

Forest Edge Learning Federation

Respect, Grace and Courage



Parents' Update - 6th February 2026

'Sometimes our strengths lie beneath the surface... far beneath, in some cases.'

Moana

This week, we have seen many examples of courage across the federation, from trying new challenges to supporting one another with kindness and confidence.

Our Year 5 & 6 pupils enjoyed a successful river trip on Monday, where they explored our local rivers and developed their understanding of how rivers work and the causes and effects of flooding. The children were engaged and asked thoughtful questions as they learned about river features, water flow, and how flooding can impact local communities. This practical experience supported their geography learning well.

As we approach the last week before half term, there is still plenty of learning planned across the school. Next week is Children's Mental Health Week, which provides an important opportunity for pupils to reflect on wellbeing and emotional health. We will also be marking Safer Internet Day on Tuesday 10th February. Pupils will learn about staying safe online, making sensible choices, and behaving responsibly when using digital technologies. Thank you for continuing these conversations at home.

Our EYFS children are looking forward to a Storytelling Day at Breamore, where Amanda Kane-Smith, a professional storyteller, will join us to share an interactive retelling of Jack and the Beanstalk. This will be an engaging experience that supports language development and a love of stories.

With just one week to go, we look forward to making the most of the remaining time before the break and we thank you for your continued support at home.

Have a great weekend!

Mrs Allen

Executive Headteacher

Breamore CE Primary, Hale Primary, and Hyde CE Primary Schools

Dates coming up - new dates underlined

- **Breamore - 10.02.26 - Buttercups visit to Breamore Church**
- **Federation - 12.2.26 - EYFS at Breamore - Storytelling Day**
- **Federation - 16.2.26 - 20.2.26 - Half Term**
- **Federation - 23.2.26 - INSET Day**
- **Breamore - 24.2.26 - Buttercup visit to the library**
- **Hale - 10.3.26 & 11.3.26 - Parent Consultations**
- **Hyde - 10.3.26 - Parent Consultations**
- **Breamore - 11.3.26 & 12.3.26 - Parent Consultations**
- **Federation - 16.03.26 - 20.03.26 - Year 5 & 6 PGL Residential Trip**

Term Dates 2025-2026

Autumn Term

Inset Day	Wednesday 3rd September 2025
First Day	Thursday 4th September
Half Term	Monday 27th October - Friday 31st October
Inset Day	Monday 3rd November
Last Day	Friday 19th December

Spring Term

Inset Day	Monday 5th January 2026
First Day	Tuesday 6th January
Half Term	Monday 16th - Friday 20th February
Inset Day	Monday 23rd February
Last Day	Friday 27th March

Summer Term

First Day	Monday 13th April
Bank Holiday	Monday 4th May
Half Term	Monday 25th - Friday 29th May
Inset Day	Monday 1st June
Last Day	Wednesday 22nd July

Term Dates 2026-2027

Autumn Term

Inset Day	Tuesday 1st September 2026
Inset Day	Wednesday 2nd September 2026
First Day	Thursday 3rd September
Half Term	Monday 26th October - Friday 30th October
Inset Day	Monday 2nd November
Last Day	Friday 18th December

Spring Term

First Day	Monday 4th January 2027
Half Term	Monday 15th - Friday 19th February
Inset Day	Monday 22nd February
Last Day	Friday 25th March

Summer Term

First Day	Monday 12th April
Bank Holiday	Monday 3rd May
Half Term	Monday 31st May - Friday 4th June
Inset Day	Monday 7th June
Last Day	Wednesday 21st July