



## Coates Way School

*Working together, learning together, achieving together-  
every child aiming for excellence.*

### Upcoming dates

**05.07.24**– Year 1 trip to Hertfordshire Zoo (Formerly Paradise Wildlife Park).

**06.07.24**– **Summer Fair**

**08.07.24**– Year 5 Parent/Carer Consultations

**15.07.24**– Year 6 Production  
6.00– More details to follow

**23.07.24**– School Finishes at  
1.30

### Head Teacher Message

Dear Parents and Carers,

I was great to see so many parents and carers at sports day. It was a really good atmosphere and the children really enjoyed themselves. A big 'thank you' to the Fundraisers (Kat Read and her team) who sold ice creams, doughnuts and fizzy drinks on the day.

Year 6 had a wonderful time in France. They returned with many stories to tell! Thank you to all the staff who accompanied them, Mrs Well, Ms Gulli, Mrs Close and Mrs Dodsworth.

Year 6 have also had their bowling trip and lunch this week which is funded by the Fundraisers. Thank you! Thank you to Mrs Brigden who organized it all.

I am looking forward to seeing many of you at the school fayre tomorrow. Thank you for all your donations of bottles, teddies and jazzy jars!

Yours Sincerely ,

Mrs. Fiona Hayes

### E-Safety

We have become aware that children in our younger classes have their own mobile phone or are accessing online platforms such as 'Roblox.' Roblox doesn't specify a minimum age. Users of any age can create and join groups, chat, and interact with others. Such an open approach can pose a risk to children, especially younger ones. Although Roblox has some safety precautions in place, it remains a target for people with less-than-good intentions. Please check what your child is accessing online.

## Sports Day 2024

Thank you to the fundraisers for the refreshments and all the parents and carers who came to support.



## Times Tables Success!

This term, we have taken part in two local schools Times tables Rock Stars tournaments. Coates Way came 9th out of 25 schools in the first competition and 10th out of 26 schools in the second. Lots of our children worked hard and earned point for our school, but two children deserve a special mention. Out of 2,133 children in the first competition, Jake came 5th and Kiaan came 10th and out of 2,799 children in the second competition, Jake came 9th and Kiaan came 13th. Well done both of you for your hard work. Needless to say, their times table recall skills are outstanding!



## Staffing Arrangements September 2024

We are now just under a month away from the end of term and are starting to talk about transition with the children. I am therefore able to tell you about changes in staffing for the new academic year starting September 2024.

I am delighted to welcome some new members of staff to the team. Miss Gilmore joins us from a school in Northwood and Mrs Azmie from a school in Edgware.

At this time of year we also have a few goodbyes, Miss Burrows is leaving us to pursue a career outside of education and Ms Bonar is leaving to spend more time with her family who have relocated. Miss Ellis will also be starting her maternity leave.

The children will get to meet their new teachers and teaching assistants on transition day—Thursday 11th July.

Please see further details on the table detailed on the following page.

<i>Senior Leadership Team 2024-2025</i>
<p>Mrs Hayes- Headteacher</p> <p>Mrs Wells- Assistant Headteacher- Teaching, Learning and Curriculum and Mental Health Lead</p> <p>Mrs Thompson- Assistant Headteacher- SEN, Behaviour and Early Years</p>

<i>Class/ Responsibility</i>	<i>Teacher</i>	<i>Support Staff</i>
Nursery	Mrs Southorn	Mrs West
Reception	Miss McBeth	Mrs Madwella Miss Badru Mrs Neale
Year 1	Miss Gilmore	Mrs Preston Mrs Steele
Year 2	Mrs Wells (Monday- Wednesday) Mrs Thompson (Thursday- Friday)	Miss Brophy
Year 3	Mrs Simsek	Mrs Mangan Mrs Rice
Year 4	Mrs Azmie	Mrs Hinton
Year 5	Ms Gulli	Mrs Close
Year 6	Mrs Underwood	Mrs Mann Mrs Dodsworth