



| Date | Event |
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| 28 th Feb | FISA Disco |
| 3 rd Mar | Y6 Cuffley Camp Trip |
| 4 th Mar | Y5 Cuffley Camp Trip |
| 5 th Mar | Y3 Cuffley Camp Trip |
| 6 th Mar | Y4 Cuffley Camp Trip |
| 7 th Mar | World Book Day at IVJS |
| 11 th Mar | Parents' Evening |
| 13 th Mar | Parents' Evening |
| 21 st Mar | Red Nose Day |

Attendance and Lates this week...

| | Cairo | Cardiff | London | Lisbon | Paris | Prague | Washington | Warsaw |
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| Attendance | 98% | 94% | 90% | 97% | 99% | 93% | 90% | 98% |
| Lates | 1 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

Well done Paris Class!

This Week In School...

Year 3 – have been exploring fractions in Maths this week, learning about the whole and its parts; denominators and numerators. In English, they have been writing a narrative entitled 'The Wishgranter', focusing on setting descriptions, character descriptions and the use of speech. In DT, they were very creative making their moving monsters, including a pneumatic system to make the monster's mouth open and close. It was fantastic to see everyone persevering with their creations and encouraging each other to overcome obstacles in their designs. In PSHE, they have been setting themselves 'healthy me' challenges, which will be their focus over the coming half term. These included healthy eating, exercise, wellbeing and sleep challenges.

Year 4 – have been identifying features of a newspaper report to be able to write their own newspaper report about the 'Vanishings'. They also interviewed eyewitnesses to collect quotes to use in their report. In Maths, Year 4 have started learning about fractions. The children used diagrams to identify how many equal parts a shape has been split into and how many more parts are needed to make the whole. They also explored partitioning mixed numbers in different ways. In Science, the children reviewed and recorded the results of their teeth experiment. They continued the topic on the digestive system; the children were able to identify and label the organs involved in our digestive systems. In History, Year 4 have been learning about Roman beliefs, the children have really enjoyed learning about the Roman Gods and how they compare to the Gods in our Ancient Greeks topic.

Year 5 – have settled into their classroom routines beautifully. In Maths, our young mathematicians explored thousandths, impressing us with their ability to apply previously acquired knowledge. In English, the children began an exciting new writing project— an informal email from Liam, a main character in the class text, to his parents from outer space. Their creative contributions to the shared write have been outstanding. In Science, the children eagerly delved into their new topic, Earth and Space, engaging thoughtfully with evidence for both a flat Earth and a spherical Earth. Meanwhile, in Geography, they explored volcanoes and in French, they learnt how to say words for different foods and drinks. It has been a busy but exciting week in Year 5, filled with learning, creativity and discovery!

Year 6 – have had a busy start back after half term. In English, the children have started writing a diary entry in character; they are writing as Michael, the main character in the class book: Skellig. In Maths the children have continued to do algebra and have been learning about formulae and equations. They are continuing their topic on light in Science and have conducted an investigation this week into the size of shadows in relation to the position of the light source. They have started a new topic in DT which is all about bridges and during the lesson this week, they investigated the best shape for a beam. In Computing, the children have been learning about online bullying and what action they should take if they - or someone they know - experience this.

Our office email is office@ivjs.school

Tonight's Disco starts at 6pm and ends at 7.15pm.

Please remember that if your child does not have a ticket OR was not in school today, they will not be allowed back to the disco. Thank you.

School Pledge: 'I pledge to do all that I can, so that we can all learn and be happy at school.'




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Don't forget we are a **NUT AND SESAME FREE SCHOOL** - we have children who have allergies! (let's leave them for the squirrels) 

Cuffley Camp Week!

Next week is Cuffley Camp week where each year group will be visiting Cuffley Adventure Camp for the day! Pupils will need to bring:

- A packed lunch
- Waterproof coat
- Wear old clothes that may get muddy
- Trainers that will get muddy
- A spare pair of trainers
- A school jumper or cardigan

As the coaches will be leaving before the start of the school day, please remember to have **children in school by 8.15am** so they don't miss the coach. Thank you.

Ivertastics!

Well done to:
Annie!

Chalfont St Giles vs IVJS

Our netball team had their first fixture in over three months on Thursday this week. We introduced four new players to the team, some making their netball debut. A very strong Chalfont St Giles team took dominance early on which continued throughout and their experience shone through. Our Iver team showed great resilience to keep going throughout the game and they never gave up. Some great forward passing got us close to scoring on a number of occasions whilst at the other end some important interceptions helped too.

Overall, I was so proud of the effort and determination they all showed. Well done!

World Book Day 2025

We will be celebrating World Book Day on Friday 7th March this year at IVJS.

Children will be able to come to school dressed as their favourite fictional characters! Please note, if your child does not wish to dress up, they are welcome to come to school dressed in their own clothes for the day.

Don't Forget To Book:

Spring Term Parents' Evenings

Our Parents' Evenings this term will be a mixture of online and in person again. Tuesday evening will be IN PERSON while Thursday appointments will be ONLINE.

Cairo Class - Tuesday in person appointments will be with Mrs Macdonald and Thursday online appointments will be with Miss Bjorck.

SEN - Should you wish to discuss any of your child's SEN needs, please feel free to email Miss Couves. You are welcome to arrange an appointment with her directly ecouves@ivjs.school.

For the full details, please head to

<https://www.iverivillage-jun.bucks.sch.uk/school-news/spring-term-2025-parents-evenings>

Letters/Blogs out this week:

[Cuffley Camp Trips](#)

Copies of school letters are available on our website

Scribble Words Of The Week... **Meander**
Part **Block** **Dense** **Gnarled**
Early **Quiet** **Cruel** **Embark**

