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Dear Parents and Carers,

This week we have spent time thinking about transition and what that means for us. On Monday's assembly Ms Lucca used the Zones of Regulation to think about how we can help keep ourselves in the green zone when we are feeling a bit sad or worried. On Tuesday's whole school assembly, we thought about jump up and what that means for us, how we can re-invent ourselves and make the most of a fresh start.

Our 2 jump up sessions have been really successful. All of the classes seemed calm and settled and have produced some lovely work to start off their class displays. We were really impressed to see the positive attitude of all of the children. Year 6 have had their final 2 transition days to their Secondary Schools and have been working hard on their end of year production, something that we are really looking forward to seeing next week.

On Monday we had visitors in school from the Active Learning Trust. They came to see the progress that we have made with behaviour since their last visit in November. We were extremely proud to show the work that we have done with Zones of Regulation and the tweaks that we have made with our behaviour policy. We look forward to sharing all of this with you in the Autumn term.

We also received the SATs results for Year 6 and look forward to sharing those with you in their reports next Friday.

It has been another hot week, and it looks like it is going to continue into next week. Please keep sending your child with suncream applied, a hat and a water bottle.

Don't forget our last day is Wednesday 23rd July.

Have a fabulous weekend,

Mrs Harradine and the Leadership Team



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SUMMER READING CHALLENGE

On Thursday Jane from Chatteris Library came to tell us about the Summer Reading Challenge at the library. We were all really excited about taking part. You will need to take your child to the library to sign up. All your child needs to do is read 6 books or listen to audio books from the library over the Summer. Your child will then be awarded a certificate and a medal. If you are an older child and are reading longer chapter books, reading 3 or 4 chapters of the book will count towards your total. If you have any questions or queries regarding the Summer Reading Challenge the Library will have a stall at our school Summer Fair. We want to get lots of children at our school completing the challenge this year...plus FREE! Discover it is more at https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NWzjsndt89Q





EARLY YEARS

We had an amazing trip to Heacham beach on Friday, covering all areas of learning. We splashed in the waves, counted seagulls, and learned new words when a sailing boat capsized—cheering as it sailed off again. We decorated shells and stones with chalk pens and designed flags for our sandcastles. We explored our senses: feeling the sand, sea breeze, and sun, smelling the fresh air, spotting hundreds of ladybirds, and enjoying tasty ice cream. Most of us fell asleep on the coach home. A huge thank you to the staff and helpers for such a fun and memorable day!



YEAR 1

In Year 1, our focus this half term has been DT. We have been learning about vehicles, and we are going to make our own vehicles using various materials. We know about all of the different parts and features of vehicles, such as the chassis, axle and axle holder, the windows, mirrors and headlights. We have explored vehicles and learnt how they move. The children have created their designs for their own vehicles and this week; they are going to make their designs come to life. Watch out for the traffic coming out of the classroom!



YEAR 2

This term, our Year Two pupils are getting creative in Design and Technology! They are busy designing and making fantastic moving pictures using sliders and levers. It's wonderful to see their ideas come to life as they explore how simple mechanisms can create exciting movement in their artwork. Well done, Year Two!



YEAR 3

Year 3 students dove into the vibrant world of Antoni Gaudí, the renowned Spanish architect known for his colourful and imaginative mosaics. Inspired by his iconic work in Barcelona, pupils explored shape, colour, and texture to create their very own mosaic masterpieces.



YEAR 4

Our Year 4 students have been exploring Byzantine patterns in their art lessons, learning about the rich history and intricate designs of this ancient style. Inspired by mosaics and religious artwork, they created their own bold, symmetrical patterns using vibrant colours and repeating shapes. The results were a beautiful blend of history and creativity!



YEAR 5

Year 5 have blown us away with their sewing skills this week! We challenged the children to create their own tote bags. Each bag needed to have an embroidered design and two plaited handles. If this wasn't hard enough, the children's bags actually had to have the qualities of a bag which could be used by others. They have done a brilliant job and have shown such amazing determination through quite a tricky task.



YEAR 6

Year 6 have enjoyed upcycling t-shirts in DT this half term. They worked in groups to create a design to give an old t-shirt a new lease of life. They had to think about the user of the product, the function or purpose of the product and the aesthetic appeal. They also learnt different types of stitches like running stitch, backstitch and whipstitch. During the project the children were also learnt about sustainability and the impact 'fast fashion' can have on the world.



PARENT SURVEY

As we come to the end of this year, we are making plans for next year to improve our lovely school. We will be sending out a parent survey for you to complete. There will be some boxes where you can add comments about things that we can do better and things that we are doing well. Please take some time to fill this in for us. Thank you.

WEEKLY ATTENDANCE

Congratulations to 4J this week who won the weekly attendance award with 99%. Enjoy your cake!



Whole school attendance = 94.2% Let's work together to reach at least 96% next week!

NEW CLASSES

Classes 2025-26

Reception	RK	Mrs Kent
Year 1	1L	Miss Leavey
Year 1	1D	Miss Dixon
Year 2	2D	Miss Davis-Day
Year 3	зP	Miss Payne
Year 4	4N	Miss Newbury
Year 4	4C	Miss Cooper
Year 5	5R	Miss Rose
Year 5	5S	Ms Spratt
Year 6	6C	Miss Corrigan
Year 6	6R	Miss Rushmer

OPEN AFTERNOON

Following reports going home on Friday, we will have an open afternoon on Monday 21st July if you would like the opportunity to discuss the report with the teachers. These will take place in class until 4:00pm.

BOOKS

Any school reading books or library books need to be returned to school by Wednesday 16th July Children will not receive any new reading books or library books for the rest of this term.

We are looking forward to getting all the books back into school to start a fresh in September. Have a hunt under the sofa, under the bed or even in your car or toy box at home!! Thank you!

SUMMER CRAFT SESSIONS

Make It is running local craft workshops for children aged 7–13 this August–designed to spark creativity, build confidence, and give parents a well-earned break. Visit <u>https://beacons.ai/thisismakeit</u> to book.



FOCUS ON BOOKS

There are so many new books released every month that we thought it would be nice to share some recommendations from the Book Trust with you:









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UPCOMING EVENTS

July

16th: PTA Summer Fair17th: Year 6 Production21st: Parents Open Evening new date23rd: Picnic Lunch Menu23rd: Year 6 Leavers Assembly23rd: Last Day of Term



September

1st-2nd: Staff Training Day 3rd: Children Return to School

For more upcoming events and news please visit our website.

Congratulations to the following children for achieving awards this week!

• Leyla - 2D

• Leni - 2D

• Lewis - 3S

• Olivia - 3S

• Fedor - 3S

PUPIL OF THE WEEK AWARDS

- Marcus EYFS
- Emanuela EYFS
- Whole Class Year 1
- Frances Year 2
- Pippa Year 3
- Sebastian Year 3
- Joshua Year 4

PIN BADGE AWARDS

- Sara EYFS
- Tamia EYFS
- Florence EYFS
- Archie EYFS
- Evelyn 2D

- Arla 4D
 - Dorian 5W
 - Zander 5W
 - Leah 5W

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- Poppy Year 4Dawid Year 5
 - Lola Year 5

 - Swailey Year 5Avshenur Year 6
 - Charlie G-M Year 6

 - Sophie Year 6