



HEADTEACHER COMMENT

We have had a number of great trips over the last couple of weeks including visits for nursery to the Sealife centre in Birmingham, Reception to the Play Village, Tiny Twos had a Teddy Bears picnic the park and Y2 spent a day at the beach. Our children behaved brilliantly and were a credit to you all.

We are all looking forward to a week of sporting events led by Mr Farley and Mr Beck.

Look out for times and full details in this newsletter.

This week and next all pupils in Y1 to Y6 are sitting short assessments to capture what they have learned this term. We are introducing Pixl assessments in year five and across the academy from September. These assessments support us to identify any gaps in knowledge and ensure our children keep up. In September, I will run a parent workshop to show you how these support teaching and learning.

Teachers are busy writing reports at present. I'm looking forward to reading the children's reports over the next couple of weeks.

I'm pleased to announce that we have a new HLTA joining the team in September, Mrs Burton visited our academy yesterday to meet staff and get to know the children in year five. Mrs Burton will be supporting on a number of initiatives across the school including music.

Miss Turley is going on maternity leave in September. We wish her all the very best and hope to see her and the baby very soon. Mrs Wood is leaving to work in another school. I'm pleased to announce that the reception teachers will be our Assistant Headteacher Mrs Smith and Mrs Maddison will be our EYFS phase leader as well as a new teacher Miss Warner in reception from September.

We have a couple of interviews over the next two weeks and I will update you on any additional staff joining the team in September. You will receive details on your child's new class teacher next week.

As always, this is a very busy time in the academy and I look forward to sharing lots of the lovely things we have planned including our summer fayre on Friday 8th after school.

Mrs M Lathbury-Cox

DIARY DATES

1 July – Non uniform cake donation*
4 July – Sports Day – Years 4&5 @ 9.15am
4 July – Sports Day Years 3&4 @ 10.45am
5 July – Sports Day Nursery & Reception @ 9.15am
5 July – Sports Day Years 1&2 @ 10.45am
6 July – KS2 interclass sports day
7 July – Pupil Celebration Event
8 July – Summer Fayre 3.30-5.30pm
w/c 11 July – 100% attendance rewards
13 July – Y6 Leavers assembly & graduation – morning*
13 July – Year 6 leavers festival – 4-6pm*
w/c 18 July – End of year reports
20 & 21 July – Nursery Graduation
20-22 July – Y6 Isle of Wight residential trip

BOOK FAYRE

22 July – Break up for summer holiday New confirmed dates/times*

Parents invited

Our summer book fair will be between Tuesday 5 to Friday 8 July (including a stall at the summer fayre). All classes will have the opportunity to browse the books available for sale during the day.

ALL books are on sale 3 for the price of 2

Orders to be paid for online via the below QR code



Thank you to all our children and families that have supported our summer fayre by sending in chocolates last week for the chocolate hamper tombola ©

We will be having another non uniform day on <u>Friday 1 July</u> we are asking for donations of shop bought cakes for our cake stall at the summer fayre. We kindly ask that the 'best before' date exceeds the 8th July.

Thank you so much in advance for your generosity.

CLASS ATTENDANCE

RLW 95.28%

RLT 91.95%

1PG 92.24%

1SN 97.22%

2LP 95.56%

2CG 93.06%

3PB 94.83%

3VG 88.06%

4CO 98.89%

4KR 94.54%

5HF 98.33%

5MM 97.04%

6HL 97.81%

6BH 91.67%

6RF 96.67%

Well done to 4CO this week for achieving 98.89%



Overall attendance

95.31%

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Week ending
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