

THE DEVONSHIRE

BUZZ



FRIDAY 15TH MAY 2026

Headteacher's Notice

Hello Devonshire,

This week has been SATs week and I could not be more proud of our Year 6 pupils. They have all shown an exemplary attitude throughout what has been a challenging week; remaining calm, conscientious and determined. They have truly demonstrated 'The Devonshire Way' at every opportunity. Well done to all of our Year 6 pupils and thank you to all the staff who have supported them so brilliantly.

On Tuesday, Year 3 enjoyed a sunny day out at Murton Park in York. The children stepped into the shoes of Saxon settlers, exploring the challenges and daily activities of early medieval life. The day began with a talk from an abbot and abbess about Saxon origins and social structures, before learning about writing and illumination techniques and how settlements were defended from Viking invaders. A huge thank you to all the staff who supported Year 3 on this visit, and especially to Mrs Page for her excellent leadership and organisation of such an exciting and memorable experience.

Next week, Devonshire pupils will be taking part in our Health and Wellbeing Week and this year promises to be another spectacular event. All pupils will enjoy a week full of fun and will have the opportunity to try a wide range of new sporting and wellness activities. If you require any further information about the week ahead, please check ClassDojo, Facebook and ParentApp.

I hope all Devonshire parents, carers, pupils and friends have a pleasant and peaceful weekend.

Mr Simm
Headteacher

School Notice

We would like to extend our thanks to Blackpool Family Hubs, Reverend David and the Blackpool Boys and Girls Club for their support and attendance at Parents' Evening last week. Your time and contribution were greatly appreciated.



Upcoming Events

- 18-22nd May - Health and Wellbeing Week
- 22nd May - Close for Half Term at Normal Time
- 8th June - School Reopens at Normal Time
- 9th June - KS1 Sports Day, 13:30 - 14:50 at Devonshire
- 16th June - KS2 Sports Day, 09:30 - 12:00 at Stanley Park
- 17th June - Photographs for Classes & Year 6 Leavers
- 17th June - Reception Sports Day (RG 13:30 RM 14:15)
- 18th June - Year 2 and Year 4 to Blackpool Zoo
- 22-24th June - Year 6 Residential to London
- 23rd June - RG to Farmer Parrs
- 24th June - RM to Farmer Parrs
- 25th June - Year 5 to the Lake District
- 30th June - 1S to Ribby Hall Zoo
- 1st July - 1H to Ribby Hall Zoo
- 9th July - Year 3 to Go Ape

Further details about trips and events can be found on Class Dojo and Parentapps.

Attendance

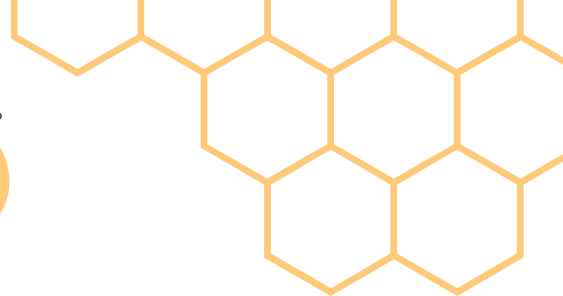
Whole School: 96%

Class: 60 (Edison) 100%



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Rowling Class

3P have been writing about the physical features in the Lake District, including mountains, lakes, valleys and rivers. Their knowledge has really PEAKed this term and they have done a LAKEtastic job with their Geography work!



Keller + Rowling Class

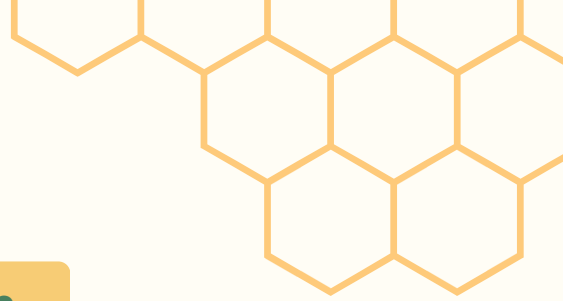
Murton Park transported Year 3 back in time to a reconstructed Viking village, where they SAXON up their history knowledge through candle dipping, guard duty, writing techniques, Viking raids and AXExceptional Saxon games!



Potter Class

The chrysalises in RG have transformed into beautiful butterflies! There was lots of excitement as the butterflies spread their wings and fluttered away; a truly TRANSFORMATIONAL experience for the children. They were all BUTTERFLYing with joy watching them take flight!

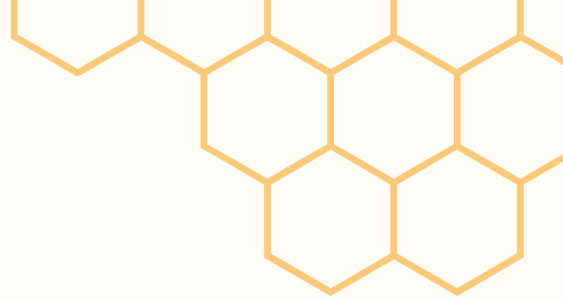




Star of the Half Term

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RG	Melody M
RM	Rhea G
Beehive	Jase-James R-M
1H	Azhar M
1S	Melody H
2M	Saniya S
2MS	Wynter S
3M	Olivia G
3P	Lyna A-F
4MT	Eden J
4S	Caitlyn B
5D	Lily B
5S	Joseph A
6J	All of Year 6
6O	All of Year 6



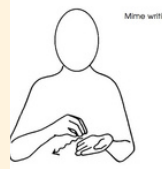


Word of the Week

Hideous

(something extremely ugly, offensive to the senses, or morally shocking)

Makaton Sign



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Friday 15th May

International Day of Families

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JUNIOR PLAYER DEVELOPMENT

May holiday camp
Year 1 - Year 6

Golf, dodgeball
Plus more activities

STAR OF THE DAY

SPOT PRIZES

STAR OF THE WEEK

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Wed 27th May
Thur 28th May
Fri 29th May

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