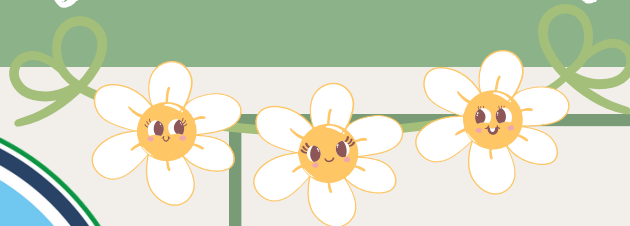
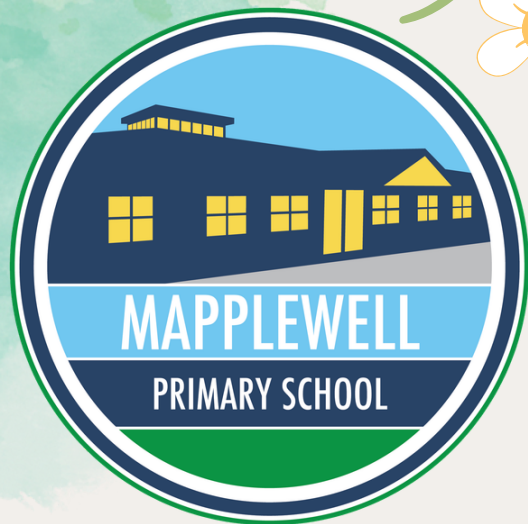


Weekly Bulletin

W/E 04/09/2026



AUTUMN 1



WELCOME BACK!

Great Fire of London
KS1 Workshop
Class 3, 4 and 5
8th September 2026

We have been lucky enough to secure a visit from Alfresco Learning to do a workshop for KS1 pupils.

Pupil's will explore the story of the Great Fire of London through hands-on activities that combine history, science, and D&T—complete with our signature wattle & daub challenge. Learning sticks when it's active, memorable, and outdoor-based.

Please book your child's place via Arbor

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

Class 1 - 100%
Class 2 - 98%
Class 3 - 97%
Class 4 - 99%
Class 5 - 96%
Class 6 - 89%
Class 7 - 98%
Class 8 - 95%
Class 9 - 95%
Class 10 - 95%
Class 11 - 90%

WHOLE SCHOOL: 96%



MAPPLEWELL PRIMARY SCHOOL



WELCOME BACK FROM MR.GARROOD

As we come to the end of our first week back, I wanted to take a moment to say what a wonderful week it has been. It has been fantastic to see our pupils return to school with such enthusiasm, smiles and positivity.

We know that returning to school after the summer holidays can sometimes be a difficult time for children as they adjust back into routines, settle into new classes and build confidence in their new surroundings.

However, I have been visiting classrooms regularly throughout the week and have been absolutely wowed by how quickly our pupils have settled and returned to working hard.

The calm, purposeful atmosphere around school has been wonderful to see, and the children should be incredibly proud of themselves.

I would also like to thank all of our parents and carers for the warm welcomes I have received before and after school, and while standing on the gate each morning and afternoon. It really is a lovely start and end to every day, and I am grateful for the support and kindness shown by our school community.





IMPORTANT NOTE

Pupils have now been added to their new classes on Seesaw, TT Rock Stars, Rollama and Spelling Shed.

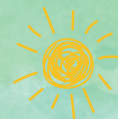
Login details have been sent home with pupils. If you have any problems accessing any of the platforms, please get in touch with your child's class teacher.

Spelling words have been set on Spelling Shed this Friday, ready for a spelling test next week. We will be practising these spellings in school throughout the week, so there is no expectation for children to learn them all at home.

However, if you would like to give your child a little extra support, the spelling words can also be found on Seesaw for some additional practice.

Thank you for your continued support.

Oct 2026



AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS:

Clubs for next term Autumn 1 will start **W/C 07/09/2026**

Booking is now open.

