



Dates for the Diary

March

13th – Enrichment morning- Science Week themed

13th – KNEX challenges Y6 (AM) & Y5 (PM)

13th – **1.30-3pm** OPAL Family Fun afternoon (Rec-Y6)

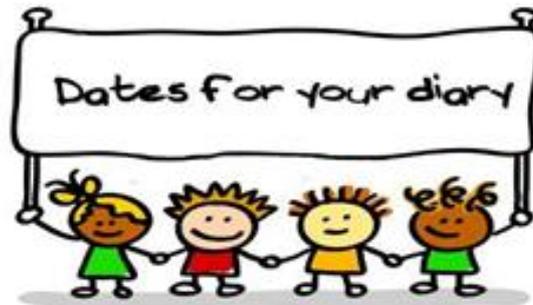
16th – **9-10am** Parent workshop focused on Communication

18th – **2.30pm** Parent Metacognition presentation (led by Inclusion Ambassadors)

24th – Y5 Dance Festival @ Campus West

25th – **1.30-2.30pm** Y3 & Y4 Easter Play

25th – **2.30pm** Parent Inclusion Forum





World Book Day 2026!





You are invited...



To Parents and Carers,
You are invited to our OPAL Family
Fun event on Friday 13th March from
1.30-3pm You will get to join the fun of OPAL
play with your child. We look forward to
seeing you there.

Our **OPAL Family event will start at 1.30pm**. We are going to be joined by our OPAL Mentor who is going to hold a parent talk from 1.30pm before the play session begins at 2pm.

Please be aware this is for children in Reception-Y6 and if you need to bring a younger sibling they must stay with you at all times and are not allowed on Tree Tops or the climbing frame (siblings only).

***Y5 children will be joining this event at 2.30pm not 2pm as they are taking part in a KNEX challenge for the first part of the afternoon. Y5 parents are still welcome to join from 1.30pm ***



Sunglasses

Children should not bring in or wear sunglasses at playtime or lunchtime. They can get easily lost or broken and as they are brittle plastic could cause injury to the face. When the weather is sunny, children may wear sunhats/caps at playtime and lunchtime to keep the sun out of their eyes.



Our Inclusion Ambassadors have created these brilliant posters inviting all parents to our Metacognition Presentation on 18th March @ 2.30pm - please come along to learn more!

METACOGNITION PRESENTATION

Presented by: Inclusion ambassadors

Alice H, Alice S, Alfred, David, Marnie, Nadine

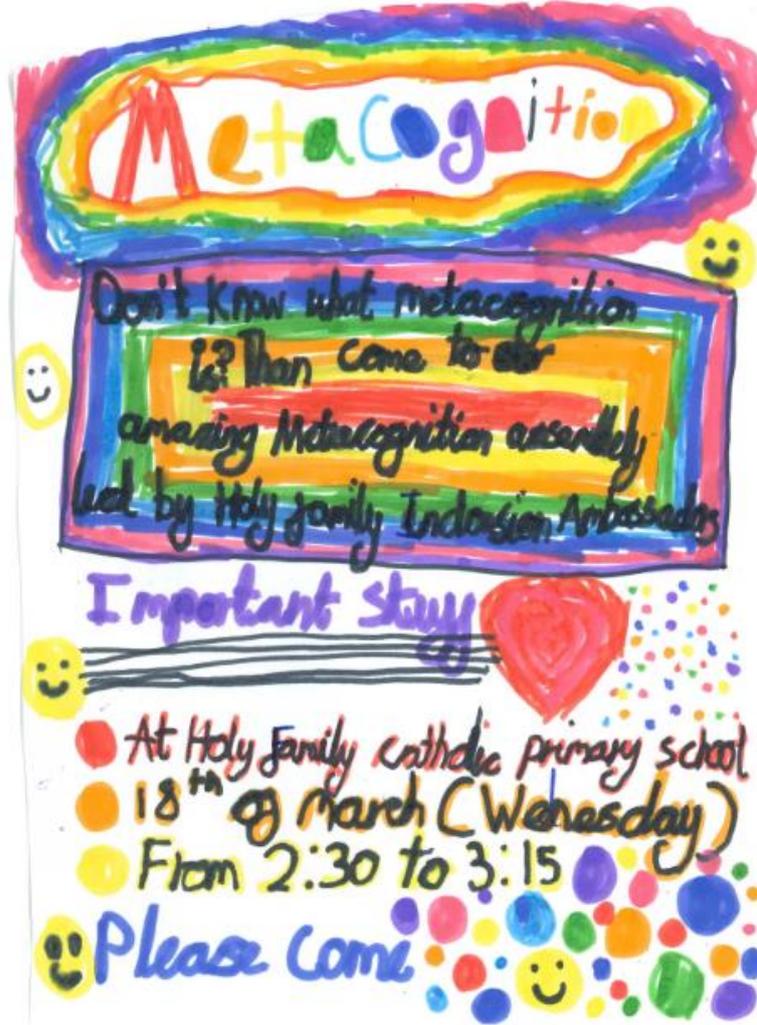
Date: 18th March 2026

Time: 2:30pm

Location: Holy Family School

Hello! Us again! Remember when we (the inclusion ambassadors) asked you (parents) if you knew what metacognition meant. Well, if you said no then you can join us to learn about metacognition and how we reinforce it at school. Or maybe you said yes, you can come along too to learn even more. We would love to see you there!

DON'T MISS OUT!



Clubs for this half term

Please see a summary below of the school organised and external clubs that are running this half term:

	Organised by school 3.15-4.15pm No charge Booked via Arbor & queries to school office	Organised by external providers Check sign up details, times and prices for each club
Mon	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Table Tennis Club – Yr 5 & 6 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tetra Sports Football Club for Yr 1 & 2 – details here or https://tetrasports.magicbooking.co.uk/
Tues	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Multi-sports club Y1,Y2 & Y3 Times Table Rockstars Club – Yr 3 & 4 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Chess Club – for Y2-Y6 Contact Zahra Jaufarally @ Kings and Queens Chess Club admin@kingsandqueenschess.co.uk 07900 048446 or sign up here
Weds		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tetra Sports Football Club for all KS2 – details here or https://tetrasports.magicbooking.co.uk/
Thurs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Jigsaw Puzzle & Card Games club Rec, Y1 & Y2 Homework Club – Yr 3, 4, 5 & 6 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Everyone Cooks for Y1-Y6 Contact Louise Penn on 07946 303 213 or louise@everyonecooks.co.uk (see below)
Fri	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Musicals Club - Yr 3, 4, 5 & 6 	

All clubs must be booked in advance. Please contact the school office if you have any questions - 01707 375518



EASTER FUN POTENTIAL KIDS

Tue 31st March
6.00-7.30pm
Roller Skating
Roller City
Campus West
Age 8 Yrs +

Wed 1st April
Wed 8th April
1.00-2.00pm
Fun Rings
Snow Centre
Gosling
Age 8 yrs +

Thur 2nd April
Thur 9th April
10.00-12pm
Pony Morning
Danecroft Stables
Age 5-11 yrs

Thur 2nd April
6.30-8.00pm
Soft Play
Funzone
Birchwood
Age 4-12 yrs

Tue 7th April
10.30-12.30
1.30-3.30
Cooking&Gardening
Potential Kids
Garden
Age 4 yrs +

Thur 9th April
6.00-7.00pm
Trampoline
Gosling Sports
Centre
Age 5 yrs +

Sessions for neurodivergent children, young people and their siblings

BOOKINGS:
potentialkids.org.uk/events

Further event details can be found on our website



Promoting social inclusion, new friendships, physical activity, life skills, learning and social skills

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EMBRACING NEURODIVERSITY

Autism-ADHD-Dyslexia-Dyspraxia-Tourettes
www.potentialkids.org.uk





**LEARN TO BALANCE AND RIDE
AND DEVELOPING BETTER BIKE
CONTROL COURSES (EASTER 2026)**



One of the best skills children can learn, opening up opportunities for fun, independence, activity and health for a lifetime.

LEARN TO BALANCE AND RIDE (L2BR)

- For children typically aged between 3.5 and 11
- 80% + of children are normally riding after 2 sessions
- 1 Instructor to max 5 children
- Balance bike and lightweight pedal bike for each child included in price
- 1 hour sessions
- **£38** for recommended 2 sessions and **£25** for 1 session.

DEVELOPING BETTER BIKE CONTROL (DBBC)

- Follow-on course for new or inexperienced riders
- Covers key skills of starting, stopping, turning, looking, riding close to others, gears and signalling
- 1 Instructor to max 5 children
- Bike provided if required (extra £5.00)
- 1 hour sessions
- **£24** using my bike and **£19** using own bike

Full course details at: www.hertsbalance.uk/course-descriptions

Dates:

**Monday March 30th
and Tuesday March 31st**
Tudor Primary School,
Hemel Hempstead, HP3 9ER

**Wednesday April 1st
and Thursday April 2nd**
Roundwood Primary School,
Harpenden, AL5 3AD

**Tuesday April 7th
and Wednesday April 8th**
The Ridgeway Academy,
Welwyn Garden City, AL7 2AF

**Thursday April 9th
and Friday April 10th**
Leavesden Green JMI,
Watford, WD25 7QZ.

**Saturday May 16th
and Sunday May 17th**
Roundwood Primary School,
Harpenden, AL5 3AD

For more information and to book, go to www.hertsbalance.uk/public-schedule-booking
email phil@hertsbalance.uk or call Phil on 07941 061717.

Private L2BR, DBBC and Bikeability sessions are available for children and adults
and families. Details at www.hertsbalance.uk/private-sessions