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Date: 27th March 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

Ducklings

The children have been enjoying observing the ducklings. They have watched them hatch, learn to feed themselves and interact with each other. Very soon the children will be able to handle the ducklings and next week they will be watching them swim in a small paddling pool. The ducklings were delivered on Monday from an ethical company, who work with landowners around the country to provide this experience. They will be collected at the end of term and live a happy, outdoor life after they stay with us.



Spring/Easter Craft Activities

Parents and carers are invited to join their child's class next week to take part in Spring/Easter craft activities.

Monday 30th March - Turtles and Jellyfish Classes at 2.00 pm

Tuesday 31st March - Giraffes and Zebras Classes at 2:00pm

Wednesday 1st April - Woodpeckers Class at 2.00 pm

Thursday 2nd April - Kingfishers and Swans Classes at 2:00pm

The Horne Park Road entrance and the side gate along Marlborough Road will both open 5 minutes before at 1:55pm.

Change to the Menu

Unfortunately, our school cook is absent and we have had to make the following adjustments to the menu for next week:

	Monday 30/03/26	Tuesday 31/03/26	Wednesday 01/04/26	Thursday 02/04/26
Option 1	Crispy Chicken	Cheese and Tomato Pizza	Pork Sausage and Mashed Potato	Battered Fillet of Fish
Option 2	Quorn Burger	Quorn Korma	Quorn Sausage and Mashed Potato	Quorn Dippers
Sides	Hash Browns Baked Beans	Pasta or Rice Peas	Carrots, Broccoli Gravy	Chips Peas
Pudding	Cookie Cheese and Biscuits	Iced Sponge Cheese and Biscuits	Pips Organic Iced Lolly Cheese and Biscuits	Flapjack Cheese and Biscuits
Available each day: Freshly prepared salad, milk, water, fresh fruit and organic yoghurt.				

Kind regards,



Claire Grant
Executive Headteacher

Diary Dates

Monday 30 th March	Zebras - Visit to Ilfracombe Library
Monday 30 th March	Turtles and Jellyfish - Easter Craft Workshop at 2pm. Parents and Carers welcome to attend.
Tuesday 31 st March	Reception Visit to RHS Garden Rosemoor, Great Torrington
Tuesday 31 st March	Giraffes and Zebras - Easter Craft Workshop at 2pm. Parents and Carers welcome to attend.
Wednesday 1 st April	Woodpeckers - Easter Craft Workshop at 2pm. Parents and Carers welcome to attend.
Thursday 2 nd April	Kingfishers and Swans - Easter Craft Workshop at 2pm. Parents and Carers welcome to attend.
Friday 3 rd April	Bank Holiday - Good Friday
Monday 6 th - Friday 17 th April	Easter Holidays
Monday 20 th April	Return to school

WIN £100 AND HELP IMPROVE THE MORNING SCHOOL RUN!

We have been selected by the Department for Education to help design a national Breakfast Club programme that works for every family's morning school run.



THE ASK

A 10 minute
online survey.



WHO

Everyone! We're really interested to hear from those who **don't** use the breakfast club too!



Designed by parents, for
parents

Scan this QR code, complete the 10 minute
survey and have the chance to win £100!

Help ensure breakfast clubs work for all families!

HELPING YOUR CHILD WITH FEARS & WORRIES

6 WEEK ONLINE PROGRAMME

Parents and carers play the most important part in helping children to overcome difficulties. We are delivering an online Parent-Led CBT (PLCBT) group to provide you with the tools to support your child or young person aged between 5-12.

EXPRESS INTEREST BY SPEAKING TO A MEMBER OF YOUR SCHOOLS PASTORAL TEAM/SEND CO.

During the sessions you will have the opportunity to rehearse key skills. The sessions are based on the Cathy Cresswell book 'Helping Your Child with Worries and Fears'

FAQ

What is Parent Led Li-CBT?

Parent Led Low Intensity Cognitive Behavioural Therapy (Parent Led Li-CBT) is a short term 6 session intervention supporting parents and carers. Parents learn simple tools to help their child with anxiety or worries at home. CBT stands for Cognitive Behaviour Therapy. CBT is based on the idea that our thoughts, feelings, behaviours are all linked.

Is it all online?

All sessions are online via Microsoft Teams. Once you are signed up you will be emailed a link. Cameras will be off for group participants.

Can my child come with me?

We do ask that it is only parents and carers who attend these sessions. This provides a safe space for you to discuss your own worries and anxieties and allows the practitioners to focus on supporting you to gain the skills to support your child.

NHS

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SESSION DATES

28th of April 2026
(Tuesday)
7pm-8pm

5th of May 2026
(Tuesday)
7pm-8pm

12th of May 2026
(Tuesday)
7pm-8pm

19th of May 2026
(Tuesday)
7pm-8pm

2nd of June 2026
(Tuesday)
7pm-8pm

9th of June 2026
(Tuesday)
7pm-8pm



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