

16th January 2026

Happy Retirement

Today we are saying goodbye to the wonderful Mrs Dawson. Mrs Dawson is starting her retirement after working at Vale View School for over 10 years. We wish her all the best.

We would also like to welcome new members to the school, Teaching Assistants Miss Dickenson and Miss Smith.



We will be accepting clean unwanted clothing items from Monday 26th January to Friday 6th February. Please bring items to the office. Thank you.



Value Certificate winners
Year 1 Luna and Tahir,
Year 2 Alex, Mia and Joey
Year 3 Ayse, Paisley and Emma
Year 4 Tobias, Grace and Ashlynn
Year 5 Ollie, Blake and Rosella
Year 6 Daisy and Abbas



Diary Dates

19.1.26 Year 1, 2 and 6
read alongside

21.1.26 Parent coffee
morning - New homework
policy

22.1.26 Year 3 read
alongside

22.1.26 3pm-3.30pm Nursery
coffee and catch up

23.1.26 Year 5 read
alongside

26.1.26 Year 4 read
alongside

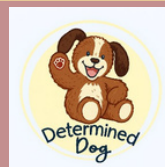
10.2.26 Reception stay and
play with chicks

11.2.26 Nursery stay and
play 2.15pm to 3pm

12.2.26 Nursery stay and
play 8.45am to 9.30am

13.2.26 Whole school yoga
and last day of term

Enrichment Clubs
There are still spaces in
our after school
enrichment clubs. Book
via the app.





Please can we ask once again, that parents park responsibly.

We have had complaints from local residents claiming that parents are parking on double yellow lines, zig zag lines and leaving their car in the middle of Vale View road to drop their children off.

Not only are the above illegal it is very dangerous for our children coming into and going from school.

Thank you.

Safety and wellbeing

Keeping children safe is everyone's responsibility. If you are worried about a child, it's important to talk to someone. If you witness something concerning or If you believe a child is in immediate danger, contact Children's Services or the police straight away. Sharing a concern can help keep a child safe.

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Parent Survey

Many thanks to parents that completed our reading survey in term 3 – this was extremely useful to us.

Please see our responses:

