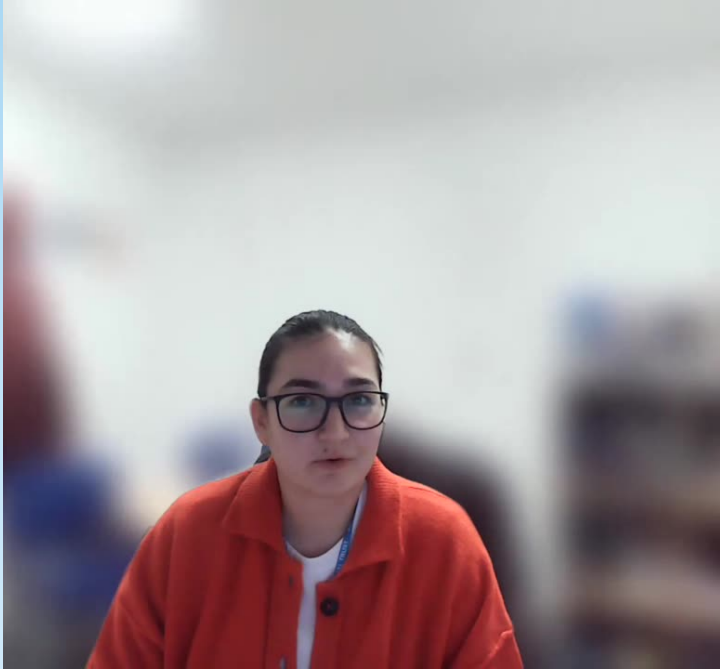




OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER



A very warm welcome back to all our families as we begin the new year. My name is Miss Graham and I'm delighted to introduce myself as the new Assistant Headteacher. I want to thank everyone for the incredibly warm welcome I've received. I'm truly excited to get to know our wonderful children, families and staff as we start this new chapter together.

We are also wishing Mrs Courtney, who is expecting a baby girl, all the very best during this exciting time.

Monday 5th January marked the first day of term. Everyone returned full of energy, enthusiasm and readiness to learn.

On Monday 12th January, we held our Year 4 Multiplication Advice Session for Parents. It was a great opportunity to share strategies and support families in helping their children with times tables at home.

On Tuesday 13th January, Year 3 went on a trip to Ufton Court. Everyone had an absolutely fantastic time despite the wet weather!

Year 3 exploring Saxon skills and trades, discovering how weapons were used in warfare, and learning about Saxon laws.



Thursday 15th January was Census Day, and the school was filled with excitement as children arrived dressed as superheroes.

On Friday 23rd January, our Year 2 pupils will be presenting their Class Assembly at 2:45pm.

Looking ahead to Friday 30th January, we will be holding our Stay and Read session for parents. Nursery families are invited to join us at 11:00am, while sessions for Reception through to Year 6 will take place at 3:00pm. These sessions offer a lovely chance to take part in fun reading activities alongside your child.

As we settle back into routine, a gentle reminder to please allow extra time for traffic and winter weather so that children can arrive at school safely and punctually. With the colder days upon us, please ensure children come to school with coats, hats and gloves to keep them warm throughout the day.



Attendance



Class	Attendance W/C 05.01.2026	Attendance W/C 12.01.2026
Nursery	82.4%	87.1%
Reception	88.3%	95.1%
1 Hedgehog	93.7%	97.3%
2 Porcupine	97.2%	97.2%
3 Robin	95.7%	95%
4 Woodpecker	99.3%	97.7%
5 Kingfisher	92.2%	97%
6 Red Kite	94.4%	93.1%
Whole School	94%	95.9%



Reminder

Coming to school every day supports children to build friendships and help them feel part of the school community.

We expect attendance to be 96% or higher.



