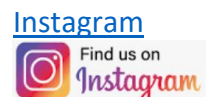


### News from the Federation 25<sup>th</sup> April 2025



Welcome back! I trust everyone enjoyed the break. It was lovely to open the gates on Tuesday and welcome everyone back to school. We have had a positive start to the term including some joyous singing on Tuesday in singing sassembly, positive feedback from visits from the Local Authority and Year 5 attending a Maths Chellange making us proud, to name but a few.

Next week, teachers that are subject leaders will be discussing the content of the learning and lessons in a pupil voice conversation. This gives the children the opportunity to reflect on what they have learnt within a subject over the year, or during their time in school so far and to make connections in this learning. The conversations will be based around the question, 'What have you been learning?' This question is a useful one, not only for time in school but also for you as parents and carers. Try asking you child at the end of their day. It prompts a conversation about the child's day as well as informing you of what learning has taken place. I hope using this open question at home will promot some good conversations.

Please remember that we have two **Inset days next week on 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> May. School is closed.** The staff, however, will be working hard during these two days at school.

The weather next week is forecast to be warm and sunny. Please make sure your child is prepared for this weather by bringing in a hat and wearing suncream as well as bringing a water bottle into school. As you know, we go out in all weathers! Thank you.

#### Coming Up

##### **Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> May and Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> May, INSET days:**

Please make a note in your diaries that school will be closed to children on **Thursday 1 May and Friday 2 May**. These days are for staff training only.

##### **Friday 16<sup>th</sup> May, Fawcett School Disco:**

On this day, there will be two separate discos; one for KS1 and one for KS2. These will be held after school. More information about timings and how to purchase tickets will be shared soon. If you are able to volunteer for this event, please contact the Chair of the PTA: Ben Walker-Pearl, [ben.wp.pta@gmail.com](mailto:ben.wp.pta@gmail.com)

#### Dates and Events

These can be found on our website using the link:  
<https://www.trumpingtonfederation.co.uk/page/?title=Term+Dates&pid=133>

##### Term Dates:

**Thursday 1 May and Friday 2 May**  
**SCHOOL WILL BE CLOSED TO**  
**CHILDREN FOR STAFF INSET DAYS**

**Monday 5<sup>th</sup> May Bank Holiday,**  
**School is closed**

**Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> May @5:30pm, Year**  
**6 Quiz Night**

**Week beginning 12<sup>th</sup> May, Year 6**  
**SATs**

**Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> May, Year 4 trip**  
**to Wicken Fen**

**Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> May Year 6**  
**Charities Day**

**26<sup>th</sup> - 30<sup>th</sup> May HALF TERM**

**Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> June, 11:30 - 2:30**  
**Federation Summer Fair**

**Thursday 8 May, VE Day 80:**



To mark this historic occasion we would like to invite the children to dress in red, white and/or blue clothes. There will be a special assembly on the day as well as a special school lunch menu. More information about the menu will follow in a parent mail.

**Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> June, 11:30 – 2pm, Trumpington Federation School Fair:**



We're looking forward to our summer fair on the Fawcett playing field again this year on 28th June, 11:30-2pm. One of the first things we're looking to get lined up is the food, and we're considering a few different options of what we might offer. If anyone has any experience in catering, or is otherwise interested in getting involved, we'd love it if you could get in touch. Please contact Ben Walker-Pearl, [ben.wp.pta@gmail.com](mailto:ben.wp.pta@gmail.com) (Trumpington Federation PTA Chair)

**Transition Workshops:**

Cambridge County Council are running a number of workshops for children transitioning to primary and secondary school. For more information, please click on the links:

[58155A1C700A8FD79C9C1D58867C87F0.pdf](#) - primary

[D0512D91C81E21BF47A3EA7871B0BAD5.pdf](#) - secondary

**Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> May, Biomedical Campus Fun Run:**

The Cambridge Biomedical Campus run returns on 18th May 2025, with 10k, 5k and Fun Run options. Last year saw 700 runners raise at least £12,500 for charity and they'd love to beat that this year. They have a new route, entry is cheaper for adults and completely **free across all categories for u17s**. Find out more, registration is required: <https://cambridge-biomedical.com/event/campus-10k-5k-fun-run-25/>

They also have a Kids Challenge, where they can download a flyer to tick off 8x1km activities in the build up to then complete the Fun Run on the day to make it 10km and receive a medal!