



Holyoakes Field First School Newsletter

Friday 10th April 2026

Easter Raffle

We hope everyone has had a relaxing and enjoyable Easter break. We are looking forward to welcoming all pupils back when school re-opens on Monday 13th April.

The end of term is always a busy and exciting time, and we would like to say a big thank you to everyone who kindly donated prizes for our school Easter raffle. We truly had some wonderful contributions.

A special thank you also goes to our school ambassadors, who generously gave up their break and lunchtimes to sell tickets across the school. It is a big responsibility, and they carried it out brilliantly.

We will share the total amount raised once we return to school next week.



After school clubs

A reminder that all after school clubs ended at the end of last term. A new clubs list will be sent out through the MCAS app at the beginning of next week.

Please note, this does not include Funzone.



Hot meal ordering...

The new summer term menu is now live on MCAS, you can order up to 3 weeks in advance.

All meals MUST be ordered the day before, unfortunately, we are unable to make any orders on the day. If a hot meal is not ordered, please supply a packed lunch.

If you have any issues with your MCAS account, please contact the school office.



School Closure—Thursday 7th May 2026.....

A reminder that our school has once again been selected to serve as a polling station for the local elections this year.

For this reason the school will be closed to all children on **Thursday 7th May 2026**. The building will be in use throughout the day by members of the public, and closing the school is the safest and most practical option.

To support learning during this closure, teachers will be preparing some fun, engaging activities that pupils can complete at home.

School will reopen as normal on **Friday 8th May 2026**.



Road closures around the school site!

Highway remediation work has started on the estate in a phased sequence from Burrington Close, Hawling Street and Nutford Street.

The work began this week and is expected to take approximately 6 months in total to complete from Pointers Way through to Weights Lane.

During this time, there will be road closures at different points around the estate making the already tricky parking situation even more challenging.

For everyone's safety, we kindly ask families to park away from the school and walk for drop-off and pick-up.

Please note: Temporary car parks on Burrington Close are for residents only and not for school use.

A diversion map is available below and will remain in place throughout the works. We'll keep you updated on any changes as the project progresses.

