



Friday Update

27th February 2026



Attendance 94.9%

Dear Milford Families

Wow, what a week we have planned next week! It's Book Week and we have lots of fun events to join in with. We can't wait to see the school full of book characters come to life on Thursday when children and staff dress up for World Book Day. There are competitions, a chocolate sale and so many stories!

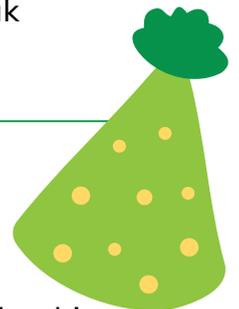
Much love, the Milford Team

Academy Consultation

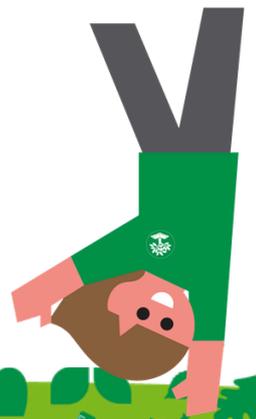
Thank you to everyone who has joined in with our consultation so far about Milford School joining LEO Academy. If you have any questions please email the Governors and LEO at our dedicated email box: matconsultation@milford.surrey.sch.uk The consultation closes on 6th March.

Birthdays

To help make birthdays extra special children are welcome to come into school in non-uniform (MUFTI) on or near their birthday. This is a fun, optional way to mark their special day! Normal MUFTI clothes or school uniform with crowns, tiaras, badges etc.



Everyone to **grow**, **learn**, **believe**, **achieve**





Yippee it's Book Week!(2-6 March)

2026 is the National Year of Reading! Our theme for book week this year will be 'Around the World in 18 books'. In school, we will be reading a range of stories from different countries and cultures. There will be lots of fun reading activities in school to celebrate reading for pleasure, including their very own 'book passport', where the children will collect stamps for every book or magazine they read in school that week.

Here are details of a few activities for everyone to get involved in...

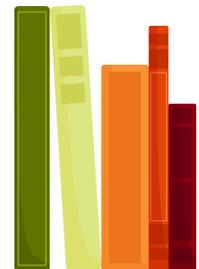


Milford Staff Bedtime Stories

Every evening of book week, a member of our team will be reading you a bedtime story – how exciting! Get comfy, snuggle up and enjoy the magic. These will be released on our Milford School Website.

Mystery Reader

Mums, Dads, Carers, would you like to be a mystery reader in your child's class? Bring your favourite book to read to the class, come as you are or dress up but don't tell them you're coming! Arrange a time with your child's class teacher.



Competition time

This year we have two competitions to join in with fabulous prizes.

1 Our first challenge is 'Reading Your Way!'

We want to see children reading in the most interesting, fun or unusual place they can think of! Snap a picture and send it to us at info@milford.surrey.sch.uk How about: up a tree, in a homemade blanket fort, on a trampoline or at the park. All entries need to be handed in or emailed in **by Thursday 5th March**.

2 Our second challenge is World Book Day Dress up day

Staff and children will join in the fun of dressing up as our favourite book characters **on Thursday 5th March**. There will be a Milford Parade and a prize for the best costume. Get ready to bring book characters to life! Who will you be? We can't wait to find out!



Charlie Buckets Chocolate Buttons Sale

The Friends are holding a special chocolate sale **after school on Thursday 5 March**.



Term diary dates 2026

March

- 5 World Book Day — Dress Up and **Charlie Buckets Chocolate Buttons Sale (after school)**
- 6 Y1 Woodland School and Police visit to Year R
- 10 'Midnight in the Toyshop' Drama4ALL Workshop (at school)
- 12 Lime Assembly (parents welcome, 9.10am start)
- 13 Lime Woodland School and Fire Engine visit to Year R
- 16 **Easter Egg Art Competition home in book bags (return by 23 March)**
- 17 Elm Class Assembly (parents welcome, 9.10am start)
- 20 Elm Woodland School
- 23 Rocksteady Concert (for parents of children going to Rocksteady Club)
- 24 Dental health session in school (talk on dental hygiene)
- 27 Last day of Spring Term (school closes at 1pm) and Easter Hat parade and **£1 donation - Easter themed non-uniform day and Easter Egg Hunt**

April

- 13 First Day of term
- 15 Class group photos
- 17 Year R to Woodland School
- 20 Year 2 to Woking Mosque
- 23 Swimming recommences for Year 2
- 24 Cherry Woodland School

May

- 1 Beech Woodland School
- 15 Year 2 Woodland School*
- 18 Year 2 to Marwell Zoo
- 18 Science Week
- 22 Inset Day 5
- 25-29 Half-term

*Please note change of date - Lime will be going to Woodland School on 15 May (and not 8 May)

June

- 5 Year R to Woodland School and Year 1 and 2 Olympic Games at Rodborough School
- 10 Sports Day (parents welcome)
- 12 Cherry Woodland School
- 17 Reserve Sports Day
- 19 Beech Woodland School
- 23 Year R Class Assembly (parents welcome)
- 26 Lime Woodland School



**Events in green are organised by
The Friends of Milford School**





KINGDOM BUILDERS

Milford Baptist Church Holiday Club

FOR CHILDREN IN RECEPTION TO YEAR 6

MONDAY 30TH MARCH TO
WEDNESDAY 1ST APRIL
9.45AM-12.30PM

PARENTS AND CARERS ARE
INVITED ON WEDNESDAY
AT 12.15 TO JOIN OUR FINALE,
FOLLOWED BY A FREE LUNCH BUFFET

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ART COMPETITION ON THE THEME: SPRING



Categories:
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TEENS 12-18
ADULTS 19+

**LAUNCH 28 MARCH
CLOSES 18 APRIL**

2D ENTRIES ONLY, NO PHOTOGRAPHY (EXCEPT AS PART OF A COLLAGE) NO LARGER THAN A3
NO AI ENTRIES PLEASE
JUDGING TO TAKE PLACE WEEK COMMENCING 20 APRIL
PRIZES FOR EACH CATEGORY!

SCHOOL
10% CODE
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Pitch Pals

EASTER *Camps*

FOR CHILDREN IN
RECEPTION TO YEAR 6

WEEK 1- MARCH 30, 31, APRIL 1 (MON-WED)

WEEK 2- APRIL 7, 8, 9 (TUES-THURS)

9AM-3.30PM

(EARLY DROP-OFF, LATE PICK-UP AND HALF-DAYS
AVAILABLE)

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