



# Spalding Parish Church of England Day School

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30<sup>th</sup> June 2025

Dear Parent / Carer,

**Year 6 Author Visit – Tom Palmer  
Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> July 2025**

Year 6 are getting very excited to welcome author Tom Palmer to join us in school on Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> July. As part of our English, before Christmas, we studied his book 'Over the Line' to develop our narrative writing linked to WW1. We have really enjoyed studying his style as an author and exploring other books in his series.

This is a fabulous opportunity to work with an author and have a valuable experience, especially on our journey to continue to engage and promote reading throughout Year 6. If you would like to find out any information about our visiting author, please use the link below:

<http://tompalmer.co.uk/>

We have calculated the voluntary contribution for his visit as £5.20. Although this is a voluntary contribution, we must stress that a shortfall in contributions may prevent the workshop from going ahead. If you have any difficulties in making payment, please make an appointment to speak to Emily Hill or a member of the Senior Leadership Team.

There will also be the opportunity to buy a signed book for £7.00 (the choices will be on MCAS for you to select) or if you have a book already you can bring it in to be signed. If any child has completed a series of his books, please let us know and he will award a certificate during his visit.

Thank you for your continued support, especially with reading and your child's 'Learning with Parents'. If you wish your children to take part in this event, please ensure £5.20 is paid via MCAS by Friday 11<sup>th</sup> July. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact a member of the team using [Y6@spaldingparish.laat.sch.uk](mailto:Y6@spaldingparish.laat.sch.uk) or by catching one of us at the door.

Your sincerely,

Kim Bird, Amelia Siddall, and Emma Weatherhill  
The Year 6 Team.



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