

Can you draw a table or graph to show your books?

Can you use our word of the week? plot

CAMBRIDGE PRIMARY SCHOOL WEEKLY CATCH UP

1st May 2026

Dear Parents, Carers and Children

This week we have been telling each other stories to celebrate Share a Story Month which starts today. We will be carrying the theme through the month as we encourage the children to choose and share their favourite stories old and new, reading them aloud, saying how they are similar and different to others and to explain why they love them. We hope that it will inspire you at home to share stories at bedtime and during the day. As last week, we would love to see and hear about your favourites—send us your photos or maybe you could record yourselves on Showbie?

Our outdoor areas are really beginning to sparkle and shine at the moment—the warm sun has made everything bloom and our outdoor groups have been working hard to keep on top of the growth. It really is looking beautiful. Well done to Mrs Newby, Mrs Gunson, Miss Head and the other staff and (many) children who have been helping.

Our footballers have once again been in action this week. On Tuesday it was the boys' turn to play. On Wednesday our Y4/5/6 girls competed. We are incredibly proud of the development in their attitudes and skills. Mr Banks described both teams as playing with confidence and determination and when we asked Year 6 to describe the team one of the words they came up with was "resilient". Well done to you all.

After half term we will be trialling hot dinners from our kitchen for children in Hopscotch and Nursery. Please ensure that you are registered on Scopay (our online payment and ordering system) to order meals. We are also encouraging payments to be made for class visits and residentials via Scopay in our move away from cash payments at the office to a cashless system. If you need help or support with this, please do let us know.

We would like to remind all parents that the car park is for staff only and should not be used when picking up/ dropping children off.

Please remember that we are closed on Monday due to the bank holiday. We will see you back in school on Tuesday 5th May.

Thank you for your support.

Jenny Lavery

Talking point:

What is your favourite book to share with your family?



Important Information

NEXT WEEK

Mon 4th May	Bank Holiday—school closed
Tue 5th May	Y3 and Y5 Swimming Rec, Y2 PE KS2 Karate 3.15-4.30
Wed 6th May	Y6 PE Y5/6 Art Club 3.15-4.15
Thur 7th May	Y3 visit to Furness Abbey Y3 and Y4 PE KS2 Karaoke 3.15-4.15 Y1 /Y2 Gymnastics 3.15-4.30
Fri 8th May	Y2, Y5 and Y6 PE

DIARY DATES

11th—14th	KS2 SATs
14th May	Y1 visit to Ravenglass
18th May	Y5/Y6 Daisy First Aid
20th May	Y2 visit to Gleaston
21st May	Music Showcase Y5/6 Rugby
22nd May	Y5/6 Girls' Rugby
23-31 May	Half-term holiday
1st Jun	Y3/4 Hockey
2nd Jun	Y5/6 Hockey
8th-10th Jun	Y6 London Residential
8th Jun	Performing Arts Showcase
29 Jun-3 Jul	Y4/5 Water Park Residential

ATTENDANCE

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Class	From Sept	This week
Reception	93% 😐	96% 😊
Y1	94% 😐	88% 😐
Y2	94% 😐	91% 😐
Y3	91% 😐	92% 😐
Y4	96% 😊	97% 😊
Y5	93% 😐	92% 😐
Y6	92% 😐	91% 😐

Congratulations to Y4 who have moved to a class average of over 96%, not seen since the beginning of October. I wonder if any other class can catch up?



Stars of the Week

Reception	Ajay and Hugo
Y1	Maliah and Parker
Y2	Nehan and Callie
Y3	Sonny (and whole class)
Y4	Joel and Zayn
Y5	Zach and Oscar W
Y6	Cole and Zainab