SCHOOL NEWS

Friday 13th May 2022

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Message from Mr Tuffin

This week our Year 6 children did their SATs test. These do not measure all the amazing things our children can do and of course school is far more than a test. They were, however, amazing and we are proud of their attitude and determination.

They have had a brilliant adventure day today and we look forward to all they will achieve in their final term.



Year 6 SATS

Well done to all of the children for completing their tests this week!

We are so proud of them.



St Patricks Vs Frederick Bird

On Monday 8th May, the football team played their first football game of the year. Unfortunately, they lost 2-1. We are very proud of our team who played well.

Vaping

We have heard of a few instances of children using a vape outside school.

Vaping is not a healthy activity for any child to do and can cause all sorts of issues later in life. Please speak to your children about the dangers of vaping and if you vape at home make sure your child does not have access to any of the equipment associated with it.

Meetings with Parents – Lateness

Despite many reminders, some children are still regularly arriving late for school.

The Pastoral Team will be asking the parents/carers of those children, to attend a meeting in school to discuss the impact this is having on your children and their education.

The school gates close promptly at 8:45am each morning.

If your child arrives late for school, they may miss their morning mark for the entire morning which could lead to the issue of a fine.

May I take this opportunity to thank those parents/carers who make sure their children are at school, on time, each morning - Shell Shaw, Pastoral Lead

Reporting Absences

If your child is unable to attend, please contact school by 8:30am to report the reason for their absence.

Please call **02476 221920 Option 1**and leave a message with your child's name, class and the nature of the absence.

We will be talking about the dangers of vaping with children in school and would ask you to do the same at home.

The following link may help - https://e-cigarettes.surgeongeneral.gov/



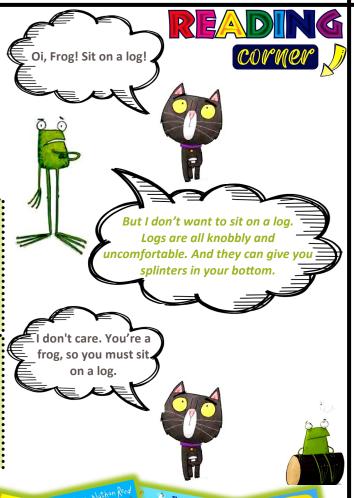
Author of the Week



Kes Gray was born in Chelmsford, in the south east of England, in 1960. After studying English and American Literature at the University of Kent, he worked in advertising as a copywriter - writing headlines, captions, jingles and so on - before becoming an author.

Mr Spencer's sons both absolutely love the Oi Frog! series, and can often be heard quoting parts of the book, but Kes has written books for children of all ages - all with his characteristic quirky sense of humour.

You can find lots of his books in our libraries:









Does your child bring their own drink to school each day?

Year 4 have been talking about the importance of **reusable** items and wanted to share their wonderful examples!

Reusing bottles prevents the need for new plastic, and over time, it is cheaper than buying a bottle from the shop everyday too!

These bottles last such a long time, but not quite forever, so please remember to recycle them at the end of their life.



STAR OF THE WEEK

Nursery	Chosen A	- AM	Hasan M	- PM
Reception	Leyla Liliana G Mario R	- Owls - Robins	Hidayatullah J	- Kingfishers
<u>Year 1</u>	Hamdaan I	- Owls	David I	- Kingfishers
	Quinn E	- Robins	Pranathi J	- Wrens
<u>Year 2</u>	Justin P	- Owls	Sara A	- Kingfishers
	Uzair I	- Robins		
<u>Year 3</u>	Lukas H	- Owls	Marwa N	- Kingfishers
	Ayesha J	- Robins	Jessica N	- Wrens
Year 4	Dominika M	- Owls	Melody S	- Kingfishers
	Aicha W	- Robins	Akram S	- Wrens
<u>Year 5</u>	Kezia O	- Owls	Denisa K	- Kingfishers
	Hasan R	- Robins	Samuel P	- Wrens
<u>Year 6</u>	Adam K	- Owls	Everyone	- Kingfishers
	Hashim A	- Robins	Riley S	- Wrens



<u>Summer Term 1: Monday 25th April - Thursday 26th May 2022</u>

<u>Teacher Training Day</u>: Friday 27th May 2022 <u>Half Term</u>: Monday 30th May - Friday 3rd June 2022

Summer Term 2: Monday 6th June - Friday 22nd July 2022

