

A Few Words from Mr Hancox

We are two thirds through the year and everyone should be very proud of what they have achieved during Autumn and Spring. The Summer term is round the corner and I know everyone will be ready to approach school with a positive and hard-working attitude that we have seen all year.

We will be continuing with the KS2 sports club on Monday, KS2 sports club and SATs club for Year 6 on a Tuesday. Lightening Squad will happen each morning and we are excited for our Year 5 and 6 children who will be starting swimming each Thursday.

25 Reads

Well done to everyone who read 20 times this half term, it is wonderful to see how many more children are reading at home.

Reception: Robyn F, Harper C, Jessie H, Markus M and Safiya K.

Year 1: Hollie G, Charlie L, Harvey G.

Year 2: Arthur S, Harley S.

Year 3: Maci A, Charlotte E, Lola T, Orlaith H, Ila M.

Year 4: Daniel B, Camden B, Guilia D, Mia S, Mya S, Delilah S, Tyler S, Tori S, Caitlin T, Harriet T.

Year 5: Mariyah B, Logan Flint, Lacey K, Oliveris P, Ameilia R, Isabella S, Molly W, Emily Yeo.

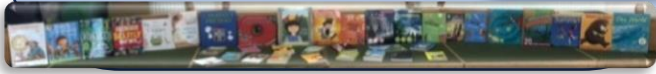
Year 6: Oliver B, Lisa C, Tommy C, Vinnie H, Joey M, Charlotte V, Joshua W, Lilah W.

Well done to the children who have read all term!

Harper C, Jessie H, Markus M and Safiya K, Hollie G, Charlie L, Harley S, Charlotte E, Lola T, Daniel B, Camden B, Guilia D, Mia S, Mya S, Delilah S, Tyler S, Tori S, Caitlin T, Harriet T, Mariyah B, Lacey K, Isabella S, Oliver B, Lisa C, Vinnie H, Joey M, Joshua W.

Finally we want to celebrate the children who have completed all their reads throughout Autumn and Spring – what an achievement!

Harley S, Charlotte E, Daniel B, Mia S, Tyler S, Lisa C, Mariyah B, Isabella S, Oliver B,, Vinnie H, Joey M.



Ready steady Cook

The children thoroughly enjoyed the assembly from the School Food Showdown, we learnt how to use healthy ingredients to make a fantastic dinner. Well done to the Red Team who won with a scrumptious healthy option.



100% Attendance

Well done to all the children who have been in school this term.



Rec/Year 1 – Brandy B, Theo B, Harper C, Hayden P-B

Year 1/2 – Aston F, Whyley D-N, Hollie G, Ella R, Arthur S, Harley S

Year 3 – Franke C, Charlotte, E, Ben M, Ella S

Year 4 – Alfie B, Daniel B, Alana-Rae C, Blake, C, Mya S, Caitlin T

Year 5/6 – Oliver Booth, Dylan G, Vinnie H, Oscar T, Emilie W, Joshua W.

Well done to all the children who have been in school every day since September.

Year 1 – Wyley D-N, Year 3 – Charlotte E, Year 4 – Caitlin T, Year 6 – Oscar T.

Thank you to all parents who have supported their child to achieve 100% attendance this term and for the year!

Well done to our responsible children!

Value Champions : 22nd March.

Reception/Year 1- Jessie H

Year 1/2 – Eden D, Stan C

Year 3 – Millie H

Year 4 - Daniel B

Year 5/6 – Lacey K, Lilah W



Rita Responsibility

Your School Council presents... The 2024 Easter Holiday Challenge!

Spring is the theme for this holiday's creative challenge. The School Council would like you to create a piece of work, inspired by the season of Spring. Ideas are endless, but here are some of ours to get your creative juices flowing:

Write a poem, make an instrument - then compose a song, design a garden – what flowers and trees might you include?, create an animation, Lego, design a poster, write a story, a report or a news article, make a bonnet, fashion design an outfit, cut and stick to make a collage, bake something.

We will celebrate all Spring inspired entries back in school and the school Council will judge and give prizes for the most creative. Please bring in your completed challenge by Friday 12th April – Happy Creating!



