



KILLIGREW NEWS

Friday 9th May 2025

Dear Parents and carers,

Another busy week at Killigrew! I was lucky enough to attend the Year 3's swimming lesson this week. I was so impressed by the excellent facilities the school makes good use of in St Albans. It was great to see children making such good progress during their lesson. I was particularly proud of their behaviour which was commented on by a member of the public. Well done Year 3!

The Year 6 children are well prepared and ready for their SATs test next week. We are incredibly proud of their hard work and dedication, and we wish them every success.

Kind regards,

Mrs Thomas
Head teacher

Year 4 Road Safety

Over the past two weeks, Year 4 have been developing their pedestrian skills as part of their road safety education. Pupils learned how to cross roads safely, identify potential hazards, and navigate different types of crossings with care.

Attendance

Well done Parakeets for 100% two weeks in a row.

Class	Attendance
Parakeets	100%
Pelicans	99.56%
Cardinals	99.52%
Nightingales	99.33%
Peacocks	99%
Bluejays	99%
Puffins	97%
Goldfinches	96.67%
Kingfishers	96.55%
Toucans	96.43%
Hummingbirds	95.95%
Eagles	95.67%
Macaws	95.33%
Skylarks	95.2%
Firecrests	95%

Free School Meals

If your circumstances have changed, you may be interested in the following information regarding free school meals for your child. [Free school meals](#)

Is my child well enough for school?

If you're not sure whether to send your child to school when they are unwell, this link may be useful. <https://www.nhs.uk/live-well/is-my-child-too-ill-for-school/>

Trigolf

Myself, Amari, Jack, Sadie Mc, Florence, Roen, Charlotte, Grace, Aarav and George spent the afternoon at Roundwood Park School competing in the Tri Golf tournament. For most of us it was the first time we'd turned our hand to golf and so we didn't really know what to expect. We moved between 8 game stations where we had 8 minutes to score as many points as possible. The game stations were activities that tested both precision and distance shots. We had to work quickly, taking our shot and then running to collect the ball before passing it to the next team mate. Fortunately, there was a rest break too because it was pretty tiring. Our favourite station was 'Dominos' where we had 2 straight lines of 13 cones (dominos) in front of us which we needed to systematically 'knock down' (hit). Once a cone was hit it was removed to allow us to aim for the next one. As our shots became longer we scored a greater number of points. We enjoyed a big celebration when we became the first school to have successfully knocked down all the dominos thus scoring maximum points at this station. Whilst we didn't win overall, and so won't be heading to the county finals, we did have a brilliant time and felt we worked well as a team, cheering each other on and celebrating each other's successes.

Megan Year 4

Year 3 Trip to the Cathedral

Year 3 took a trip back in time to experience Roman life! On our trip to St Albans Abbey, we took part in a Roman trail, in which the children dressed up, and played a role in the story of St Alban.



The children also learned about how mosaics were made and where they can be found. They then had the opportunity to create their own mosaic tiles which they did carefully, and the results were fantastic!



Dates for the Diary 2024-25

Summer Term 2025	
Monday 12 th -Thursday 15th May	KS2 SATS week
Tuesday 20 th May	Y1 trip to Whipsnade Zoo
Wednesday 21 st May	KS1 Reduce, Reuse, Recycle assembly
Friday 23 rd May 9:00am	KS2 Sports Day (parents and grandparents welcome)
Monday 26th-Friday 30th May	Half term holiday (school closed)
Monday 2 nd June	INSET Day (school closed)
Friday 6th June 9:00am	Y4 Macaws class assembly (parents and grandparents welcome)
Tuesday 3 rd -Friday 13th June	Y4 multiplication tables check
Monday 9 th -Friday 13th June	Y1 phonics screening check week
Monday 16 th June	Class photos
Tuesday 17 th June	District sports (selected KS2 pupils)
Wednesday 18 th June	Y4 Egyptian Day
Thursday 19 th June	District sports (selected KS2 pupils)
Friday 20th June 9:00am	YR Skylarks class assembly (parents and grandparents welcome)
Tuesday 24 th -Friday 27 th June	Y6 Bikeability Week
Thursday 26 th June	YR trip to the Roald Dahl Museum & Story Centre
Friday 27 th June	Y3-Y6 Book look (parents/grandparents welcome)
Tuesday 1 st July	Y2 trip to Southend-on-Sea
Friday 4 th July	Infant Book Look 3:20-3:45pm
Tuesday 8 th July 9:00am	Y6 play (parents and grandparents welcome) Final Y3 swimming lesson for the term Boogie Bounce (YR-Y3)
Wednesday 9 th July 9:00am	Y6 play (parents and grandparents welcome)
Thursday 10th July	Transition day (meet the new teacher) Talk for new Reception parents
Friday 11 th July 9:15am 2:30pm	Infant Sports Day (parents and grandparents welcome) Mr Mitchell's concert (parents and grandparents welcome) Classes TBC
Tuesday 15th July	Y6 Legal Eagles visitors Scooter spectacular (Y4-Y6)
Wednesday 16th July	Scooter spectacular (Y4-Y6)
Thursday 17th July	Scooter spectacular (Y4-Y6)
Friday 18th July	Last day of term (school closes at 2:15pm)
Monday 21st July	INSET Day (school closed)
Tuesday 22nd July	INSET Day (school closed)
Wednesday 23rd July	INSET Day (school closed)
24th July 2025-3rd September	Summer holiday (school closed)

Term Dates 2025-2026**Autumn Term 2025**

Wednesday 3rd September	INSET day (school closed)
Thursday 4th September 2025	Term begins
Monday 27th October to Friday 31st October 2025	Half Term (school closed)
Monday 3rd November 2025	INSET Day (school closed)
Friday 19th December 2025	Term ends (finish one hour early)

Spring Term 2026

Monday 5th January 2026	INSET day (school closed)
Tuesday 6th January 2026	Term begins
Monday 16th February to Friday 20th February 2026	Half Term (school closed)
Friday 27th March 2026	Term ends (finish one hour early)

Summer Term 2026

Monday 13th April 2026	INSET day (school closed)
Tuesday 14th April 2026	Term begins
Monday 4th May 2026	May Day Bank Holiday (school closed)
Monday 25th May to Friday 29th May 2026	Half Term (school closed)
Monday 1st June 2026	INSET Day (school closed)
Wednesday 22nd July 2026	Term ends (finish one hour early)
Thursday 23rd July 2026	Occasional Day (school closed)

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Child's Class: