



## Term 4 Denton Newsletter

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## Message from Mrs Orme



Dear Parents / Carers,

As we reach the end of another busy term we reflect on all the wonderful achievements and events of the spring term. It was lovely to come together as a school during our Easter Service. The children performed beautifully and thoroughly enjoyed their singing. The choir worked exceptionally hard and always love performing to an audience. I was very proud of them all.

We enjoyed celebrating World Book Day and taking part in British Science week and there have been some fantastic walks, visits and workshops including positive health, E safety, an author visit and a 'singstation' workshop.

Despite Term 5 being a relatively short term, we have lots to look forward to including 'Roots to food' and sporting competitions. Please see our diary dates and website for future events. During Terms 5 and 6, children will have their PE lessons at school. The time and day of these lessons will depend on the weather. Please make sure your child has their full PE kit in school all week.

I would like to wish you all a wonderful Easter break and look forward to seeing you all on Tuesday 21st April.

Mrs Orme

Head of school

## Dates for your diary



**Thursday 2nd April**- End of Term 4

**Tuesday 21st April**- Start of Term 5

**Thursday 30th April** - Cricket event (Selected pupils) and Cross Country at The Meres (Selected pupils)

**Monday 4th May**- School Closed for Bank Holiday. Maypole dancing at Belvoir Castle (selected pupils)

**w/c 11th May**- SATs Week

**Monday 18th May**- Cricket Day

**Friday 22nd May**- Roots to food for all year groups

**Friday 22nd May**- End of Term 5

**Monday 1st June**- Start of Term 6

**Thursday 11th June**- School Photographs

**Wednesday 17th June**- Sports day at Knipton Cricket Ground

**Thursday 25th June-** Athletics at the Meres stadium (selected students)

**Thursday 9th July-** Belton Park Golf Club (selected students)

**Friday 10th July-** Whole school summer party

**Tuesday 21st July-** Leavers' service

**Wednesday 22nd July-** End of Term 6

## Attendance Term 3



Attendance percentage from 4th September to 27th March 2026

Reception= 92.5 %

Year 1= 94.9 %

Year 2= 96.8 %

Year 3= 97.2 %

Year 4= 98.4 %

Year 5= 97.6 %

Year 6= 96.8 %

A whole school total of **96.56 %** against a target of **97%**

## Term 4 Clubs



### Lunchtime clubs

- Monday- Boxercise all year groups
- Tuesday- Choir
- Thursday- Art club all year groups
- Friday- Football clubs years 5 and 6

### After school clubs 3:30pm-4:30pm

Monday- Multisport years 3-6 (PE kit needed)

Wednesday- Multisport years Reception, 1 and 2 (PE kit needed)

Thursday- Netball Years 3-6

**If your child would like to join an afterschool club, please email the school office. New registers and clubs will start w/c 27th April. THERE WILL BE NO AFTERSCHOOL ACTIVITY CLUBS THE FIRST WEEK OF TERM. If we do not receive written confirmation that you wish for your child to join a club, they will not be able to stay after school and will need collecting.**

## Child Care Survey



Lincolnshire County Council wants to hear from you to help shape childcare IN Lincolnshire.

The survey is open until **12th April** and responses are anonymous, however parents do have the chance to win £50 high street voucher by completing the survey. The more feedback we receive, the better we can understand and support the childcare landscape across the area.

We want to make sure every family in Lincolnshire can access childcare that truly works for them, from nurseries and childminders to breakfast clubs, after-school sessions, and holiday clubs.

Your voice is vital in helping us understand what's working well and where there may be gaps. Your feedback will help shape childcare across Lincolnshire.

