



# WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

Dedicated to fostering an inclusive culture that respects, values and celebrates the contributions of all our children.



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## Staff News

Mrs Arthur, TA in 4B, leaves Saxon on Wednesday next week after 8 years as a member of staff here. Mrs Arthur is moving to work with older children in a secondary school. We thank her for her dedication and hard work, and wish her all the best for the future. Mrs Moody is moving to 4B as the Class TA and Mrs Charles-Obi will continue in 3T. Miss Crow will be joining the team soon and will be based in 2P and 1B.

Mrs Lacey will be returning to her role as Inclusion Manager in September and will be working Tues-Fri each week. In the next few weeks, Mrs Lacey will be spending some time in school to receive a handover from Mrs Vale; who will of course continue to support Mrs Lacey next year whilst she settles back in from her maternity leave. I know families will be pleased to see Mrs Lacey back.

## Reception 2026

Welcome to our new families who are now receiving our weekly newsletter. We're delighted you've accepted your place and will be joining the Saxon family very soon. I hope the newsletter begins to give you a little insight into our wonderful school, and we look forward to seeing you on Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> May at the Induction Evening.

## Nursery 2026 Stay & Play

A reminder that we have our Stay & Play session on Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> May from 9am-10am for any families looking for a Nursery space for next year. We have three intakes a year – September, January & April – so even if you don't need a space until later in the year, you're very welcome to come along.

## Nurture Survey

As you will know, we have been working towards the Nurturing Schools Award for the past 18 months and we are almost ready to submit our application. This same survey was shared with you in April 2025 and we would like to hear feedback from our Saxon families about how you feel we have progressed in the last year. This survey will close on Monday 11<sup>th</sup> May. Thank you in advance for your feedback.  
<https://forms.gle/UvYg4vfrNdb9r6r8A>

## Vacancies Across The Trust

The Echelford Primary School is recruiting:  
We are recruiting a Deputy Wraparound Care Manager (12 hours per week, 3pm – 6pm three afternoons per week and 7.30am – 8.30am three mornings per week), term time only (38 weeks per year). We are offering a wonderful opportunity to become an integral part of our exceptional community of children and adults. We are looking to appoint someone who wants to create a provision that is stimulating, safe, caring and creative. The right candidate will be organised and able to lead and work as part of a team and use their own initiative.  
For more information on these roles please see:  
<https://www.eteach.com/job/deputy-wraparound-care-manager-1547435>

## Key Dates

### May

Mon 4 <sup>th</sup>	Bank Holiday – no school
Mon 11 <sup>th</sup> – Thurs 14 <sup>th</sup>	Y6 SATS
Wed 13 <sup>th</sup>	Reception Trip to Bocketts Farm
Thurs 21 <sup>st</sup>	Y5 Trip to Hampton Court Palace
Fri 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Mufti for Shepperton Fair
Mon 25 <sup>th</sup> – Fri 29 <sup>th</sup>	May Half Term

### June

Mon 1 <sup>st</sup> May	Children return to school
Wed 3 <sup>rd</sup> Fri 5 <sup>th</sup>	Class Photos Mufti for Shepperton Fair
Mon 8 <sup>th</sup> – Fri 12 <sup>th</sup>	Y5 Bikeability
Sat 13 <sup>th</sup> Wed 17 <sup>th</sup>	Shepperton Fair EYFS Sports Day KS1 Sports Day
Thurs 18 <sup>th</sup> Tues 23 <sup>rd</sup> Wed 24 <sup>th</sup> Fri 26 <sup>th</sup> Tues 30 <sup>th</sup>	KS2 Sports Day 3T Feet First 3B Feet First SSA Family Event Y6 Secondary School Visits

Move up Morning & New Reception Induction

### July

Fri 17 <sup>th</sup>	End of Term – finish at 1:45pm
Mon 20 <sup>th</sup>	INSET DAY 4 – no school
Tues 21 <sup>st</sup>	INSET DAY 5 – no school
Wed 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Summer Holidays

### Sept

Thurs 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Children return to school at 8:40am
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### Achievement Certificates

Certificates of Achievement for demonstrating one of our values (Kindness, Respect, Teamwork, Belonging & Achieving) were awarded to:

#### KS1

RL Betsy M (A) & Ray (T)  
RM Vogue (B) & Olivia (A)  
1B Tommy (A) & Finn (A)  
1S Dylan (R) & Raemon (A)  
2A Kit (A) & Isa (R)  
2P Roscoe (R) & Noah (A)

#### KS2

3B Georgi (A) & Kendall (K)  
3T Sophie (A) & Shivani (A)  
4B Leila-Hope (A) & Teddy (T)  
4M Tamiya (R) & Calian (T)  
5D Dolcie (A) & Wylfi (R)  
5W Rex (A) & Holly (R)  
6A Jacob (A) & Esme (R)  
6P Ronan (A) & Eddie (B)

### Outside Achievements

Very well done to:

- Freddie (4B) represented Walton AC in the Epsom Downs Cross Country League throughout the winter season, demonstrating great commitment and determination. Across the series of races, he achieved an impressive personal best time of 10 minutes 45 seconds
- Annie (6P) for coming 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> in her recent swimming competition

### Stay on Green



Consistently demonstrating green behaviour choices throughout the entire week and therefore receiving a golden leaf this week were: Rana (N); George, Alina, Tommy & Salahuddin (1B); Logan (1S); Eva, Samantha & Isa (2A); Jasmine & Marnie (2P); Joshua (4B); Jaylen (4M); Freya (5D) an Ruby & Theo (6P) well done to all of these children!

