



Newtown Linford Primary School

Fortnightly Bulletin - 30th January 2026

Dear Parents/ carers,

It has been a sporting start to the term. Off the back of our recent dodgeball success, our pupils have continued to shine, this time with some fantastic results in cross country. Their determination, teamwork, and positive attitude were brilliant to see. We are also looking ahead with excitement to our upcoming involvement in the Sportshall Athletics events. Meanwhile, Tyburn have enjoyed getting outdoors at Forest School. From exploring the natural environment to developing teamwork and problem solving skills, it has been a real highlight.

Thank you, as always, for your continued support, Mr Chapple

School Values

*Individuality
Excellence
Adventures*

This term's focus is –
Individuality



Sport

It's been a busy week for sport. Children from KS2 attended the cross country at Brookvale on Saturday 24th. They represented the school brilliantly and demonstrated real grit and determination. We had a number of children place in the top ten and look forward to the county races in February.

Year 5/6 children then represented us at the sports hall athletics. Not only did they make us proud with their performance but also with how they encouraged each other.



PTA

The PTA have planned a 'Wear What You Love' non-uniform day on Monday 9th February and the ever-popular Spring Fling Disco will be on Thursday 26th March. More details to follow!



Star Writers

To celebrate writing in school, we are launching our Star Writers. In each class, children who have impressed can earn the chance to have their work proudly displayed on the classroom wall.

A big well done to our current Star Writers.



World Book Day

We are celebrating World Book Day on Thursday 5th March. Children are invited to dress up as a character from a favourite story or wear something cosy.



We will be launching our Masked Reader competition with the chance for the children to win a £10 book voucher. All they need to do is guess which teacher is behind the mask!



We are also working with the PTA to run an Easter poetry competition and will be announcing details of this on World Book Day.

Change of address

Please let the office know if you have had a change of address or other contact details so we can make sure your child's record is up to date.

Parking

Please be mindful when parking. We have had a number of occasions where driveways have been blocked. We would like to remind you that it is illegal to park within 10 metres of a junction. We have contacted Deborah Taylor, County Councillor for some support in this matter.



Diary Dates

Thursday 5th February	Old John trip to Imperial War Museum (children to be at school for 7.30am)
Monday 9th February	Wear What You Love non-uniform day (suggested donation £1 per child)
Friday 13th February	Break up for half term holiday
Thursday 5th March	World Book Day
Monday 9th & Wednesday 11th March	Parents' evenings (booking details to follow)