















Dear Parents and Carers,

As we draw to a close on what has surely been the most whirlwind half term to date, the anticipation for the Easter break among our children and staff is palpable. The annual showcase of our Easter gardens and bonnets has, as ever, filled our school with light and laughter, demonstrating incredible talent and imagination. The ever-increasing creativity makes selecting winners from each class an increasingly delightful challenge. Our heartfelt thanks go out to all the parents and carers whose support makes this wonderful tradition possible. This year, winners were celebrated with chocolate eggs, and every participant was honoured with a certificate for their outstanding efforts—a testament to the extraordinary support some of our children receive at home for their home learning projects.









Our gratitude extends deeply to the Friend of Hollydale for ensuring each pupil received an Easter egg, made possible through the generous donation of over 150 chocolate eggs by Harradine Removal firm. The Friends of Hollydale have also been instrumental this term, dedicating countless hours to beautifying our school and organizing fundraising events like Easter hunts. Their commitment is a gift to our community, one for which we are thankful.









Yet, there is always room for more hands and hearts. We invite every parent and carer to consider joining our efforts in any capacity you can, from fundraising, to event support. Should you wish to contribute, please contact the school office for more information on how to get involved. As we approach the Easter holidays, I wish each and every one of you a time filled with joy, rest, and precious moments with your loved ones. I'm personally looking forward to spending time with my daughter, Hannah, who returns from a long term at university. Please encourage your child to engage in daily reading over the break, and consider keeping a writing journal, which would be a joy to explore upon their return. Equally, remember the importance of rest during this period.







We eagerly await the return of all pupils at 8:55 AM on the 15th of April, ready to embark on the summer term.

Wishing you a very Happy Easter! Leading such a remarkable school community fills me with immense pride.





Reema Reid Headteacher

















## Easter Highlights at Hollydale





