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Attendance School aspirational target – 97% School attendance this Year – 94%

96 – 100%

Attendance is good to excellent.

No few lessons are being missed. Impact upon learning is minimal.

Class Teacher to celebrate attendance

Attendance this week

Reception/Year 1 – 88.15%

Year 1/Year 2 - 95.38%

Year 3 – 99.37%

Year 4 – 95%

Year 5/Year 6 – 96.74%

Well done to Year 3!

90 – 92%

Attendance levels are causing **significant concern**.

High/severe risk of underachievement.

Senior Leader to contact family to offer an improvement plan Consider legal action (risk of fine being issued)

93 – 95%

Attendance levels are beginning to cause concern.

Risk/high risk of underachievement. Child will struggle to reach their full potential.

Class Teacher to contact parent to discuss absences

Under 89%

Attendance decreased to an **unacceptable level** – despite intervention and support.

Extreme risk of underachievement.

Senior Leader/Trust Wellbeing Lead/EWO Legal action (fine)

14.5 to 19.5 days off during the academic year

20+ days off during the academic year

It is important for all children to be in school as much as possible, in order to access learning. With the run up to SATs, can you try to ensure that all Year 6 children are in school and if possible, attend the SATs club on Tuesday.



Easter Discos

We have had another awesome disco this week, children danced the night away and thoroughly enjoyed themselves. We would like to thank all the parents and staff for their support with this event, particularly DJ FitzPatrick.

What is happening in school

(in the next 2 school weeks after Easter)

- Monday 8th April** - Lightening Squad Intervention all week
3rd Space maths intervention
- Tuesday 9th April** - KS1 Multi Sports Club (3.20pm – 4.20pm)
SATs Club (3.20pm – 4.20pm)
- Wednesday 10th April** - Saxophone lessons
- Thursday 11th April** - Parent Forum (2.45pm – 3.15pm)
Year 5/6 swimming
- Friday 12th April** - Achievement Assembly
Year 5/6 family lunch
Forest Friday – Year 3
- Monday 15th April** - Rounders Club – KS2 (3.20pm – 4.20pm)
Lightening Squad Intervention all week
3rd Space maths intervention
- Tuesday 16th April** - KS1 Outdoors Multi Sports Club - (3.20pm – 4.20pm)
SATs Club (3.20pm – 4.20pm)
- Wednesday 17th April** – Saxophone lessons
Year 6 parents' meeting (about Year 6 leavers' night) – 3.25pm – 4pm
- Thursday 18th April** – Swimming Gala Finals – 6pm – 8pm
Snowdome.
Swimming – Year 5/6
- Friday 19th April** – Achievement Assembly
Year 3 family lunch, Forest Friday – Year 4

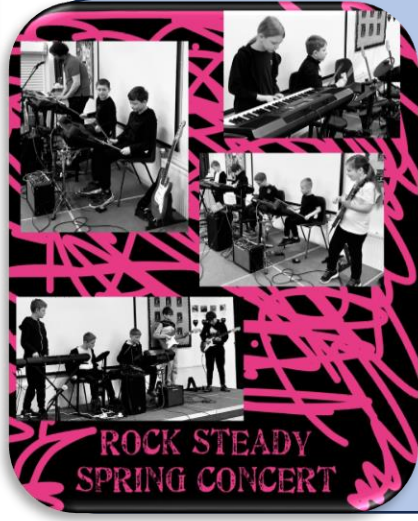
Reception/Year 1 Forest Friday

We are so proud of how our outdoor learning program has developed this year. It is great to see the children out in all weathers! Reception and Year One had a fantastic day learning new outdoor skills. They particularly enjoyed playing in the mud kitchen and building dens.



Mother's Day Events

We had two wonderful sessions of decorating biscuits and enjoying a nice cup of tea and a delicious cake. It was great to see the children relaxing with their family member during the Mother's Day celebrations.



Rock it Music Concert

At the end of every term we have our Rock It Concert, and it was amazing to hear all of our future rock stars in full force. Their dedication and hard work has certainly paid off, every band rocked the rafters of the school hall.

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