

20 March 2026

Dear Parent/Carer

I am writing to confirm the arrangements for the last day of term – **Friday, 27 March 2026**.

Our pupils are very keen to support others in the community, and so the last day of term will be a **fundraising non-uniform day**. The ethos of the day is to celebrate diversity and for pupils to find out more about each other. Pupils have chosen a theme of 'Culture and Traditions' and are welcome to participate by wearing:

- A national football shirt or other sports team shirt
- Hair ribbons in the national colours of countries they have lived in
- Attire representing their heritage, such as a sari or lenga
- The colours of a national flag, such as red, white and blue for the Union flag
- Cadet, scouting or service uniforms

(Kindly note, however, that face-paint is not allowed).

Pupils who wish to take part will need to bring in a minimum donation of £1. The £1 donation will be collected at the start of the school day. The funds raised will go to the charity Canine Partners.

If families would like to donate more to the pupils' chosen charity then they may do so via the 'Payments' Section of the School Gateway app*.

Lessons will take place as normal on the last day of term, with pupils being dismissed at **2.45pm** via their usual entrance/exit point.

We hope that the pupils enjoy their break and look forward to seeing them again next term, which commences on Monday, 13 April 2026.

Yours sincerely



Ms S Spivey
CEO, Headteacher

* Please make your donations by (11.59pm on Monday, 13 April 2026). For general queries regarding using the School Gateway app please see the school website and click on 'School App Support' or email Sophie Steward: trips@springfield.uk.net

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