There will be no clubs on Thursday 10th and 17th September due to staff training

Monday

- Kindness Club (KS1) - Class 5
- Athletics Club (UKS2) - Hall
- Newspaper Club (UKS2) - Class 9
- Keyboard Club (LKS2) - Lunchtime

Tuesday

- Charity Champions Club (LKS2) - Lunchtime
- Photography/Art Club (UKS2) - Class 10
- Cooking Club (KS1)

Wednesday

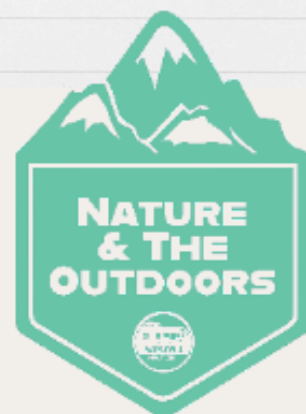
- Hockey Club (KS2) - Playground
- Cricket Club (UKS2) - Hall
- Choir/Young Voices (KS2) - Lunchtime

Thursday

- Multi-Skills (KS1) - Hall
- Gardening Club (UKS2) - Class 1 & 2
- Mini-Beast Club (KS1) - Nursery

COMMUNICATION

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Our Values

- Kind
- Resilient
- Independent
- Respectful
- Honest
- Safe
- Happy
- Teamwork



SPRING/SUMMER 2026 MENU

WEEK 2 MAPPLEWELL PRIMARY SCHOOL

HOT DISHES					MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
OPTION 1	Cheese and Tomato Pizza with Potato Wedges				 	 	 	 	 
	Macaroni Cheese								
	Jacket Potato with a Choice of Fillings								
ALL DISHES ARE SERVED WITH CRUNCHY VEGETABLES AND / OR FRESH SALAD									
VEG	Sweetcorn Salad Bar				 	 	 	 	 
Watermelon									
DESSERT	Garden Peas Mixed Salad				 	 	 	 	 
	Chocolate Marble Cake								
	Sweetcorn				 	 	 	 	 
Chocolate Cookie									
Ice Cream				 	 	 	 	 	
Jacket Potato with a Choice of Fillings									



AVAILABLE DAILY

Fresh Fruit, Freshly Baked Bread, Yoghurt and Water



Vegetarian



Wholegrain



Nutritionist's Choice



Oily Fish



Fruity



Vegan

Our menu is subject to change. Please be assured that all notified medical diets and allergy requirements will be safely catered for.



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MAPPLEWELL HOUSE POINTS



Pupils work as a team in their house
to earn the most Mapplewell points
The house with the most points
by the end of the term
will earn a reward as a house
Below is points so far this term....

Cannon Hall House: **144pts**

Locke Park House: **145pts**

Metrodome House: **137pts**

Oakwell House: **122pts**





Key Dates

Sept 2026

Tuesday 8th September
Year 4 Swimming starts

Tuesday 8th September
Great Fire of London Workshop KS1

Monday 14th September
SEN Coffee morning at 9.00 am

Oct 2026

Monday 5th October
Flu Nasal Spray - R- Year 6

Friday 9th October
Individual/Sibling School Photos

Monday 12th October
World Mental Health Day

Nov 2026

Wednesday 18th November
Parents Evening

Thursday 19th November
Parents Evening

Inset Days

2026/27

Thursday 22nd October

Friday 23rd October

Friday 18th December

Friday 12th February

Monday 22nd February

Friday 25th June

SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

2026/27

MON 26TH OCT - FRI 30TH OCT

MON 21ST DEC - FRI 1ST JAN

MON 15TH FEB - FRI 19TH FEB

MON 29TH MAR - FRI 9TH APR

MON 31ST MAY - FRI 4TH JUN

THURS 22 JUL - TUES 31ST AUG

2026/2027

MON 3RD MAY - MAY DAY



SEN Coffee Morning



Hosted by the Local Authority SEND Team

Join us for an informative and supportive coffee morning to learn more about the SEND Graduated Response Process.

The session will cover:

- ✓ How schools identify SEND needs
- ✓ Assess, Plan, Do, Review
- ✓ Support available for children and families
- ✓ Opportunities to ask questions and seek advice



♥ *All parents and carers are welcome.*

 Complimentary refreshments available



Date: Monday 14th September

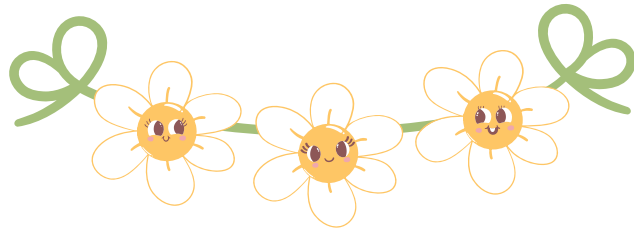


Time: 9am



Venue: Hall - Enter via school office





WELCOME
back to
SCHOOL

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