

# NEWSLETTER

2nd May 2025

## This is Me Day



We are delighted to share our recent OFSTED report with you, following our March 2025 inspection. This is the first newsletter since the report became public and it reflects what we already know and value so deeply at Chase Bridge—that our school is a place where every child is nurtured, challenged and celebrated. We are incredibly proud of the whole school community: our dedicated staff, supportive families and most of all, our wonderful children.

This report is more than a recognition of high standards; it's a celebration of everything we achieve together. We have been truly overwhelmed by the kind words from parents and the wider community. It's a powerful reminder that Chase Bridge is more than just a school, it's a place of belonging, where teamwork and shared purpose help our community to thrive.

Our recent This is Me Day beautifully epitomised this spirit of community and inclusion. It was a joyful celebration of identity, togetherness, and belonging—and we are so grateful for the support you gave in making it such a special day. Thank you to the Friends of Chase Bridge for organising the International Food Hall as part of the 'This is Me' day after school - this raised £716.00 which will go towards resources and books linked with our inclusive offer for all.

Now that we can all celebrate this achievement together, we hope the report brings a real sense of pride to everyone who contributes to our vibrant and caring school. Thank you for being such a vital part of it.

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## Times, dates and places for your diary

- **Monday 5th May** - BANK HOLIDAY
- **Tuesday 6th May** - 4C swimming
- **Wednesday 7th May** - Maple class to Bocketts Farm
- **Thursday 8th May** - Cherry class to Bocketts Farm; VE80 Day celebrations
- **Monday 12th May** - Fir class to Bocketts Farm; Year 6 SATs week
- **Tuesday 13th May** - 4C swimming
- **Wednesday 14th May** - Year 5 to TYM
- **Thursday 15th May** - Year 5 to TYM
- **Friday 16th May** - Year 5 to TYM; Year 1 to Kew Gardens

### Holiday dates for the academic year 2024-25

**Monday 5th May** - BANK HOLIDAY

**Monday 26th - Friday 30th May** - HALF TERM

**Friday 18th July** - END OF TERM

## Celebrations and Achievements



Congratulations to **Hayley (Y6)** who received a Distinction in her ABRSM Grade 4 Violin Practical and **Zoe (Y4)** who achieved a Merit in her ABRSM Grade 1 Piano Practical exam, scoring 128 points with full marks in the aural test section.

Congratulations also to the following children who recently took their Grade 1 exams:

**Julia (6B)** - Merit- flute; **Giulio (5M)** - Merit - clarinet; **Louis (6B)** - Merit - sax; **Alice (6P)** - Merit - clarinet; **Lyra (5W)** - Distinction - clarinet and **Oscar (5B)** - Distinction - sax

# Twickenham Museum - JMW Turner & West London exhibition



This exhibition will celebrate the time that the famous landscape artist spent living at Brentford, Isleworth, Hammersmith and Twickenham.

This year is the 250th anniversary of Turner's birth and events are taking place across the country. JMW Turner is famously on the latest £20 note.

The Twickenham Museum are also loaning artefacts for the Chase Bridge VE80 day including photographs and objects such as ration books, gas masks, candles.

## Attendance League table





Position	Class	TR %	WTR %	Points From TR	Total Points	Points To	Target %
1	4C	96.1%	3	0	40	97.8%	96.1%
2	Birch	97.5%	5	2	40	99.0%	97.6%
3	6B	96.2%	5	0	38	96.3%	95.0%
4	Cherwell	96.5%	4	0	36	98.1%	96.3%
5	3B	96.3%	3	0	34	98.1%	92.4%
6	3M	96.2%	4	0	32	96.5%	90.3%
7	4B	94.5%	4	0	32	97.1%	90.3%
8	5M	96.4%	3	3	31	99.3%	96.4%
9	Azania	96.2%	8	0	31	96.7%	92.2%
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11	4K	95.8%	1	0	28	97.9%	95.9%
12	Willow	96.1%	4	0	27	99.3%	96.2%
13	5B	95.5%	4	2	24	95.6%	93.3%
14	5W	94.4%	3	2	19	96.9%	93.5%
15	3F	95.0%	2	0	18	96.9%	91.8%
16	Oak	93.6%	2	0	17	96.1%	85.0%
17	Apple	93.7%	2	0	15	97.2%	93.6%
18	6D	94.4%	0	0	10	96.0%	93.3%

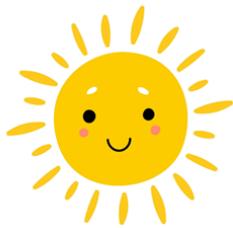
1 point awarded to the classes with attendance above 95%  
 An additional 2 points awarded to classes with attendance above 90%  
 2 points to the class up on the previous week  
 1 point to the class level on the previous week  
 Bonus 4 points to the class with attendance above 90%  
 Bonus 2 points to the Attendance Ambassadors that collect figures on a Friday




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The Attendance League table so far, keep it going Ambassadors and well done to 4C who remain at the top of the table with 40 points!

## Sun Safety



We hope you all enjoyed the Easter break and the summer sun!

The weather is set to stay warm for the next few weeks so just as a reminder, please ensure you apply sunscreen to your child before the start of the school day and send in a named hat and water bottle. **Sun cream can not be applied at school** and should not be in your child's bag. Many thanks for the

continued support, Katie Pyke

## Thank you

Many thanks to Sarah Walker from Walker Estate Agents who very kindly donated a Fire HD. We were joint winners in a recent social media competition that she ran. We are extremely grateful for all the support we receive from our local business community.



## Fantasy Football Frenzy: Frantastica FC Takes the Lead!

With just **four gameweeks left**, the Year 5/6 Fantasy League has been turned **upside down!**

Rank	Team & Manager	GW	TOT
1	<b>Frantastica FC</b> Francesca R	68	1743
2	<b>ThomasTheFrankEngine</b> Louis B	24	1727
3	<b>Irn Brunich</b> Mr Kelly	45	1651
4	<b>Great Greeny LC</b> Josh E	28	1633
5	<b>Bees United</b> Joseph H	56	1615

**Frantastica FC** (Francesca R-R) has come storming from **3rd to 1st**, racking up an impressive **68 points** this week to snatch the lead from **ThomasTheFrankEngine** (Louis B), who now trails by just **16 points**.

**Irn Brunich** (Mr Kelly) has taken hold of 3rd, but is only **18 points** ahead of **Great Greeny LC** (Josh E), while **Bees United** (Coach Joe) returns to the top five in style.

The title race is **wide open**—who will rise, who will crumble, and who will be crowned champion? Let the final countdown begin!

## Reception visit Whitton High Street

Reception classes have been learning about the local area.

They enjoyed going on the bus with their friends into Whitton to explore what shops they could see. It was a great opportunity for them to learn new vocabulary such as opticians and estate agents. We were very proud of them all for behaving so well on their first trip out of school.



## St George's Day Parade



The Chase Bridge lion roared proudly at Whitton's St George's Day Parade on Sunday. We hope the children and families had a fantastic day celebrating with the rest of the local community. Thank you to Debby Matthews who helped coordinate on the day.