



# NEWSLETTER

June 23rd 2023 No.32

Dear Families,

What a busy school week! I am sure you will all agree our PE team, supported by the class teachers and LSAs did a fantastic job with sports day this week. Despite the boiling hot weather, we hope that you enjoyed watching it. Next week looks to be just as busy, with Reception trips to the beach, Year 3 visit from Portals to the Past, Borough Olympics and our Year 6 children will go off on their residential to the Essex outdoor centre in Mersea. For our Year 6 parents with children on residential, please keep an eye on our social media. Although the phone reception is not very good on Mersea, staff will try to post pictures when they can.

Please can I remind you to make sure that your child has sun cream, a hat and a water bottle every day at school. It is extremely hot in school at the moment and constant access to water is essential.

Have a lovely weekend!

Mrs Bray

## Congratulations! Well done for their effort and resilience

A reminder that each week a pupil is selected by the class teacher as a star learner, possibly a pupil who has demonstrated the Co-op values across the week in their learning and been a positive role model to the other pupils in the class.



### KS1 stars went to:

Nursery—Arthur G  
 RJ— Cavalli  
 RH— Ariana  
 RM—Franek  
 RJo— Saahas  
 1L— Lilly  
 1P—Kevin  
 1S— Harry  
 1Su— Eleni  
 2C—Rosie  
 2N— Ikhram  
 2JV—Hanna  
 2W—Haya

### KS2 stars went to:

3L—Shayaan  
 3M— Davih  
 3R— Robbie  
 3RS— Alex  
 4M— Luca  
 4MS—Lacey  
 4W— Dennis  
 4A— Rezwan  
 5A— Daniel  
 5C— Eddie A  
 5Ch—Jedi  
 5P— Leo

6B— Bianca  
 6O—Lily-Jayde  
 6R—Olivia  
 6S—Giya  
 FS1— Sanjeet  
 FS2— JJ

## Dinner Menu

### Week 2





Week Commencing - 24th April, 15th May, 5th June, 26th June, 17th July, 11th Sep, 2nd Oct

Day	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	Moroccan Lamb Tagine with Lemon & coriander Cous-Cous, sweetcorn & Peas	Chicken Burgers with potato crispers, Mixed veg & Baked Beans	Roast Gammon with Roast Potatoes, Carrots & Fresh Greens	Cheese & Tomato Pizza with Potato Wedges, Sweetcorn & Broccoli	Fish Fillet with Chips, Peas
	Creamy Cheese & Pea Pasta, Sweetcorn	Quorn Burger with Potato crispers, Mixed Veg & Baked Beans	Roast Quorn Fillet with Roast Potatoes, Carrots & Fresh Greens	Quorn Dippers with Potato Wedges, Sweetcorn & Broccoli	Tomato & Vegetable Pasta Bake, Peas
	Jacket Potato with a choice of filling	Jacket Potato with a choice of filling	Jacket Potato with a choice of filling	Jacket Potato with a choice of filling	Jacket Potato with a choice of filling
	Fruit Smoothie	Cocoa Sponge & Cocoa Sauce	Fruit Jelly	Lemon Shortbread	Banana Muffin

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# School Rewards

Teams	Emerald 	Ruby 	Sapphire 	Diamond 
Dojo points earned this week	1662	2108	2115	1740
Total Dojo points this term so far	36,877	40,615	40,268	37,532
Praise cards awarded this week	36			
Total praise cards awarded this academic year	920			



## Attendance

Holidays are not permitted during term time and will, on most occasions, end up with both parents being fined.

### **This week the Attendance Awards have been awarded to:**

Year 1 & 2	97.7%	2W	Mrs Walton
Year 3 & 4	97.1%	4MS	Mrs Minter
Year 5 & 6	96.3%	6S	Mr Sensi
<b>Whole School attendance</b>		<b>92.9%</b>	

## Sports Star of the Week

It would be an impossible task for the PE Team to pick out individual sports stars this week. The staff were blown away by the performance of the majority of children at their sports day. They would however like to give a special mention to the Year 6 Sport leaders who helped run and coordinate the younger year group days. Well done year 6!



### Going on around school.....



#### Year 4

In Year 4 this week, we started our Science innovate project - creating our own nightlights using a circuit!



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**Year 5**  
As part of our learning in Science in Year 5, we investigated different irreversible changes. We developed our knowledge about the scientific indicators of irreversible changes and set up our own practical investigations to observe the reactions. We enjoyed our Science lesson.



**Nursery**  
Nursery enjoyed having a games day this week and practising lots of different sports! We all had great fun!



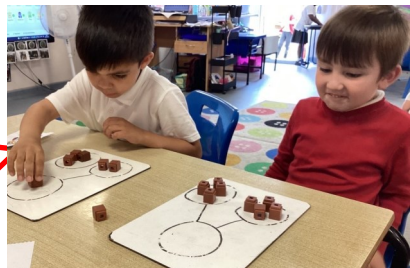
**Year 3**  
Year 3 have been developing their science knowledge and skills about flowering plants. We dissected tulips and lilies to identify the different parts of the plant. We loved looking at the fascinating flowers.



**Year 1**  
Year 1 selected healthy ingredients for a fruit salad and used a range of tools and equipment to perform a practical task.



**Year 6**  
As part of our history unit, pupils in year 6 identified the type of warfare that was used during the First World War and World War 2. They then took part in a mini debate, comparing the effectiveness of the warfare during each war.



**Reception**  
This week the children have been learning how to find half of a number. They were using the part-whole model to share the cubes into equal groups.

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Dates for your diary

	Date	Year Group	Event
<b>June</b>	26.06.23 – 28.06.23	Year 6	Mersea Residential Trip
	27.06.23	EYFS	Chalkwell Beach Trip
	28.06.23	Year 3	Portals to the Past visit
	29.06.23	EYFS	Chalkwell Beach Trip
	30.06.23		Borough Olympics
<b>July</b>	04.07.23	KS1	Infant Music Festival (during the day)
	07.07.23	Year 5	Portals to the Past visit
		KS1	Borough Olympics
	11.07.23	Year 2	Tower of London trip
	12.07.23	KS2	Junior Music Festival (evening)
			Year 6 perform 'Charlie and the Chocolate Factory'
	13.07.23	Year 2	Tower of London trip
			Year 6 perform 'Charlie and the Chocolate Factory'
14.07.23	KS1	Cross Country competition	
19.07.23	Year 6	Leaver's Disco	
	Year 6	Leaver's Assembly	
20.07.23 – 06.09.23		Whole School	SUMMER HOLIDAYS



**STRANGER DANGER REMINDER**  
 The police were on site yesterday as there were reports from parents that a someone was acting strangely in the park after school (approximately 3.50pm). Please remember to hold on-to your child and keep them within your sight at all times.

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