Have a lovely long weekend, and we'll see you all on Tuesday

Miss Morris  
Headteacher

### **Term Dates 2025-2026**

These are the days children are expected in school. Please refer to these dates when booking holidays:

<b>Summer Term 2026</b>	
Monday 25 <sup>th</sup> May – Friday 29 <sup>th</sup> May	HALF TERM
Monday 1 <sup>st</sup> June	Children return to school
Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> July	Last day of term (finish at 1:45pm)
Monday 20 <sup>th</sup> July	INSET DAY 4
Tuesday 21 <sup>st</sup> July	INSET DAY 5

### **Term Dates 2026-2027**

<b>Autumn Term 2026</b>	
Tuesday 1 <sup>st</sup> September 2026	INSET Day 1
Wednesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> September 2026	INSET Day 2
Thursday 3 <sup>rd</sup> September 2026	Children return to school
Monday 19 <sup>th</sup> October – Friday 30 <sup>th</sup> October 2026	Half term (two weeks)
Friday 18 <sup>th</sup> December 2026	End of Term (day finishes early)
<b>Spring Term 2027</b>	
Tuesday 5 <sup>th</sup> January 2027	INSET Day 3
Wednesday 6 <sup>th</sup> January 2027	Children return to school
Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> February – Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> February 2027	Half term (one week)
Thursday 25 <sup>th</sup> March 2027	End of Term (day finishes early)
<b>Summer Term 2027</b>	
Monday 12 <sup>th</sup> April 2027	Children return to school
Monday 31 <sup>st</sup> May – Friday 4 <sup>th</sup> June 2027	Half term (one week)
Tuesday 20 <sup>th</sup> July 2027	End of Term (day finishes early)
Wednesday 21 <sup>st</sup> July 2027	INSET Day 4
Thursday 22 <sup>nd</sup> July 2027	INSET Day 5

# SAXON PRIMARY SCHOOL & NURSERY BESPOKE TOURS

for prospective families of 2026  
Nursery children

**WE ARE OFFERING SMALL, BESPOKE TOURS OF  
OUR NURSERY AND THE OPPORTUNITY TO MEET  
SENIOR LEADERS.**

Come along and explore our Nursery and school  
sites and find out more about our passion for  
creating life-long learners and the school's  
commitment to inclusion and equality for all.

Tours are available every Friday morning at  
10am and will last approx. 30 minutes.



**TO BOOK YOUR PLACE PLEASE  
SEARCH FOR  
[HTTPS://BUYTICKETS.AT/SAXONP  
RIMARYSCHOOL](https://buytickets.at/saxonprimaryschool), SCAN THE QR  
CODE ABOVE OR CALL OUR  
FRIENDLY OFFICE TEAM ON 01932  
563035 DURING TERM TIME WHO  
CAN ANSWER ANY QUESTIONS YOU  
MAY HAVE**



# YEAR 5 & 6

## CAREERS' FAIR

TUESDAY 23RD JUNE

1:30 - 3:00PM

### VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

to speak to the children about your  
job and the knowledge, skills and  
qualifications you need to be  
successful in your role.

Scan the QR code to sign up!



**TEDDY BEAR**

**DONATIONS**

Do you have any Teddy bears, plushies or soft toys you're looking to rehome?

Saxon would love to help find them a forever home with our **Teddy bear tombola!**

Thank you for helping spread love and joy!

**EVERY DONATION MAKES A DIFFERENCE!**

## Clubs



**PLG SPORTS COACHING**  
— PLAY, LEARN, GROW —

★ Play ★ Learn ★ Grow



Book Here!

Save money with our money saving cam passes!



Cancel up until 5pm the day before and get a refund with PLG Flex

**May Half Term Camps**  
Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> – Friday 29<sup>th</sup> May

**Saxon Primary School**

Offering a huge range of activities including: 30+ sports, arts & crafts, swimming\*\*, zorbing, fun with food, escape rooms, RC racers, team games and more!

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SATURDAY 2nd MAY  
FIRST SESSION FREE

AGES 3-5 ALL LEVELS ACCEPTED  
10:00am - 11:00am



## Parent Survey on Wraparound and Holiday Childcare Provision



Surrey County Council  
Victoria Gate  
Chobham Road  
Woking  
GU21 6JD

28th April 2026

Contact email: [eyexpansion@surreycc.gov.uk](mailto:eyexpansion@surreycc.gov.uk)

Dear Parent or Carer

The government's ambition is that all parents and carers of primary school-aged children (5 to 11 years old) who need it will have access to wraparound childcare in their local area. Wraparound childcare provides families with care for children before and after the school day during term time. In most cases this is paid for by parents/carers.

This childcare should be available from 8:00am to 6:00pm (or similar hours that meet the needs of the local families and community). There is also an increased focus on care available during the school holidays.

To help us better understand the needs of Surrey families when it comes to wraparound and holiday childcare provision for children who are at school, we would like to invite you to complete a survey. Specific aspects that we would welcome your views on are:

- how you use childcare
- your experiences of provision for children with additional needs and disabilities
- how access to wraparound and holiday childcare provision impacts your family

You can access the survey using the QR code or the link below:



<https://eyandchildcare.commonplace.is/proposals/v3/wraparound-and-holiday-childcare-for-school-age-children-parent-survey1>

Thank you for taking the time to share your views and experiences. Your answers will help give us a clearer picture of childcare needs in Surrey so we can plan future support for wraparound and holiday providers.

Yours sincerely,

Early Years and Wraparound Expansion Team