









NEWSLETTER

02.05.2025





Winning Class for Week Ending: 25.04.2025

Antony Class: 99.05%

Whole School: 96.76%

90-94%

95-97%

98-99%

100%

Upcoming Dates

5th May: Bank Holiday

12th – 15th May: Year 6 SATS 19th – 23rd May: Healthy Week

19th May: Whole School Trip: Old Hunstanton

21st May: Rauf Relocation Day (Year 6 Enterprise Project/Fundraising) 23rd May: **Head Teacher Awards:** End of Term Awards Assembly

23rd May: Sports Day (1pm onwards)

Bella

In case you haven't had a chance to read the sad news about Bella. Letter link from the Chicken Team: HERE

Duxford Imperial War Museum

Rauf Class school trip: 25th June. Please read letter & give permission on Arbor. HERE

Junior Maths Challenge

On Thursday this week, Joshua, Oliver and Nico from Rauf Class took part in the Junior Maths Challenge. 25 *extremely* difficult problem-solving questions were posed to the boys, who rose to the challenge with great resilience. Well done.

Curriculum Newsletters & Knowledge Organisers

Precis of what we're learning this half term. Key facts & vocabulary that support current learning:

Summer 1 learning across classes: located here: LINK

Summer 1 Knowledge Organisers: located here: LINK

Old Hunstanton Trip: 19th May

Deadline for parental consent has now elapsed.

Additional briefings for teachers, followed by support staff and then after school for school-inducted volunteers throughout next week.

Further information will be released to parents in the build-up to the trip when we know a little more re tide times, weather, for example.

Swimming & Staffing Updates

An update letter about changes to staffing, in-year & next, plus swimming arrangements should be released next week.

Congratulations, Nav!

London Marathon complete and Nav is recovering well.

Funds raised for FOES currently stands at just over £1500. The fundraising will close after bank holiday Monday. Still time to donate: LINK:

https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/nav-johal-1

Congratulations, Nav. The school is indebted to you.

Giving up your time...blood, sweat and tears for our children is honourable.

Thank You on behalf of FOES and the entire school community.



Abby the Illustrator

On Thursday, we enjoyed welcoming Abby Hobbs back for a whole-school assembly followed by workshops in Antony and Wenzel. Using the illustrations from her book *The Secret Jungle*, Abby led a draw-along of a character moving from one setting to another. The children then used their imaginations to draw their own wonderful pictures. A big thank you to Abby for her time and continued inspiration!



New Dinner Hall Furniture

Populated!



Learning Highlights of the Week

Antony Highlights:

This week, Antony class took on two exciting roles—artists and botanists! They created imaginative split-scene drawings, carefully following a modelled example. One half was drawn in pencil to represent the real world, while the other half was brought to life with colours to show an imaginary world. The children also became young botanists, planting sunflower seeds and potatoes and learning what plants need to grow.





Wenzel Highlights:

Wenzel Class have had their imaginations captured by 'The True Story of the Three Little Pigs' in English this week. There was a collective gasp when the wolf actually ate the first two pigs in this version (not on purpose, of course)! They enjoyed writing excuses from the wolf's point of view and reading them aloud with expression. In Geography, we have started learning about Northern Europe, using atlases to find the countries and their flags. We have also learnt how satellite images can give us detailed information about different places.





Larwood Highlights:

In Larwood Class this week, we have been learning all about unit fractions - finding and identifying one part of a whole. Children have enjoyed experimenting with multilink cubes, shapes and patterns to model these fractions. We have also had the excitement of learning about the Gunpowder Plot and how the scheme was foiled!

Rauf Highlights:

Oracy has been the highlight of the week, in Rauf Class. From Religious Education to History, the depth and breadth of discussions were outstanding. The children engaged in thoughtful conversations, using rich and varied vocabulary to explore and develop complex ideas. The collaborative spirit was clear - everyone supported one another's learning by building on each other's contributions. Well done, Rauf Class.



This week's Curriculum Champions are:

Antony Class: Kenzie, George,

Thomas

Wenzel Class: Elsie L,

Sophia, Violet

Larwood Class: Ivy, Georgie,

Harry

Rauf Class: Gordon, Millie,

Anshveer



HOUSE WINNER THIS WEEK:



Beau



Oliver B



Sophia



Abigail



Celebration Awards Assemblies - click HERE

Events & Learning Gallery – click HERE











New in green Emphasizing/Revisions in yellow

Summer 1

12th - 15th May: Year 6 SATS

16th May: FOES Disco: couldn't secure date – rescheduled for 6th June

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Summer 2

June: Gypsy, Roma & Traveller History Month

2nd - 13th June: Year 4 MTC

2nd – 13th June: Year 1, 2 Assessments

2nd – 20th June: Years 3, 4, 5 6th June: FOES Larwood Bake Sale

6th June FOES Disco

w/b 9th June: Phonics Screening Check 16th – 20th June: Year R Assessments

20th June: World Music Day

26th June: Pre-School Information Evening 30th June: Year 5 & 6 Bikeability this week

4th July: Sid the Cygnet's 5th Birthday: FOES Sponsored Walk: Geography Focus 4th July: Sid the Cygnet's 5th Birthday: FOES Sponsored Walk: Geography Focus

9th July: Wicksteed Park Year 6 11th July: FOES Bake Sale: Wenzel

18th July: End of Year Reports released tonight 21st & 22nd July: Earith Primary Transition Days

21st July: Class Logo Competition

22nd July: Head Teacher Awards, End of Year Awards Assembly & Leavers Assembly AM

22nd July: FOES Best Dressed Competition; Lunch outside (Dominos for Year 6)

22nd July: Year 6 Pool Party PM (TBC)