



Sowe Valley Primary School

Newsletter

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17th October 2025

Dear Parents/Carers,

Yesterday, Year 5 got to go back in time to Ancient Greece when they had a visitor come into school to bring their history learning to life! The children got to experience life in the Spartan and Athenian army by re-enacting a battle between the city-states. They got to explore lots of fantastic Greek replica artefacts and learn about life in Ancient Greece. We ended the day with role-playing a Greek myth - Odysseus and the Cyclops. It was a brilliant day and the children were fantastic!

I hope you have a great weekend

Emma White



Birthdays this week

Roman - Reception

Kolbee - Year 2



Coats

Our coat/shoe donation trolley is proving to be very popular, please feel free to place coats and shoes onto the trolley for other families to take for their children. If you see something on the trolley that you would like for your child, please help yourself.

Term Dates

2025/2026

Autumn Term

Tuesday 2nd September 2025
to Friday 24th October 2025
(Monday 1st September is a
teacher training day)

Half Term Holiday

Monday 27th October 2025 to
Friday 31st October 2025

Autumn term (continued)

Tuesday 4th November 2025 to
Friday 19th December 2025
(Monday 3rd November is a
teacher training day)

Spring term

Tuesday 6th January 2026 to
Friday 13th February 2026
(Monday 5th January is a teacher
training day)

Half Term Holiday

Monday 16th February 2026 to
Friday 20th February 2026

Spring Term (continued)

Monday 23rd February 2026 to
Friday 27th March 2026

Easter Holiday

Monday 30th March 2026 to
Friday 10th April 2026

Summer Term

Monday 13th April 2026 to
Friday 22nd May 2026

Bank Holiday Monday 4th May
2026

Half Term Holiday

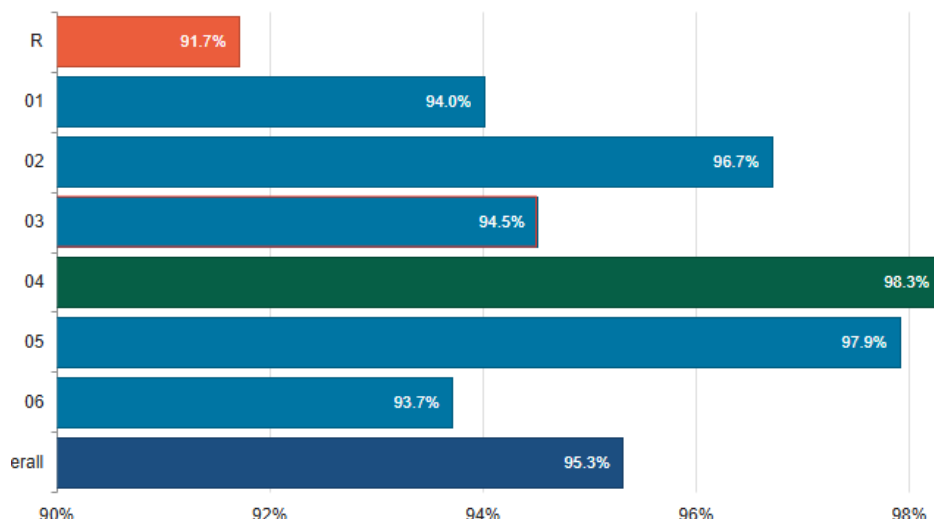
Monday 25th May 2026 to
Friday 29th May 2026

Summer Term (continued)

Tuesday 2nd June 2026 to
Friday 17th July 2026

(Monday 1st June & Monday 20th
July are teacher training days)

Attendance 6th October - 10th October



Stars of the week

Year 1 - Evyan/Tamai

Year 2 - Kolbee/Milena

Year 3 - Kody/Vanenyasha

Year 4 - Amelia M/David

Year 5 - Leighton/Jenson C

Year 6 - Tara/Nidha

Writer of the week

Year 1 - Cody

Year 2 - Rugiyatou

Year 3 - Olivia

Year 4 - Arabella

Year 5 - Rocco

Year 6 - Meredith

Dates for your diary

24th October - Last day of 1/2 term

3rd November - Teacher training day

4th November - Return to school

11th November - Individual school photos

12th November - Year 3 trip

