

Newsletter 04.04.25

Dear Parents and Carers,

It has been a fantastic half term at Masham this Spring. So many positive events have happened such as the falconry trips to Swinton Estate, The Wenslydale Tournament of Song competitions (which we did amazingly in), a really positive monitoring visit from Ofsted and a super Easter service this afternoon to finish the term on a high.

I would just like to say have a lovely Easter holiday and a well-deserved rest and hopefully the good weather will be here to stay.

A reminder that Monday 21st April is Bank Holiday Easter Monday and Tuesday 22nd April is a staff training day, so school will be closed to pupils on these two days. I look forward to seeing you all again in the new term on <u>Wednesday 23rd April</u>.

Easter Service

Today we had a fantastic Easter service with some lovely songs thanks to Miss Lawton who led all of the singing practice in our Music Collective Worships and to the hard work and effort from Burn Class and Mrs Smithson for the 'Three Trees' production.









FOMS

We had a very successful meeting this week and have organised a Family Fun Bingo Night to be held in Town Hall on Friday 16th May at 6pm. Please come and join us for this fun packed evening. Tickets will be available from Mrs Greensit in the school office.

Wonderful 20 year service!

Our wonderful Mrs T has been a valued employee here at Masham Primary for 20 years! We were very please to present her with a card from all the staff and pupils and along with some lovely flowers.



<u>Weekly Safeguarding Update – Child Mental Health and Wellbeing</u>

It's really important that your child goes to school regularly because it helps them learn, stay healthy, and grow overall. These helpful tips lay out what you, as a parent, need to do and how schools and local authorities can team up to make sure your child attends regularly:

To find out more and how you can support improving your child's attendance, please click on the link to learn more:

https://ssslearning.co.uk/parentsandquardians/school-attendance-tips

Have a lovely holiday and I will see you all in the new term.

Matthew Boyle

Headteacher
Masham Church of England Primary School





'Dates for your diary'

Blue text indicates occasions where parents and carers are warmly welcomed to attend Other trips, visits and exciting activities will be added as the year goes on.

Friday	04.04.25	All	Easter Service 1.15pm @ St Mary's Church	
Friday	04.04.25	All	School closes for Easter @ 2pm	
Tuesday	22.04.25	Staff	Training Day	
Wednesday	23.04.25	All	Children return to school	
Monday	28.04.25	All	Skip 2B Fit Day	
Friday	02.05.25	All	Maypole Dancing 1pm	
Monday	05.05.25	All	School closed for May Day	
Friday	23.05.25	All	School closes for Half Term @ 3.30pm	
Monday	02.06.25	All	Children return to school	
Monday	09.06.25	Year 6	Bewerley Park	
Thursday	26.06.25	All	Sports Day AM	
Thursday	10.07.25	All	Alternative Sports Day AM	
Thursday	17.07.25	Year 6	Leavers celebration	
Friday	18.07.25	All	Leavers Service 1.15pm @ St Mary's Church	
Friday	18.07.25	All	School closes for summer @ 2pm	



Attendance

Swinney –	93.75%	Attendance Percentage	Days missed over a school year
Burn –	100%	100%	0 days
Cover –		95%	10 days
	94.44%	90%	20 days
		85%	30 days
		80%	40 days

Well done to Year 3, Year 4 and Year 5 for 100% attendance this week

Whole school attendance is 95.97%



Swinney - **Herbie** – for helping younger children in our class to make Eid decorations

Ronnie – for super maths – exploring odd and even

Burn - Etta – for being kind and helpful in & around the classroom

Levi – for producing some brilliant writing & having positive attitude to

learning

Cover - **Ben T** – for always being so polite, helpful and thoughtful. A wonderful

friend to everyone

Ben N – for massive effort in improving maths skills, particularly with

F.D.P

Head Teacher Award - Dan

Dojo Winners

Swinney - Martha
Burn - Pippa
Cover - Martha B