



PRINCIPAL'S UPDATE

NEWSLETTER – March 2025

Dear Parents/Carers,

As we wrap up another fantastic term, we'd like to take a moment to reflect on the many memorable experiences our children have enjoyed.

First, we extend a warm welcome to Mrs. Jones, our new Safeguarding and Pastoral Manager. We are delighted to have her join the Maltby Redwood Academy team and look forward to the positive impact she will have on our school community.

This term has been packed with enriching educational experiences, including visits to The Deep, Austerfield Outdoor Centre, and Robinwood Residential. These trips provide invaluable hands-on learning opportunities, and we sincerely appreciate the financial contributions from parents that help make them possible.

We have also embraced the spirit of community and celebration through various events. For Red Nose Day, children wore something red and showcased their talents in Maltby Redwood Academy's Got Talent Show. World Book Day saw everyone enjoying a cosy day in their pyjamas while celebrating the joy of reading. We also marked National Number Day, bringing the magic of maths to life!

Our end-of-term celebration assembly was a joyful occasion, with children proudly parading their Easter bonnets and KS2 students presenting their creative egg designs. A huge thank you to everyone who donated Easter eggs or purchased raffle tickets—your generosity will help supplement school funds, benefiting all our pupils.

Wishing all our families a wonderful Easter break. We look forward to another exciting term ahead!

Kind regards

Mrs Berry

KEY DATES:

First day back
Monday 14th April

Y5 Bikeability
Tuesday 22nd to Friday 25th
April

Y5 Victorian day
Wednesday 7th May

FS2 Dress as a book character
Friday 16th May

Y3 Creswell Craggs
Friday 16th May

For more upcoming dates
please see our website:
[Maltby Redwood - Upcoming Events](#)

EASTER CELEBRATIONS

We had a fantastic time celebrating Easter with our special assembly! The children worked so hard creating beautiful Easter bonnets and decorating eggs, and we loved seeing their creativity shine. They proudly paraded their bonnets for everyone to see, and our decorated egg display was full of bright and imaginative designs.

A huge congratulations to our winners for both the bonnet parade and the egg decorating competition – it was a tough decision with so many incredible entries!

We also held an exciting Easter egg raffle, adding to the fun and festive spirit of the day. Thank you to all the parents who joined us – your support made the event even more special.

Wishing everyone a happy and joyful Easter!

WORLD BOOK DAY

What a fantastic World Book Day we had last week! Our school was filled with excitement as children arrived dressed in cosy pyjamas and creative costumes inspired by their favourite book characters.

REDWOOD'S GOT TALENT

Wow! What an incredible talent show we had for Red Nose Day! A huge well done to everyone who took part – your performances were fantastic, and you should all be so proud of yourselves.



ROBINWOOD

Y4 and Y5 had an amazing trip to Robinwood. From conquering the climbing wall to working together in team challenges, every child stepped out of their comfort zone and made memories to last a lifetime! A huge well done to everyone for showing resilience, teamwork, and lots of enthusiasm!

FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE

Maple class had the incredible opportunity to virtually meet Florence Nightingale herself! Florence shared fascinating stories about her work and how this impacted on modern nursing.

HOME FRONT DAY

Our amazing Year 6 students stepped back in time for Home Front Day, experiencing what life was like during WWII! They spent the day learning about the resilience, sacrifices, and daily life of those on the home front.



LE-ANIMALS

Saplings had a special visit from Le-animals, where they got up close with a variety of fascinating insects! The children were buzzing with excitement as they learnt all about these tiny creatures. We loved seeing them so engaged.

AUSTERFIELD

Y1 had a fantastic day at Austerfield Study Centre. The children had hands-on experiences discovering wildlife and learning about different habitats. They loved spotting bugs, identifying plants, and even meeting some special animal friends!