

Headteacher's Newsletter 2025-26 Issue 17 28/03/26



A huge thank you to Wixams Parish Council & Willow Grove PTA!

We're thrilled to share that, thanks to a generous grant from Wixams Parish Council and the support of the PTA, we've been able to purchase three Friendship Benches for our school! One has been placed in the EYFS play area, one in the KS1 playground, and one in the KS2 playground.

Friendship Benches provide a special spot for children to show how they're feeling and invite others to join in. A child can sit on the bench, and it signals to peers that they'd like someone to play with — promoting inclusion, social connection, and kindness across our school community.

These benches will be a wonderful addition to our play areas, encouraging friendships and fostering our school values for many years. They can also be used by parents or carers when collecting children or attending school events.

Thank you again to Wixams Parish Council & Willow Grove PTA for supporting our students and helping our school community grow stronger together!

Thank you to our PTA for all of your help this half-term - Easter activities, tuck shop, grant bids and more! We are very lucky to have you!



Sharing Religious and Cultural Celebrations!

We enjoyed fabulous Easter and Eid assemblies last week! The children enjoyed finding out more about Christianity and Islam. Mrs Kennedy was also delighted to have a meeting with two of our Sikh families to find out more about the festival of Vaisakhi! This wonderful conversation has prompted our very first Vaisakhi celebration that will take place on Tuesday 14th April! There will be Bhangra dancing, colourful non-uniform and a shared meal in the style of a Gurdwara Vaisakhi meal! We are very excited and grateful for the opportunity to learn more about the religion of Sikhism which shares many of our school values!



A busy half-term with lots of learning and fun! Memories being made and learning that children will remember..