Attendance
W/C 05.01.2026

Attendance
W/C 12.01.2026



Dates for your diary



Friday 23rd January 2026

14:45 – Year 2 Class Assembly

Parents of Year 2 Children Invited

Friday 30th January 2026

11:00 – Stay and... Maths

Parents of Nursery Children Invited

15:00 – Stay and... Maths

Parents of Reception to Year 6

Children Invited

Monday 2nd February 2026

08:45 – Phonics Workshop

Parents of Reception and Year 1

Invited

Monday 9th February 2026

08:45 – Phonics Workshop

Parents of Reception and Year 1

Invited

Friday 13th February 2026

15:30 – Last Day of Spring Term 1



Tuesday 24th February 2026

08:30 – First Day of Spring Term 2

Monday 2nd March 2026

08:45 – Phonics Workshop

Parents of Reception and Year 1

Invited

Wednesday 4th March 2026

13:15 – School Closes for All Pupils Due to Parent Consultations

13:30 – Parent Consultations Online

Thursday 5th March 2026

15:45 – Parent Consultations Online

Friday 13th March 2026

08:35 – My Books Rock

Parents of Reception to Year 6

Children Invited

Foxborough News

Coffee Morning and Community Hub Update

Our next Coffee Morning and Community Hub update is on **TO BE ARRANGED** from 08:45am. Please try to come along and join us.



Attendance

