



10th May 2019

Message from Ms Iwanicki

Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope you all had an enjoyable bank holiday weekend. The children have been working extremely hard all week and some classes have had a visit from Ms Predko, who has been helping the children (and the adults) with their Spanish lessons. In PE this week Coach Sara introduced the children to 'bleep tests'. They had great fun trying to time their sprints and improve their fitness levels.

In Year 6 the children have been doing final preparations for their SATs tests next week. Everybody has been working hard and we are extremely proud of them. Next week they will get the chance to 'show off' all their learning and I'm sure they will do fantastically well. Just a reminder, that Year 6 children can come into school at 8:30am next week for a special 'breakfast club' in class. I'm sure you will join me in wishing them all the very best of luck.

Next week, the Reception class children will be having their Teddy Bear's Picnic. I'm sure the children, and bears alike, will have a fantastic time. Also on Friday Winter Class will be going to Golders Hill Park for a post SATs treat. Fingers crossed we have good weather.

Finally, I would like to thank our wonderful staff team, who have gone above and beyond this half term to support the Year 5 and Year 6 children to make sure they have the best possible outcomes. It has been a real team effort, but thank you to Ms Broster, Mrs Wickham, Mrs Galton, Ms Heaney and Ms Price for your hard work and commitment to the children.

Wishing you all a restful weekend,

Jo Iwanicki
Head of School

James 1:12 Blessed is the one who perseveres under trial because, having stood the test, that person will receive the crown of life that the Lord has promised to those who love him.

Spring Class



This week in Spring class we have been reading The Little Red Hen. We measured flour and oats in the maths area using weighing scales. We described the features of 2D shapes with fun games on our Interactive White Board. In PE we had a go at throwing, catching and rolling a ball. We gave it a really good go!



Summer Class



This week we wrote our own sense poem to enter into the Young Writers Poetry Patrol competition. In Topic we were learning about the Great Fire of London. We looked at when the fire took place and how it started. In Science we looked at different living things and classifying them into groups. Ms Predko visited us and taught us some Spanish greetings. We sung some songs in Spanish. Our favourite song in Spanish was 'Baby Shark'.



Autumn Class



This week Autumn class learnt about the five pillars of Islam. We learnt how Muslims pray and compared this to other religions we have learnt about. We each had to read a book from our class library and review it so others in the class can decide which books to read more easily. In Maths, Year 3s have been learning about turns and angles, while year 4s have been learning about co-ordinates and translating shapes.



Winter Class

Winter class are doing so well. Year 5 are continuing with their reading of 'How to Train your Dragon', with a particular focus on vocabulary and discussion. In maths, they have been helped with negative numbers by Professor Snape, who has taught them about fire-cube and ice-cube uses in potions! Meanwhile in Year 6, we have been preparing for SATS non-stop; the children have really persevered and we are all ready to get them done! The children are under strict instructions to make sure that as well as getting a bit of revision done, they have a rest, sleep and spend time with their families this weekend. Nearly there! Also, check out our 'Phases of the moon' display we made about last week's Science!



Spring Class

Golden Book

Bobby- for an enthusiastic attitude to our science experiment with toy cars.

Hannah- for not giving up when practising throwing and catching in PE.

Summer Class

Golden Book

Claudia- For your hard work this week. You focused extremely hard to stay on task, make great learning choices and put 100% into all activities.

Chara- for showing persistence when challenged with a new concept of halving two-digit numbers.

Autumn Class

Golden Book

Areliana- For thoughtful answers in RE.

Kiana- For lovely neat presentation and writing great complex sentences.

Winter Class

Golden Book

Anna- For helping herself to learn by challenging herself with homework in preparation for SATs.

Zane- For great effort, developing his confidence and consistently good behaviour.



Maths Monkey!

Spring Class – **Leander**- for becoming more confident at naming and describing 2D shapes.

Summer Class - **Rose** for her super addition skills when adding groups of money together.

Autumn Class – **Caitlin**- for her confidence in object translations and having beautifully presented work.

Winter Class – **Gaia** for excellent reasoning.

Dates for Diary – 2018-2019 term dates are on the school website. Additions are in blue; Changes are in red.

13th - 17 th May	- KS2 SATS week
15 th May	- Parent Coffee Morning in Church 9am-10am
17 th May	- Reception Teddy Bear's Picnic
21 st May	- PFA Meeting School Hall 9-10am
21 st May	- Winter Class science trip to UCS
27 th - 31 st May	- Half Term
4 th June	- SRE meeting for Y6 Parents 9:15 School Hall
5 th June	- Whole school Science workshops
6 th June	- Summer Class Assembly
7 th June	- Winter Class language trip to UCS
13 th June	- Autumn Class Assembly
20 th June	- Winter Class end of Year Production time tbc
22 nd June	- Summer Fair 12:00-4:00
24 th – 28 th June	- Scholastic Book Fair
27 th June	- Spring Class Assembly
1 st July	- PFA KS1 Disco 3:30-5:00
2 nd July	- PFA KS2 Disco 3:30-5:00
10 th July	- Sports Day at Parliament Hill Fields (PM)
11 th July	- Autumn Class How plants grow workshop
16 th July	- Leavers' Service 2.30pm
17 th July	- Parent Open Evening
19 th July	- Last day of term. Pupils finish 1.30pm

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