

Headteacher Newsletter

13TH FEBRUARY 2026

A MESSAGE FROM THE HEAD

Dear parents and carers,

Another half term has flown by, and I am sure all of the children are looking forward to a well deserved rest over the upcoming break.

It has been another busy time at Well Green, with an Ofsted inspection, Arts Week, Musical Morning and a variety of incredible events planned by our PTA, and I'm so pleased to see that children continue to come to school excited and enthusiastic about their learning.

A huge well done to those children that performed in today's Musical Morning performance - whilst I was sad to have missed this, I heard from many parents, children and staff that the talent on show was excellent - a big thank you goes to Ms Van Cook and Mrs Moorhouse for organising this.

Next half-term promises to be just as exciting, with spring performances, a swimming gala, and the school's very first Iftar celebration, in addition to the wonderful things that take place every day within the classroom, I'm already excited to celebrate the achievements of all of our pupils.

Whatever you choose to do over the half term, please ensure you relax and take time for yourself!

Have a wonderful break,

Mr Tien-Rhimes

PLAYGROUND EQUIPMENT

We have recently invested in lots of new playground equipment. using the money allocated to the school for Sports Premium. Children have enjoyed using new skipping ropes, basketball hoops, bouncy hoppers, connect 4, jenga and many more exciting new resources, and we are excited to invest more in our outdoor offer in the next few months.

ATTENDANCE

Our attendance this week was 96.3%, which is above our whole school target. Well done everybody!

Well done to the following pupils, who were recognised this week for their amazing work in class:

Reception - Sophia Wilbourn
Year 1 - Hayyan Sadique
Year 2 - Khadija Raza
Year 3 - Rudi Roberts Smith
Year 4 - Gabrielle Lo
Year 5 - Jessica Wemyss-Small
Year 6 - Bhargavi Vempaty

BIG QUESTION

This weeks assembly focused on Children's Mental Health. Children were given strategies to support their own mental health, and were asked to consider ways in which they could boost their own mental health! Children have been very forthcoming in sharing these ideas and it's great to see young children which such a healthy attitude to their own mental health!

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PHILHARMONIC PERFORMANCES

For those of you that are musically minded, the BBC Philharmonic are offering £8 tickets to attend shows at the Bridgewater Hall. You can use the discount code BBCPO-GMHUB or check the listings on the Philharmonic website:

<https://www.bridgewater-hall.co.uk/whats-on/?series=576>

CREATION STATION HOLIDAY CLUB

The wonderful Lucy, that runs our Creation Station club, is running an Arts & Crafts holiday club at Cloverlee Primary School this half term. You can visit the below website for further information:

<https://portal.thecreationstation.franscape.io/class-overview/9863>

ONLINE SAFETY RESOURCES

Thank you to those parents that attended the Online Safety Workshops recently. I have uploaded the resources from these workshops to our website, under the Community > Useful Online Resources tab. If you have any further questions or queries regarding Online Safety, please ask Mr Tien-Rhimes or Mrs Bell.

HALE 10KM AND ASHLEY HALE 3KM

The popular Hale 10k returns bringing runners of all abilities together through the closed roads of Hale village and into the Ashley countryside on Sunday 15th February. There is also space in the children's 3km race (on Sunday 15th Feb at 9.00am) and it would be great to see some of our children taking part. Visit hale10.com for more information.

CHALLENGE CORNER

Select the two words that will complete the word chain below:

spoon → ____ → ____ → shoot

☐ A spout ☐ B shook ☐ C spool ☐ D shout ☐ E Spain ☐ F spook

Write the two words that will transform the word on the left to the word on the right:

think → ____ → ____ → lying

Write here

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23 February	Children return to School
23 February	Scholastic Book Fair (all week)
3 March	NSPCC school visit
4 March	Swimming Gala (Y3 and 4 – Select Pupils)
5 March	World Book Day
6 March	Iftar (PTA event)
16 March	Assessment Week
27 March	Interim Reports
30 March	Parents Evening
31 March	Parents Evening
31 March	Spring Performance (KS1) 2.30pm
1 April	Spring Celebrations Performance (KS2) 9.15am
1 April	Decorate an egg competition deadline
2 April	PTA Break the Rules Day
2 April	BREAK UP FOR EASTER

WELL GREEN PRIMARY SCHOOL