



Field Junior School

Summer Term
26th June 2026

What an eventful week we've had at Field Junior School! With the heatwave making headlines across the country, I'm delighted to share some wonderful news that will put your minds at ease. Over the Easter break, all our classrooms were fitted with air conditioning, so we're in a fortunate position where hot weather alerts simply won't affect us or your children. We can continue with our learning and activities without disruption, keeping everyone comfortable and safe during these warmer months.

This week has been packed with enriching experiences for our children. On Monday, our Year 3 and 4 children had the absolute pleasure of enjoying an Opera workshop. Each class had their own dedicated session over in the Annexe, and I can tell you the children thoroughly enjoyed this wonderful opportunity.

Today our Year 6 children very much enjoyed a water fight on the field – a fantastic way to cool down during the warm weather! Thank you to our parents who very kindly donated water balloons. The children had a great time and it was an excellent way to bring everyone together and have some summer fun.

This coming Monday, our Year 4 children will head out on their residential trip to Phasels Wood. This is such an important part of their junior school journey, and we're excited about all the experiences and memories they'll create during their time away. For our Year 4 families, an email has been sent with all the relevant information, so please do take the time to read through it carefully. For our Year 4 children who will be staying at school, a separate email has also been sent with details about their activities and arrangements during this period, so please make sure you've had a chance to review that too.

Before I finish, I must draw your attention to our lost property box, which is absolutely overflowing! We have quite a collection of items that have been left around school, and it's very likely that some of them belong to your children. Please do come along at home time to have a look through and claim any missing items. If items aren't labelled, please feel free to help yourself to anything that might belong to you. It would be wonderful to reunite these items with their owners and clear some much-needed space!



YR 6 Food and Farming Day Hertfordshire County Show Tuesday 30th June 2026

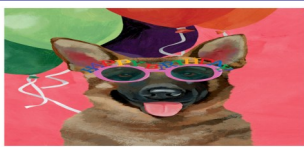
Children must arrive promptly at school at 8:50am as the coach is leaving soon after. Please send your child to school in their uniform, with a packed lunch and a water bottle.



We will be holding our annual sports day (on the field) for all year groups on **Friday 3rd July 1:15pm-3:30pm** (weather permitting)

We welcome all parents/carer's to come along and cheer on your child.

We look forward to seeing you then!



Wishing our very own Denton a very Happy Birthday

Denton turned 10 last week. We hope he had a pawsome day !



We are delighted to invite you to a wonderful celebration of the musical talent within our school community which will take place on Monday 13th July after school. We would love to see as many of you as possible there to support our young musicians.

The music teachers will inform your child over the next few days if they have been selected to play in the concert. Whether you're a parent or family member everyone is warmly welcome to join us.

We very much look forward to seeing you there!



**PHASELS WOOD
ACTIVITY CENTRE**

Year 4 Phasel's Wood Residential

Our year 4 children set off on their first residential on Monday.

An email was sent on Wednesday with information regarding Monday morning. Please ensure you have read this information.

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Whether you're booking a holiday, doing your weekly grocery shop, or buying supplies - thousands of retailers including Amazon, eBay, and all major supermarkets will donate to us when you shop through easy fundraising.

It's completely free to use, and these donations could make a real difference to our school. Just imagine what we could do with extra funds - from new playground equipment to enhanced learning resources for our children.

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Why this matters...

- 9 in 10 children own a mobile phone by age 11 (Ofcom, 2024)
- 96% of 12-15 year olds have a mobile phone and 92% have their own social media profiles.
- Almost 3 in 4 teenagers (13-17 years) have encountered harm online.
- 1 in 5 young people aged 16-18 have felt life is not worth living due to social media (Parentkind, 2024)
- 74% of girls who got a smartphone aged 6 years had mental health issues as adults versus 46% who got one at 18 years (University of Birmingham, 2025)
- Teens with problematic smartphone use are 3x more likely to suffer from depression (King's College London, 2024)



Good attendance is vital for all children to support their learning and social development. Following government guidance, we have a duty to inform parents/carers if their child has had several absences from school. If your child's absence is 10% or more, so that attendance is below 90%, they are classed as persistent absentee, and you are at risk of a breach notice and a fixed penalty notice.

This week's attendance award winners are:

3C 97.4%

All other classes' attendance this week:

4T 96.2%

5OB 95.2%

4P 95%

5W 94.3%

6K 94.3%

6S 92.9%

3H 92.6%

Well done to all - Great attendance figures this week !



