



St Andrew's C of E Infant School

Newsletter

10th May 2024



Message from Mrs. Woan:

What a wonderful week of learning at St. Andrew's. The caterpillars in Reception are in their cocoons. We hope they are ready to hatch soon. Year 1 have visited St. Andrew's church to find out about what happens at a baptism ceremony. Year 2 have been planning ways that they can save water and also raise money to help villagers in Mugaremeno get water. The children have also enjoyed playing on the grass. We have had a few hayfever type allergies appearing, please ensure if you child suffers they have medication before school. Also if the weather is going to be sunny can you apply sun-cream before the children come to school and send in a hat

Have a lovely weekend.



Shining stars awards this week go to:

Ladybirds: Sam
Honeybees: Corey
Butterflies: Amelia
Owls: Riley
Kingfishers: Erin
Dragonflies: Luna

Perseverance is the current school value

Ladybirds: Milly S
Honeybees: Jake
Butterflies: Louella
Owls: Thomas
Kingfishers: Ronnie
Dragonflies: Alice

My God is my strength in who I trust' Psalm 18:2

Weekly Attendance Scores

Ladybirds: 94%
Honeybees: 99%
Owls: 98%
Butterflies: 91%
Kingfishers: 100%
Dragonflies: 99%

Best Class of The Week is Kingfishers

Life Education Workshops

The children have loved seeing Harold and his friends this week.

Each class has attended a workshop which supports children's understanding about making healthy choices, understating their feelings and emotions and supporting their wellbeing.

Reception: 'All About Me'
Year One: 'My Wonderful Body'
Year 2 'Feelings'





On SATURDAY 29th June we are hosting a joint event with Woodlea Junior school to show case how amazing both of our schools are! We are trying to get more people to hear about us and know where we are. Please share the event far and wide. We are putting on a FREE community event and want you to help us spread the word about the positive experiences your children have by attending our schools. There will be some fun activities for children to have a go at and also an opportunity for people to buy refreshments.

- Can you help out on the day?
- Would you be able to speak to other parents to share your positive views of the school experiences your children have?



BOB's Book of Brilliance

Dragonflies: Charlie for excellent RE work about places of worship, Luna and Finley for describing the life of a child in Mugaremeno and making comparisons. Layla for using noun phrases to describe where Sunny the meerkat lives. Finley for detailed description of food chains.

Kingfishers: Charlie and Kaleb for writing descriptions of Mugaremeno, Charlie for excellent RE work about places of worship. Lucy and Olivia for completing tricky maths work.

Owls: Lily for complete tricky fraction maths

Butterflies: Scarlett, Arlo and Alex for their understanding of reading

Ladybirds: Felix, Xander. Sam, Millie, William for writing about the lifecycle of a butterfly, Soffia for sentence writing.

Honeybees: Corey, Jake, Jack, Hattie, Lola, Harry, Catherine, Finley, Teddy-writing about the lifecycle of a butterfly.

Diary Dates

Monday 13th May - Year 2 Trip to Brockholes

Thursday 16th May - Dogs Trust visit to school

Monday 20th May - Scoot Safe for Year 2. Children can bring their own scooters if they have them.

Monday 20th May - Reception visiting Hindu Mandir

School closes for Half Term Friday 24th May at 3.15pm

Monday 3rd June INSET day

Wednesday 5th June - Reception vision testing

Wednesday 5th June - Year 2 visiting Preston Mosque

Week beginning 10th June - Year 1 phonics screening

Week beginning 10th June - Year 2 SATs quizzes start

Wednesday 12th June - Reception Trip to Imagine That!

Thursday 13th June - Dad's and Donuts Event

Monday 17th June - NEW Reception parents' open information evening

Saturday 29th June - Community event at school

Tuesday 2nd July Year 1 Trip to Blackpool Zoo

St. Andrew's to Woodlea - Transition dates for Year 2 children



Summer 1 - Friday afternoon small group session
17th May

Summer 2 - Whole year group x sessions for full afternoon 1.30pm-2.30pm
Friday 7th, 14th June

Summer 2 - Year 2 Parents Information evening - 6pm
Thursday 13th June

Summer 2 - Buddies in year 5 write to year 2 children

Summer 2 - Buddies and Year 2 picnic lunch - 12pm-2pm
Wednesday 10th July

Summer 2 - Moving Up Day
Wednesday 3rd July



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