



Nurture Experience Respect Community

25th September 2026 – Weekly Newsletter

School Values

Our core school values—Nurture, Experience, Respect, and Community—sit at the heart of everything we do. Far from being just words on a page, they are lived out daily by our children and staff. Since returning from the summer break, our commitment to *nurture* has been especially visible. From the warm greetings that welcome pupils at the door each morning to lessons encouraging collaboration and mutual support, these everyday actions ensure our children feel safe, happy, and ready to learn. A happy child is a thriving learner, and I am immensely proud of the staff and pupils who continue to bring this value to life across our school community.

Attendance Matters: Every Minute Counts

As we approach the end of our first month back, a big well done to all classes achieving above our school target of 96%!

Please remember that doors open promptly at **8:45 AM**. Arriving on time ensures your child doesn't miss early morning phonics and registration tasks, which set a calm tone for their entire day.

Open Day Success

On Wednesday, we were delighted to welcome prospective Reception families for September 2027 to our Open Day. If you know of any families who were unable to attend but would still like to look around, please encourage them to contact the school office to arrange a visit. We always love showing families around, sharing our vibrant learning environment, and celebrating the wonderful achievements of our pupils.

Congratulations to this week's achievers:

Awards for week ending 25-09-2026

	Kindness	Pupil of the week	Learner of the week
Class 1	Archer Stainsby	Sana Rahime	Caleb Barker
Class 2	Barnaby Bingham	Asmaa Al Hajjo	Deanna-Mae Barq-Pemberthy
Class 3	Harper George	Braxton-Lee Brownson	Francis Paterson
Class 4	Lily Jayne	Abdulrahman Oyedokun	Carson-Lee Beal
Class 5	Eva Wright	Connie Soppitt	Emma Newstead
Class 6	Billy Brown	Flynn Patterson	Octavia Dawes

Attendance

Classes attendance this week:

1 st Class 6	99%	2 nd Class 3	99%
3 rd Class 2	98%	4 th Class 1	94%
5 th Class 5	92%	6 th Class 4	89%

*** Whole School – 95.8% **

Lucky Reading Stars

Agnes Simpson	Danielle Cort
Kai Canovan	Lillie-May Brannigan
Lily Jayne	Ivan Scott
Grace Daley	Husna Rahime
Reuben Nixon	Noah Smith
Octavia Dawes	Flynn Patterson

Please remember to read with your child three times per week at home, this really helps your child make the progress they can in school. Thank you.

Looking ahead

- Wednesday 23rd September - Year 2 – Washington Wildfowl Park Trip
- Tuesday 6th October - Adam Bushnell (author) in school working with all children
- Friday 9th October - Hello Yellow – non uniform day, wear something Yellow (more details to follow)

SPRING/SUMMER 2026 MENU

WEEK 2 COCKTON HILL INFANT SCHOOL

HOT DISHES							
OPTION 1	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY		
OPTION 1	Cheese and Tomato Pizza with Potato Wedges 	Beef Burger with Herby Diced Potatoes	Roast Pork with Yorkshire Pudding, Potatoes and Gravy	Chicken Tandoori with Wholegrain Rice and Naan Bread 	Fish Fingers with Chips		
	Macaroni Cheese 	Vegetable Korma with Wholegrain Rice  	Quorn Roast with Yorkshire Pudding, Potatoes and Gravy 	Veggie Burger with Herby Diced Potatoes  	Quorn Dippers with Chips 		
	Jacket Potato with a Choice of Fillings 	Ham or Cheese Sandwich	Jacket Potato with a Choice of Fillings 	Tuna or Cheese Sandwich	Jacket Potato with a Choice of Fillings 		

ALL DISHES ARE SERVED WITH CRUNCHY VEGETABLES AND / OR FRESH SALAD

VEG	Sweetcorn Salad Bar	Garden Peas Mixed Salad	Cabbage Carrots	Sweetcorn Big Bowl Salad	Garden Peas Baked Beans
	Watermelon	Chocolate Marble Cake	Shortbread with Fruit	Chocolate Cookie	Ice Cream

DESSERT

AVAILABLE DAILY

Fresh Fruit, Freshly Baked Bread, Yoghurt and Water



Vegetarian



Wholegrain



Nutritionist's Choice



Oily Fish



Fruity



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Vegan



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Schools

Our menu is subject to change. Please be assured that all notified medical diets and allergy requirements will be safely catered for.