

Weekly Newsletter

21.06.2024



**MOMENTS
MATTER,
ATTENDANCE
COUNTS.**

**Winning Class for Week
Ending 14.06.2024**

Riddell Class: 97.58%

Whole School: 96.21%

90-94%

95-97%

98-99%

100%

Upcoming Dates:

26th June: Pre-School Information evening: 3:30pm – 6pm

26th June: Pool Day (Gold Class)

27th & 28th June: Abbey Transition Days

1st & 5th July: Bikeability (Year 5 & 6: revised days)

2nd July: Wicksteed Park: Year 6s

3rd July: Pool Day (Riddell)

3rd July: Cromwell Transition Day

4th July: Sid the Cygnet's 4th Birthday: History Fieldwork & FOES Sponsored Walk:

2024/2025 Teaching Staff/Classes

Released next week.

Cambridgeshire Libraries: Summer Reading Challenge

[LINK HERE](#) Get involved.

Sid's 4th Birthday; History; FOES Sponsored Walk: 4th July

Cycle B this year: our sponsored walk around the village will take us to visit historical points of reference. Facts, figures and imagery courtesy of FOES. The route (different to last year) will be announced prior to the walk just in case you wish to wave us on from the side-lines! Look out for the letter and sponsorship form being released next week. 4 years old, Sid! Where has the time gone? *Flown* my little fledgling!

Abbey Transition Days

27th & 28th June for our Year 6s going to Abbey. Parents, we forwarded on the details. Please arrange.

Pre-School Information Evening

New parents. Please sign up. Bring along your child. Explore the classroom; get key information and meet the Team. Further transition opportunities will be announced. Call the office to confirm your attendance. **26th June: 3:30 – 6pm.** **Drop-in when you like, but no later than 5:30pm.**

Swim reminders

See letter: [LETTER LINK](#)

26 th June	Gold
3 rd July	Riddell
10 th July	Jeffers and Shireen
17 th July	Year 6s: swimming lessons AM; Leavers' Pool Party PM

Also see important information about illness and when children can/cannot swim.

Swimming hats: children can't swim without them. A small amount left in the office. £1 each

Year 6 Enterprise

Thank you for all your support with the year 6s. They have raised enough money to pay for a coach; entrance fees and their lunch at Wicksteed Park. Any additional money from the sale of cans of pop, bookmarks etc. will likely be used to buy inflatables for their pool party and on their final supper – Dominos no doubt!

Well Done Year 2s

Thank You Year 2 pupils. Giving their all in a potential new-look Ks1 reading paper as part of National Trials. Children were invited to give feedback about how they found the paper to the DFE, too. Some really useful insights from our pupils. This feedback is incredibly valuable – it's contributory to supporting future year 2 pupils across the country. Active Citizenship Year 2s! We're proud of you.

World Music Day

Our inaugural one today. In homage to this, a range of activities including World Cup Songs, drumming and body percussion.



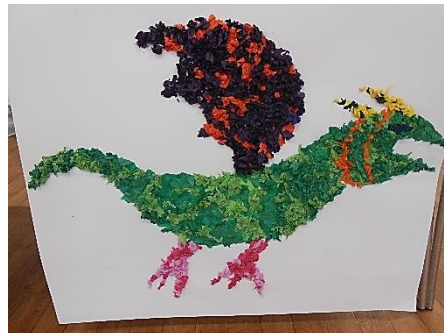
Learning Highlights of the Week

Highlight Jeffers:

This week, Jeffers Class have continued to develop throwing techniques. It was lovely to see the whole class engaged in the game: adjusting distance of the targets, supporting each other and working together.



We have learned about the legend of St. George and the Dragon, compared different versions, written dragon descriptions, and created a collage of George and the Dragon.



Highlight Shireen:

This week, Shireen class have been listening to a variety of different pieces of music all performed by an orchestra. The children have enjoyed listening out for the different instruments, and learning about the work a conductor does.

Highlight Riddell:

In Riddell Class this week we have been planning, putting pen to paper and perfecting our narratives of the short film 'Bridge'. The children have worked hard to hone their skills when punctuating speech and using powerful adjectives to describe the hilarious characters.

Highlight Gold:

We have some fantastic young poets within Gold Class. Their vocabulary choices, use of similes and metaphors, was truly impressive, as was their ability to engage the reader. Fantastic descriptive writing.

Curriculum Champions

This week's Curriculum Champions are:

Jeffers Class: Leon, Robyn, Isabelle

Shireen Class: Elysia, Darcie, Ava, Layla-Fae

Riddell Class: Riley, Archie, Harry Wr, Lucy

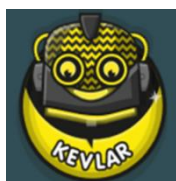
Gold Class: Mason, Millie, Maya



Abigail
Franklin



Isabelle



Jasmina

Active Learn

Megan
Charlie F

HOUSE WINNER
THIS WEEK:



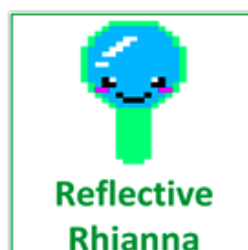
Community News and Events
this week: - click [HERE](#)



Please see Sid the
Cygnet on his website
page – click [HERE](#)

Reading Blog [HERE](#)

Celebration Awards Assemblies - click [HERE](#)



New in green; Emphasizing/Revisions in yellow

Summer 2

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4th July: Sid the Cygnet's 4th Birthday: Geography Fieldwork & FOES Sponsored Walk: **TBC**

8th – 10th July: Hilltop Residential (Year 5 & 6)

15th -19th July: Transition Week: **TBC**

17th July: EOY Reports released

19th July: Head's Award, Badges, FOES Best Dressed Summer Theme, Leavers Assembly

19th July: Year 6 Enterprise funded lunch: **TBC**

19th July: Year 6 Pool Party PM: **TBC**

19th July: Riddell Bake Sale