For a chance to win a £50 high street voucher, complete the survey here: [Childcare survey 2026 | Let's Talk Lincolnshire](#) (T&Cs apply)

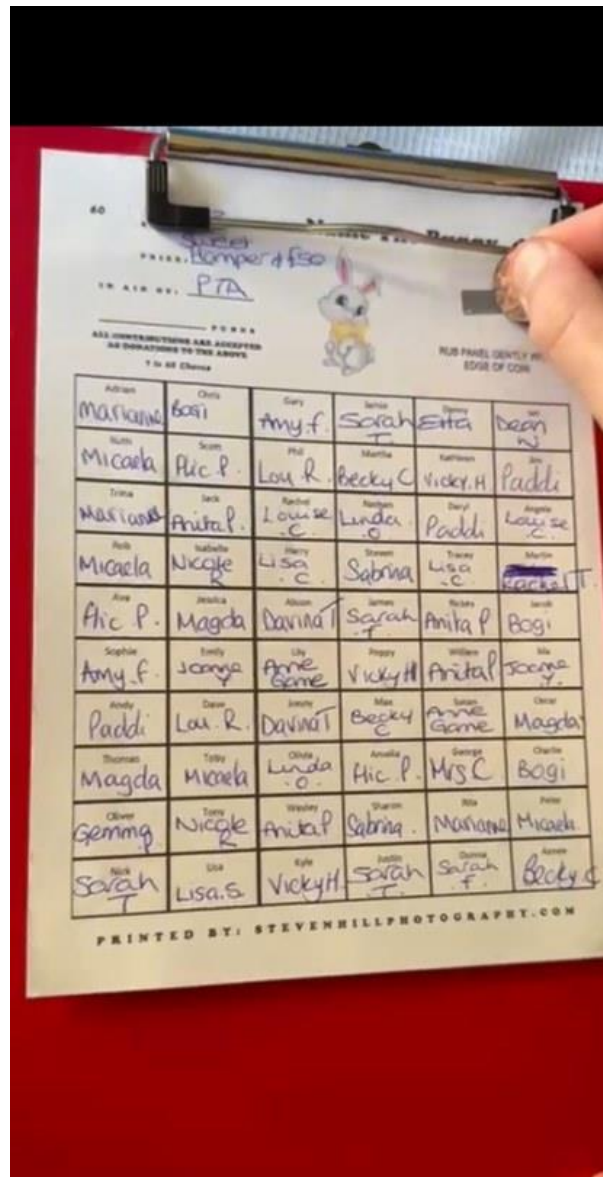
## E-Safety news



### **For Parents - New YouTube Feature**

One of the most common concerns from parents when it comes to YouTube is the lack of parental management features, in other words the videos their children can and should not see. Many parents I speak to don't know that there are features within both the main YouTube app and the YouTube Kids app. As such I have shared these features in this newsletter a few times in the past. But Google have now released another feature, specifically this allows a parent to set up a Supervised Experience account on the parents device. This is important because many younger children will watch YouTube videos on their parents device, where it is likely there are no restrictions in place. So this new feature is a welcome addition. To tie all these features together I have produced an article explaining Supervised Experience (on the main YouTube app) and Parent Allowlisting (on the YouTube Kids app) Link: [YouTube Settings for Parents](#)

# PTA News



Well done to Lisa S for winning the 'Name the Bunny' competition! Next term, weather permitting, look out for the PTA Friday Stalls.

## Class pages



Take a look at some of our fabulous learning on our class pages....

[Class pages](#)

## Update from the House Captains and School Council 2025-2026



The House Captain's fundraising for Guide Dogs UK raised an amazing £94!

A brilliant well done to all the children and in particular the School Council for organising a very successful 'Silly Hair and Break the Rules Day' raising £79.45 on Wednesday 1st/Thursday 2nd April in aid of sponsoring Fortune through World Vision, they raised £79.45 . There were some impressive hairstyles and the children were very excited to break some rules.

## Sporting News



This term we've had some amazing sporting success. It started with the Swimming Gala, a change of format for this year meant that children could compete for medals in their individual races and for the school in the relays. We had so many medals on display and were thrilled to come joint 1st with Harlaxton as the overall winner.

On Sunday 8th March, we had a small but mighty team represent Denton school at the Grantham Schools' Gymnastics Competition. In front of a huge crowd, the children performed a floor routine and a vault. They were amazing! In all three age categories we had a child on the podium- 1st and 2nd for Denton in the under 7, 3rd in the under 9 and 2nd in the under 11. Well done Denton!

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