Times Tables Rock Stars results are in:

Otters won house team - well done - let's see more of this.

Class winners were 3C, 4P, 5O and 6K.

Field Junior Birthdays



Field Junior would like to wish Happy Birthday to the following children:

Faheem 4T, Lenny 5W, Trishia 5W, Zayn 3H



Year 3 Thursday & Friday

Year 4 Tuesday & Friday

Year 5 Wednesday & Thursday

Year 6 Monday & Thursday Swimming

Absences/Illness

Please can we remind all parents to call the school office each morning to report your child absent.

Press 1 to leave a message on the school answer phone **before 09:00 am.**

If arriving to school late, please can we ask that you record your child's name, class and reason for lateness in the book located in the reception area.

Thank you.



School Dinners



School menu w/c 29.06.2026 is week 2

Please make sure your child's dinner account is always in credit. Dinners must be paid in advance.

Parents/Carers are asked to keep track of their payments. Please do not wait for reminders from the office.

Payment methods: Arbor – please log on to your Arbor account.

Cash – send in cash in a clearly marked envelope (child's full name, class, amount, 'school dinners').

Card – to pay by card, please phone the school office.

The cost of a school dinner is £3.60 per meal (£18 per 5 day school week)

Summer Term

Tuesday 30th June Year 6 Food and Farming Day

Monday 29th June – Wednesday 1st July Year 4

Phasels Wood Residential

Friday 3rd July Sports Day 1:15pm – 3:30pm

Thursday 9th July Transition Day **No YR 6 required in school**

Monday 13th July Summer Music Concert

Monday 20th July Year 6 play and assembly 5PM

Thursday 23rd July Last Day of Term 1:30pm finish

**DATES TO
REMEMBER**

Autumn Term

Tuesday 1st September Inset Day – School Closed

Wednesday 2nd September Inset Day – School Closed

Thursday 3rd September First day Autumn Term

Thursday 17th September Year 5 Swimming Starts

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

MONDAYS:

SUPER STAR SPORTS DODGEBALL CLUB

Dates: 13.04.2026 ~ 13.07.2026

Times 3:30 PM ~ 4:30PM

Book via link:

[Field Junior School | Pebble](#)

ALL STARZ DANCE ACADEMY STREET DANCE

Monday After School Club 3.30pm – 4.30pm

Dates: 13.04.2026—20.07.2026

Book via link:

[Login | Moonglow Dance Academy - Portal](#)

TUESDAYS:

SUPER STAR SPORT FOOTBALL

Dates: 14.04.2026 ~ 14.07.2026

Times 3:30 PM ~ 4:30PM

Book via link:

[Field Junior School | Pebble](#)

WEDNESDAYS:

SUPER STAR SPORT CRICKET CLUB

Dates: 15.04.2026 – 15.07.2026

Times 3:30 PM ~ 4:30PM

Book via link:

[Field Junior School | Pebble](#)

THURSDAYS

SUPER STAR SPORT BOXING CLUB

Dates: 16.04.2026 – 16.07.2026

Times 3:30 PM ~ 4:30PM

Book via link:

[Field Junior School | Pebble](#)

THURSDAYS:

ROBOLABX

Dates: 16.04.2026—16.07.2026

Times 3:30pm—4:30pm

Booking options—Book per session or full term

Book via link:

[Field Junior School Summer Term After School Club | Pebble](#)

FRIDAYS:

BrainUp

Dates 17.04.2026—17.07.2026

Times 3:30pm—4:30pm

Book via link:

[Field Junior School - Summer Term 2026 | Brain Up Club](#)

WRAP AROUND

MONDAY—FRIDAY

SUPER STAR SPORT WRAP AROUND CLUB

Times 3:30 PM ~ 6.00PM

Book via link:

[Field Junior School Wraparound | Pebble](#)

Summer Term Courses for Parents

Many external professionals offer parents the opportunity to access online parenting courses. Here are just a few examples that are listed on our school website from reliable sources.

New Talking ASD & ADHD Workshops, Healthy Lifestyle Support Workshops, Sibling Struggles Workshops, Responding to Anger Workshops, Talking Dads Workshops, Talking Additional Needs Workshops and many, many more.

Please click on the link to access the website page where you will find all the external professionals links to their courses they have to offer.

[Field Junior School » SEND](#)

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Meals** 
Are you entitled?

If your financial circumstances have changed recently, visit [Apply for free school meals - GOV.UK](#), to see if you are eligible for Free School Meals. Applications take 5 minutes to complete. Alternatively, please contact the school office where we can apply on your behalf.