



# Yealmpton Primary School

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Dear Parents and Carers,

25<sup>th</sup> April 2025



Welcome to the summer term! We're delighted to have the children back and settled so smoothly into their learning routines. It's been wonderful to see their enthusiasm and positive attitude as they dive into new topics and learning challenges. This term promises to be full of exciting experiences, with lots of activities and opportunities planned to enrich the learning and make lasting memories. We're looking forward to a fantastic term ahead and thank you for your continued support.

It is also lovely to Welcome Mrs Collins back to school after a period of illness. She will be having a phased return to work and will be back working in Sycamore Class three days a week from Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> May alongside Mrs Carkett who will be teaching the class on a Monday and Tuesday.

## **September 2025**

Following on from the letter sent out on Thursday regarding the headship of Yealmpton from September, I just wanted to express how delighted I am that Mrs Sam Wilkinson will be taking on the role of Executive Head at Yealmpton and leading our wonderful school forward next year. She brings a wealth of headship experience and will be a great leader for our amazing staff team. Throughout this term, Mrs Wilkison will be spending time each week at Yealmpton getting to know the children, staff, and families to ensure a smooth and positive transition. I know she will be warmly welcomed by our wonderful school community. She will be on the gate on Monday morning next week with Mr Mitchell, so please take a moment to say hello and introduce yourself.

We are now working together to confirm our classes for September and we hope to be able to communicate this out to you within the next few weeks.

Co-Headteachers:

Mrs Julie Tomkins & Mr Mark Mitchell

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## Reception 2025

We are delighted to now have the confirmed list of new children that will be starting their school journey in Willow Class in September. We are looking forward to welcoming the children and their families over the Summer Term. We will be getting in touch with them soon with information about our pre-start sessions and stay and play visits.

## Attendance

We are continuing to monitor attendance really closely as it is both a school and Trust priority. If your child's attendance is currently below 97% and you have not already had a conversation with us, we will be contacting you to let you know your child's current attendance and to identify anything that we can do to support you.

Please remember that we are not able to authorise any term time holiday.



School success starts  
with attendance



For further information please see our Attendance Policy on our school website.

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As we enter the summer term, we wish to highlight some key curriculum dates:

12.05.25 KS2 SATs week

02.06.25 Y4 Multiplication check

09.06.25 Y1 Phonics screening check

An overview of all the important dates this term will be attached to the Friday Flyer next week.

We hope you all have a wonderful weekend.

Mrs Tomkins and Mr Mitchell

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