



# Churchfields News



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16<sup>th</sup> January 2026

Dear Churchfields Families,

We have reached the end of another great, if very rainy, week here at Churchfields. Olive Class put on a wonderful class assembly on Tuesday, really entertaining the whole audience!

There has been some great science across the school, be sure to ask your children about their learning – especially year 6 as they have been cutting up hearts to help understand the circulatory system!

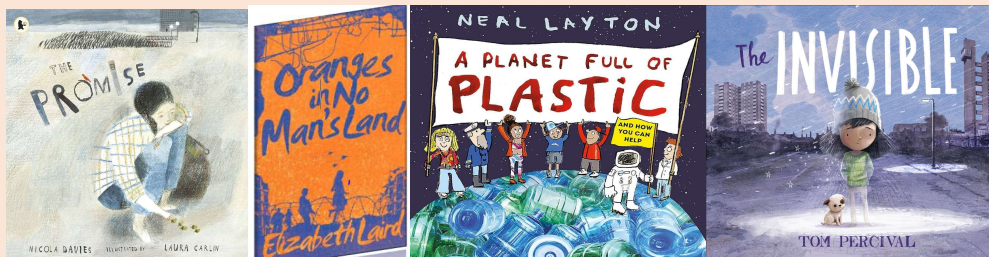
Children have been reading some fabulous books in English lessons, as a basis for our writing. See below for a few examples.

Next week, we are excited to host a debating competition on Tuesday morning!

Have a wonderful (hopefully dry!) weekend,

**Sally White**

Deputy Headteacher



## Important Dates:

**Debating team competition** - Tuesday 20th January

**Year 5 Cypress class assembly** - Tuesday 20th January, 2.45pm

**Secondary school workshop for Year 5 ARC parents** - Wednesday 21st January, 9am

**Parent/Carer coffee morning with Headteacher** - Friday 23rd January, 9am

**ARC dance workshop** - Friday 23rd January

**Bakesale for Battersea Cats and Dogs Home** - Friday 23rd January, after school

**Year 5 Cherry class assembly** - Tuesday 27th January, 2.45pm

**Year 6 Ash class assembly** - Tuesday 3rd February, 2.45pm

**DEADLINE** Closing Date for Nursery Applications for September 2026 – Friday 6th February

**World Book Day Costume Swap** - Monday 9th - Friday 13th February

**Year 6 trips to National Portrait Gallery** - Tuesday 10th and Wednesday 11th February

**ARC Magnolia Parent/Carer evenings** - Tuesday 10th and Wednesday 11th February, 3.45 - 6.30pm

**Whole school Parent/Carer evenings** - Wednesday 11th and Thursday 12th February, 3.45 - 6.30pm

**Anti-Racism Parent/Carer Forum** - Friday 13th February, 9am

**Last Day of Spring Term 1** - Friday 13th February, school closes at usual times

**Spring Half Term Holidays** - Monday 16th to Friday 20th February

**First Day of Spring Term 2** – Monday 23rd February, school starts at usual times

Full term dates for the 2025-26 and 2026-27 academic years are available [on our website](#).



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## Do you love to sing?

**If so, take part in the Churchfields Sing-Off 2026 for Years 2 – 6!**

We are looking for:

- Confidence
- Bravery
- Entertainment

You will need to sing into a microphone and can sing by yourself or in a group of 2, 3 or 4 (suitable songs only).

Auditions are in the Small Hall:

- Year 2 - Monday 26th January, 12.15pm (eat lunch afterwards)
- Year 3 - Tuesday 27th January, 12.15pm (eat lunch afterwards)
- Year 4 - Wednesday 28th January, 1pm (eat lunch first)
- Year 5 and Year 6 - Friday 30th January, 1pm (eat lunch first)

The finals will be on Friday 13th February. If you have any questions, please ask us!

Your organising committee,

Imogen and Georgia (Year 5 Cypress)  
Mexi, Sophia, Tia, Eliza and Dora (Year 6 Elm)



## Nursery Applications

For those of you interested in a nursery place for September 2026, the closing date for applications is **Friday 6th February 2026** and the [forms can be downloaded here](#) and returned to the school office.

If you would like to come on a tour on Thursday 22nd, Tuesday 27th or Friday 30th January for Nursery places, have any other questions, or need help with your application, please just call into the school office or email us on [admin@churchfields.q1e.org.uk](mailto:admin@churchfields.q1e.org.uk) and we will be very happy to help.

Our number one priority is to ensure that all children and adults are safe. If you are worried about something or if you are worried about someone else, you can talk to ANYONE who works for the school.

**Safeguarding is the responsibility of EVERYONE. Childline: 0800 1111**

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## Bake Sale – Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> January

We've seen adverts for poor cats and dogs that need help, so we've organised a bake sale and all the money will go to Battersea Dogs and Cats Home.



The Bake Sale will take place on Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> January, after School in the Main Playground. Please bring donations to the office (no nuts) and some £1 coins if you want to buy.

Scarlett and Jasmine, Year 3

## Sports Fixtures

Date	Event	Home/Away
Tuesday 20th January	Boys Football vs Worsley Bridge	Home
Thursday 22nd January	Girls and Y3/4 Football vs Royal Russell	Away
Tuesday 27th January	Girls football vs Farnborough	Home
Thursday 29th January	Girls Football vs Pickhurst	Away
Tuesday 3rd February	Boys Football vs Midfield	Home
Wednesday 4th February	Boys Football vs Royal Russell (4 teams)	Away
Tuesday 10th February	Girls Football vs Green St Green	Home
Monday 9th March	Year 3/4 netball vs Royal Russell	Away
Saturday 21st March	Year 3/4 cross-country at Crystal Palace	Away

We will share dates of other football and Bromley borough events when we have them.

## Year 4 Science

Year 4 really enjoyed making electrical circuits in science. We used wires, crocodile clips, a cell and made a bulb light up!

Finn & Jay

Sycamore Class

