



NEWSLETTER

Spring Term 2026!


Dear Parents and Families,

Welcome Back After February Half Term


We hope everyone enjoyed a restful February half term and is ready for a busy and exciting second half of the Spring Term. We have lots to look forward to in the coming weeks – including themed activities, learning celebrations, and opportunities for creativity across the school.



Welcoming New Students & Staff

We are delighted to welcome our new students who joined us in January. We are so pleased to have you as part of the Castlebridge School community, and we look forward to supporting you as you settle in and flourish this term . We are also thrilled to welcome Emily, our new teacher, who has already made a wonderful impression. Emily is an amazing addition to the team, bringing enthusiasm, creativity, and a passion for supporting our pupils. We are excited to see the positive impact she will have across the school .

Farm Visits & Animal-Based Wellbeing

We are delighted to share that our trips to Harling's Farm have commenced again this term. These visits provide pupils with valuable opportunities to explore the outdoors, develop confidence, and experience hands-on learning with animals and nature .


We are also very pleased to be working with Collytown Therapy Ponies, who are offering both wellbeing and educational sessions with their wonderful animals. These experiences support emotional regulation, communication, and positive engagement, and we are excited to see the benefits for our pupils as these visits continue .



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World Book Day – Thursday 5th March



We are excited to celebrate World Book Day on Thursday 5th March! As part of the fun, we will be hosting a Mad Hatter's Tea Party  at lunchtime. In the lead-up to the big day, pupils will also be taking part in Mad Hatter-themed arts and crafts , helping to create decorations and add some extra magic to the celebration. Staff will be joining in by wearing their best book-character outfits, bringing plenty of

colour and creativity to the school. Children are very welcome to dress up too, but with no pressure to do so – everyone will be able to enjoy the day's activities and our shared love of reading .

Upcoming Key Dates:

March:

5th – World Book Day & Mad Hatters Lunch

17th – Dartmoor Zoo Trip

April:

2nd – Last day of Term

20th – First day back to School

23rd – Plymouth Aquarium Trip

May:

7th – Cornwall at War Museum Trip