If your child is unable to attend school for any reason, you must notify us by either of the following methods:

Phone 01753 546376
- Option 1

or

Email:
attendance@foxboroughprimary.co.uk



Holidays

Please can we just take this opportunity to remind all families If your child misses 5 days or more to go to go on holiday or has 10 unauthorised sessions off over a 10 week period during term time, you are likely to incur a fine from Slough Borough Council.

Medication

If your child requires prescribed medication and is well enough to attend school, please bring the medication to the school office where paperwork can be completed and the medicine can be administered during the day.

Vacancies

If you are interested in any vacancies that we have within the Trust please click on the following link:

Join our Team

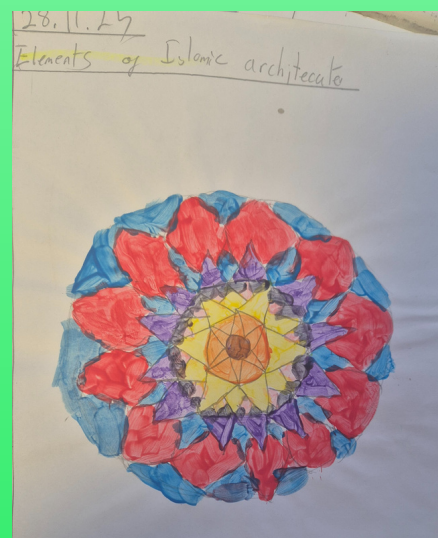
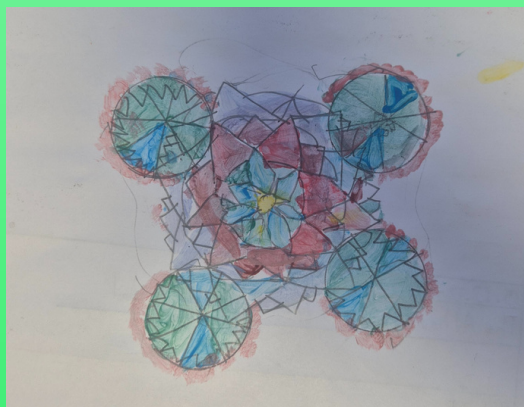
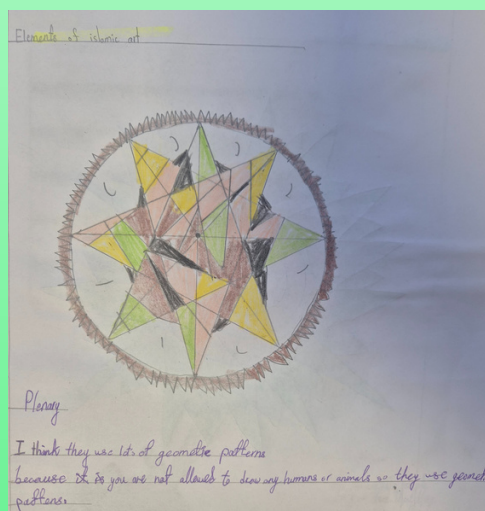
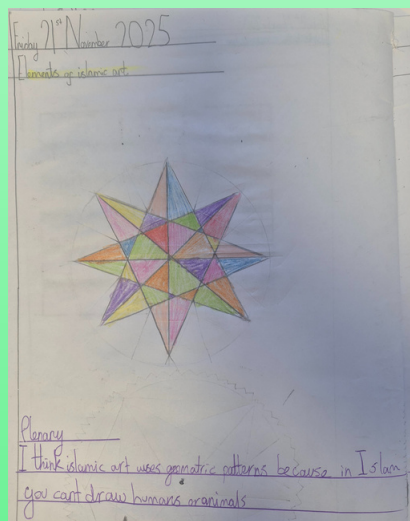
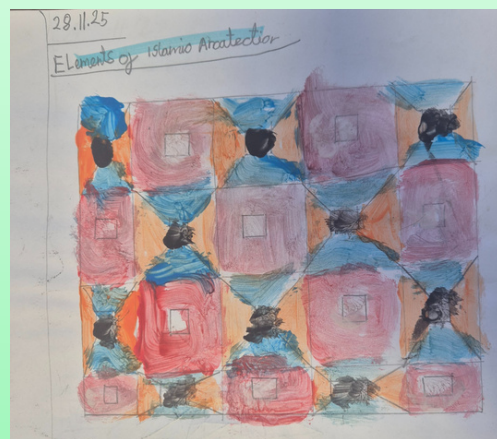
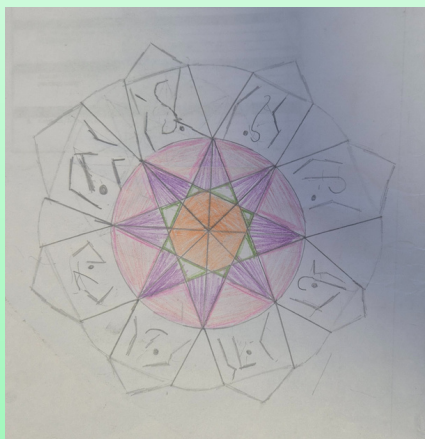
Vacancy	School	Deadline for applications
Teacher of Geography	Upton Court Grammar School	Wednesday 21 st January 2026
Headteacher	Trevelyan Middle School	Thursday 22 nd January 2026

