



Wednesday, 7th January 2026

Dear Parents,

Happy New Year to each one of you! I hope that the Christmas holiday was filled with happiness shared with friends and family.

We are very much looking forward to welcoming the pupils back tomorrow, Thursday, 8th January for the start of the Spring term. It promises to be another term with countless exciting and inspiring opportunities. Please look out for a Spring term calendar that will be coming home with your child tomorrow.

Mrs Lee-Ann Fletcher will be starting in Nursery this term and will be working alongside the existing staff. She will also hold the title of Deputy Nursery Manager. We look forward to the contribution that she will make to this important part of our school.

Thank you to those of you who have put your name forward to be a part of our Strategy sessions (15th and 20th January). Please feel free to sign up [here](#) if you haven't already done so and join us for an enjoyable evening, with refreshments, where we will discuss the 5-year strategy of our school in a relaxed and informal atmosphere.

The Uniform Shop will be open on Thursday, 8th and Friday, 9th January from 8am until 9am should you require any last-minute items.

Please remember to consult our website for [school policies](#) and for useful, updated, and additional information. You will also be able to consult the [termly calendars](#) online as well as past correspondence and weekly communications sent to you (Parent Hub - "[Letters Home](#)").

With the current icy conditions, please do take extra care on your way to school; we are aware that some of the smaller roads in the vicinity of Ripley Court are particularly challenging to negotiate.

I look forward to seeing you around our school tomorrow.

Kind regards,

Gavin Ryan
Headmaster