

Friday News 17.05.2024

A huge well done to Year 6 this week for their hard work on their SATs. They showed, tenacity, grit and determination throughout the week. We are really proud of how well they rose to the challenge. Thank you also to the rest of the school for allowing us to borrow some of your adults to ensure the SATs went as smoothly as possible.

Award

We have been shortlisted for the sports category in the Education Business Awards!

<https://awards.educationbusinessuk.net/category/school-sport-award>

We were contacted a few weeks ago to submit a written entry due to our achievement with the platinum school sports award and our recent press entries. We owe a huge thank you to Miss Balaam for all that she does to promote sports and well-being in our school.

Attendance

We achieved **96.8%** attendance this week which is an improvement on last week. Year 6 achieved 98.6% attendance this week in first place. Well done Year 6! Year 1 were in second place with 97.4 % and year 4 were third with 97%.

As we approach the summer months, please remember to send your child in with a hat and full water bottle to keep them cool.

#MomentsMatterAttendanceCounts

Blue reading

Just a reminder that we have our blue reading non-uniform day on **Wednesday**. Certificates will be going home on Monday if your child has completed the reading challenge.

Key dates

20th - 24th May - Key Stage 1 SATs

21st - Year 6 skills escalator day West Suffolk College

22nd May - Blue reading non-uniform day

23rd May - Year 3 to Lavenham Guildhall

24th May - Dress Down Day / Colour Run

27th - 31st May - Half Term

4th June - Multiplication tables check (year 4)

4th June - Year 3 trip to Foxearth

5th June - Year 6 Henry Moore trip

7th June - Year 2 Sudbury Day

10th - 14th June - Phonics Screening checks (year 1)

10th June - Jump Rope Workshop Day

21st June - Year 6 to Mercury Theatre - Industry Day

2nd July - Year 4 trip to Imperial War Museum Duxford

3rd July - Royal Shakespeare Company performance (year 5)

5th July - Year 2 & 5 to Felixstowe

5th July - Summer Fair

8th July - Year 6 Leavers' Assembly pm (more details to follow)

9th July - Sports Day (timings and more details to follow later)

11th July - Reports out to parents

16th July - Transition morning in school for pupils to meet their teacher for next year

16th July - Meeting the teacher drop in after school 3:15 - 3:45 an opportunity for you to meet your child's teacher for the following year

17th July - Purple and Gold reading non uniform

19th July - Last day of term

Happy weekend everyone!

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“Let the children come to me and do not stop them, because the Kingdom of heaven belongs to them”

MATTHEW 19:14