledine House, Central Square, Town Centre, TF3 4JL

**MAY
TUESDAY****12:5:30pm-
6:30pm**

RISE - Parents Social

Come along and have some refreshments while having a chat to other parents. This is a lovely time for you to socialise with others!

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**MAY
TUESDAY****12:5:30-6:30**

Girls Social Group Y6-Y13

We warmly invite you to be a part of our Girl's Group. Here, you'll have the opportunity to share your ideas, socialise with others, boost your confidence, and enjoy a wide range of exciting activities. We can't wait for you to join us!

Family Zone, Hazledine House, Central Square, Town Centre, TF3 4JL



**TO BOOK ONTO ANY OF OUR ACTIVITIES PLEASE EMAIL OR CALL:
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