Super Work

5 Kingfisher



Year 5 explored Islamic art in class, discovering designs such as geometric and vegetal patterns. We have looked at how these patterns are used within Islamic cultures and religious buildings. Here are some drawings and painting year 5 have done to show off their understanding of Islamic art!



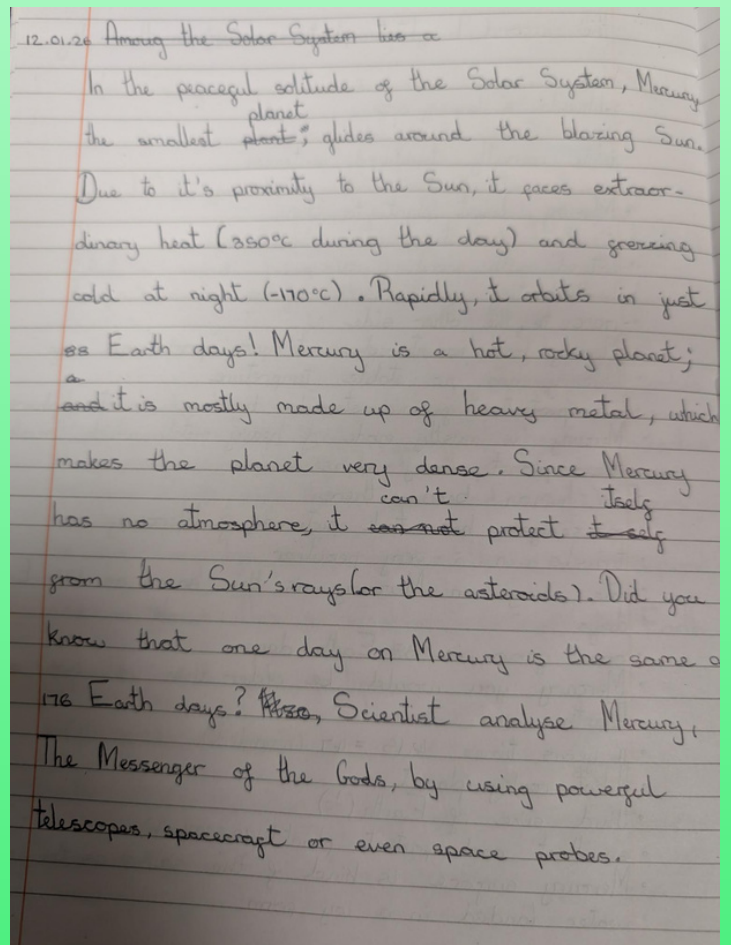
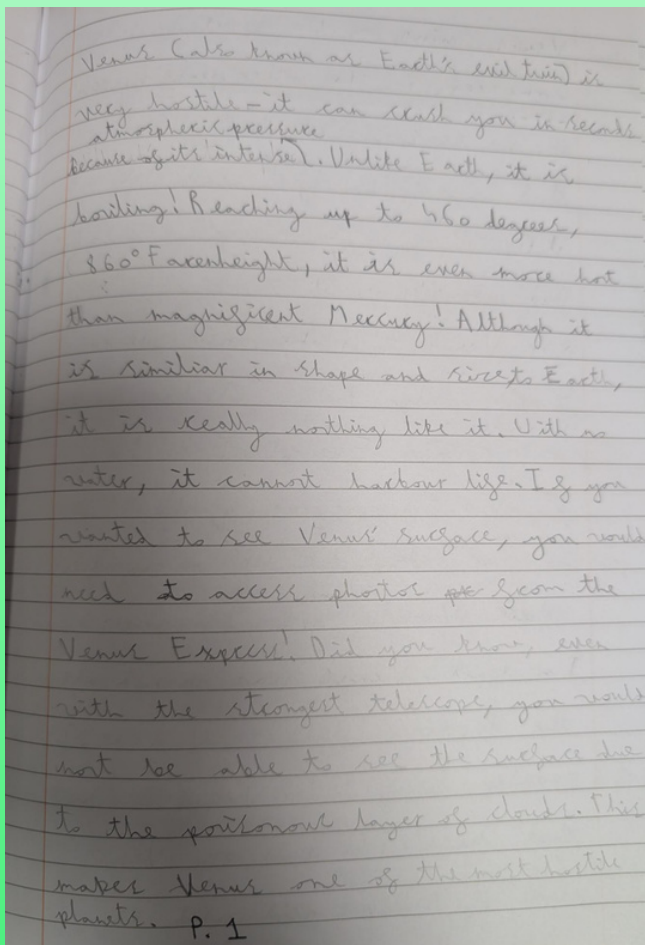
Super Work

6 Redkite



Over the past two weeks, Year 6 have been working incredibly hard in their English lessons. The children have learned a diverse range of cohesive devices, exploring how these can strengthen their writing and make their ideas flow smoothly. They have also been fully engaged with fascinating material about the solar system, diving into facts, vocabulary, and imaginative thinking.

Using their growing understanding of grammar and structure, the pupils have applied their knowledge to write descriptive passages about the planets, showcasing creativity, precision, and impressive attention to detail. We are extremely proud of their enthusiasm, determination, and the high standard of writing they are producing.





Teachers Corner

This week's teacher's corner is
by Mrs Tatarczyk



Music isn't only made with instruments – it's all around us, and I want you to start listening for it. When you walk down the corridor, notice the rhythm of your footsteps. Listen to the hum of traffic outside, the birds singing in the playground, or the tap of rain on the window.

I'd like you to really pay attention to these sounds, talk about what you hear, and try turning them into patterns, rhythms, or even your own simple compositions. When you listen carefully, you'll discover that everyday sounds can become music. This helps you grow as a musician by developing your listening skills, creativity, and musical imagination.

Music around us

The door goes creak, the clock goes tick,
Shoes go tap and raindrops click.
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Michelle

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Bekki

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