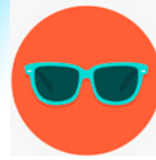




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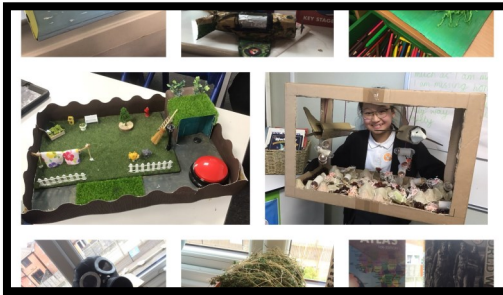
## SATs, sunshine and some exciting trips ahead!

The school year is moving quickly, and we have so many exciting events and achievement to share. Our brilliant pupils have been engaged in a variety of academic and extracurricular activities from SATs week to the Bake Off Finals—Moorside has given it their all! Well done to all our 'Pupil of the Week' and 'Reader of the Week' winners and to all the children who have represented us in sport's competitions and learning events. A huge well done to our Year 6 pupils for completing their SATs tests and for still working hard to complete some final bits of writing for the term. I am certain that your hard work and determination will have truly paid off—we are incredibly proud of each and every one of you. Thank you to our dedicated teachers and supportive parents for helping our pupils prepare for these assessments. We have a lot to look forward to in the final term, so please keep checking MCAS, Class Dojo and updates from your children's class teachers about trips and events going on in the final half-term, please make sure you are up to date with consents and payments. The Summer Fair, Sport's Week and Transition days are just some of the exciting things we have planned...

## @MoorsidePA #MoorsidePA on Twitter (X)

It has been a very productive half-term! Nursery were all superheroes last week while exploring the book "supertato!" Inspired by Little Turtle, Reception have painted their own representations of the ocean floor. Year 1 released their butterflies after studying their lifecycle and Year 2 have been practising their Voice 21 talk tactics during their smart school council meeting. They used talk tokens to take turns to share what their favourite book genres are.

Year 3 have been busy peer editing the first section of their fantastic newspaper reports and Year 4 have been making masks inspired by the ones used by the Maya civilisation. They used a range of techniques such as mosaic, painting and collage to create their designs. Year 5 have been enjoying learning about the solar system in Science. They researched the planets and found out different facts about them and then drew them looking at where they are positioned in the solar system. Year 6 have been revising hard and did a fantastic job preparing for their SATs.



Please visit our Moorside Twitter page or the school website to see some of the brilliant learning that has been going on across school.

## Phonics Screening, Multiplication Check Year 4 and Transition Day for new classes

Please note upon our return the **Phonics Screening Check for Year 1** will take place (week beginning the 10th June). We only have a week to administer the screening check for all children so attendance during that week is crucial for Year 1 children as they will have to wait another year if they miss the screening.

**Multiplication Check Year 4** – these will take place in the first two weeks after half term. Again, please ensure good attendance as they will not get the opportunity to re-sit these if they miss the window. **Transition Day— 5th July**— We are excited to share and welcome some of the new teachers who will be joining our school. Transition Day is designed to help pupils and their families get acquainted with our school community, environment and routines. The day is an important step in ensuring a smooth and successful transition for your child into their new school year and to formally meet their new classroom teachers.



Class	Attendance
Nursery	93%
RC	93%
RM	92%
1F	93%
1P	95%
2B	95%
2C	96%
3B	95%
3A	93%
4N	96%
4F	95%
5A	92%
5P	93%
6C	94%
6R	94%

**Overall School**

**Attendance is 94.0%**





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## Every School Day Counts



## Every Minute Counts

### LATENESS = LOST LEARNING

(Figures below are calculated over a school year)

5 Minutes late each day	<b>3 days lost!</b>
10 Minutes late each day	<b>6.5 days lost!</b>
15 Minutes late each day	<b>10 days lost!</b>
20 Minutes late each day	<b>13 days lost!</b>
30 Minutes late each day	<b>19 days lost!</b>

Be at the classroom on time and ready to learn!

### Moorside Curriculum

**Nursery** — Animals and Journeys

**Reception** — Journeys

**Year 1** — Chester Zoo

**Year 2** — The Great Fire of London

**Year 3** — Volcanoes and the Roman Empire

**Year 4** — Brazil

**Year 5** — Space

**Year 6** — Evolution



### Events, Inset and Fundraising

Thank you for your generous donations and contributions this half term.

Thank you to all the parents who have supported us on school trips and joined us for our 'Moorside Mingles'.

General Election — **4th July**

End of Year Reports — **10th July**

Parent Voice Meeting — **23rd July**



Sponge the  
Teacher!



# Summer Fair



Ice Cream



Tombola

## 18th July

15:45 – 17:15



Book  
Fair



Bracelet  
Making

Moorside Primary  
Academy

Come and join the fun!



Penalty Shootout!