

Happy Friday Everyone!

Thank you to the parents who attended our event last Friday to get more information about our Ofsted inspection. The slides used will be shared in the coming days.

We are very proud of our inspection report, which emphasized just how much care, attention and valuable learning experiences all the children receive here at Anstey.

If you have any more questions about the Ofsted inspection report, please contact me on head@anstey.herts.sch.uk

Parent workshops next year

We have had a series of successful parent events this year and we want to hear your ideas! Is there a particular subject you would like to know more about? Are you interested in coming to school to join in with a particular lesson or activity? Please let us know as it's important that these events work for you! Please send any ideas to admin@anstey.herts.sch.uk



Sonny in Fledglings for trying your best in phonics and your fantastic singing!

Chloe in Little Owls for her positive attitude and great contributions in class discussions!

Summer in Wise Owls for her beautiful handwriting when writing her guide to the Wilderness. Well Done Summer!

Well done to all of you!

Attendance

	This week %	So far this year %
Fledglings	97	95
Little Owls	95	94
Wise Owls	98	96

Well done Everyone – MUCH better attendance this week. Keep it up until the end of term!



What's for lunch next week?

It's WEEK 1 😊😊

Date	Event
Saturday 20 th June	<p align="center">Anstey First School Summer Family Fun Day! A traditional village school fair. Stalls, food, and great fun for all the family. I might even get the guitar out again this year!</p>
Thursday 25 th June	<p align="center">Sports' Day Our annual sporting celebration day. Showcasing learning from PE lessons, as well as lots of fun activities. The teachers are already in training for their annual race! Parents, please join us from 11am in the park.</p>
Wednesday 1 st July	<p align="center">Y2, 3, 4 Geography field trip A trip to Buntingford to complete a local area and river study.</p>
Sunday 5 th July	<p align="center">Anstey Fair The annual village fair – join us for games, food and entertainment.</p>
Tuesday 7 th July	<p align="center">Buntingford Library Visit The team from Buntingford library are coming to give a presentation to the children about the activities and services available in their local library, as well as launch the Summer Reading Challenge!</p>
Thursday 9 th July	<p align="center">County Transition Day All pupils will spend the day in their new classes. Y4 will be in their new school!</p>
w/c 13 th July	<p align="center">Matilda the Musical! Dress Rehearsal – Owlets invited to watch – Tuesday 14th 10am Performance 1 – Wednesday 15th 2pm Performance 2 – Thursday 16th 5pm</p>
Friday 17 th July	<p align="center">Leavers' Disco Get your dancing shoes on!</p>
Wednesday 22 nd July	<p align="center">Leavers' Trip Celebrating our year with a wonderful trip with Miss Parkinson!</p>
Thursday 23 rd July	<p align="center">End of Term Assembly for children and parents at 1.15pm</p>

School Year 2026-27 – Term Dates

Autumn Term

<i>INSET day:</i>	<i>Tuesday 1st September 2026</i>
<i>INSET day:</i>	<i>Wednesday 2nd Sept</i>
<i>Start of Autumn Term 1:</i>	<i>Thursday 3rd September 2026</i>
<i>Half Term Holiday:</i>	<i>26th October 2026 – 30th October 2026</i>
<i>Start of Autumn Term 2:</i>	<i>Monday 2nd November</i>
<i>Occasional day</i>	<i>Friday 4th December</i>
<i>End of Autumn Term</i>	<i>Friday 18th December (Assembly 1.15pm)</i>
<i>Christmas Holiday:</i>	<i>21st December 2026 – 1st January</i>

Spring Term

<i>INSET day</i>	<i>Monday 4th January 2027</i>
<i>Start of Spring Term 1:</i>	<i>Tuesday 5th January 2027</i>
<i>Half Term Holiday:</i>	<i>15th February 2027 – 19th February 2027</i>
<i>Start of Spring Term 2:</i>	<i>Monday 22nd February 2027</i>
<i>End of Spring Term</i>	<i>Thursday 25th March (Assembly 1.15pm)</i>
<i>Easter Holiday:</i>	<i>26th March 2027 – 9th April 2027</i>

Summer Term

<i>INSET day:</i>	<i>Monday 12th April</i>
<i>Start of Summer Term 1:</i>	<i>Tuesday 13th April 2027</i>
<i>Half Term Holiday:</i>	<i>31st May 2027 – 4th June 2027</i>
<i>Start of Summer Term 2:</i>	<i>Monday 7th June 2027</i>
<i>End of Summer Term</i>	<i>Wednesday 21st July (Assembly 1.15pm)</i>
<i>INSET day:</i>	<i>Thursday 22nd July</i>
<i>Summer Holiday:</i>	<i>23rd July 2027 – 31st August 2027</i>