



Newsletter: 10th May 2024

News:

In Science this week, **Year 6** pupils enjoyed investigating the colour of light. We made colour wheels using the spectacular spectrum to show that white light includes all colours of the rainbow.



I've had a fantastic first few weeks in Reception. It has been lovely to be reunited with some familiar faces from nursery and to get to know some new friends. The children have enjoyed being creative (and a little messy!) both indoors and outdoors over the last few weeks. We have enjoyed using our fine motor skills to create sunshine paintings, as well as making our own "cloud dough". We have seen a real love for minibeasts over the last week or so, too. The children have enjoyed many minibeast hunts around our outdoor area and we have been learning how to care for the insects that we find. We have also been learning about friendship, feelings and people and places that are special to the children.

Miss Gardner



Awards:

	Pupil of the Week	Book Worm
Nursery	Rosa	George
Reception	Lottie	Harriet
Year 1	Isla	Alex
Year 2	Mili	Logan B
Year 3	Oliver	Izzy
Year 4	Ben	Fatme
Year 5	Bethany	Bella
Year 6	Ben	Livvie

Breakfast Club and After School Provision:

REMINDER:

During the nicer weather we take the children outside from 3.45pm-4.15pm. Please do not arrive to collect your children before 4.15pm as there will be no-one available to answer the door.

Please note: **ALL SESSIONS MUST BE PRE-BOOKED.**

Breakfast club is available from 7:45am and is £3.50 per child, per session, reduced to £3.00 per child for siblings.

After school provision is available until 5:30pm **PROMPT** and is £5.00 per child, per session, reduced to £4.00 per child, per session for siblings. Please note, late collection will incur a charge.

Please ensure you book after school provision via the MCAS app by 12 noon of that day. If you have any problems with this, contact Mrs Unwin in the office.

Prepared for School:



Please come to school dressed in your Forest School clothes, with your outdoor boots/wellies in a carrier bag.

Reception - Wednesday

Year 2 - Thursday



Reception – Tuesday - wear kit to school
Year 1 – Thursday – wear kit to school
Year 2 – Monday – wear kit to school
Year 3 – TUESDAY – wear kit to school
Year 4 – FRIDAY – wear kit to school
Year 5 – Monday – wear kit to school
Year 6 – Thursday – bring kit and change in school

When children come in kit it allows for more time to be used as physical activity rather than time changing.

Uniform - REMINDER

Uniform is an important part of a school's identity. It reinforces who we are as a community and allows pupils to feel pride in their school. Please ensure your children are wearing the correct uniform to school every day. We have noticed standards slip over the past few weeks and now is the time to get back to looking smart. Uniform can be purchased from www.monkhouse.com They also have a shop in Hereford High Street.

Polite reminder:

- All long hair **MUST be tied up**, only appropriate hair bands allowed – none with ears, glitter etc.
- Only small stud earrings should be worn – these should be removed or covered with a plaster for PE lessons, strictly no other jewellery, nail varnish or make up allowed.
- Black school shoes – no trainers or multi-coloured shoes.
- Black/grey skirt or trousers – leggings, jeans or joggers are not to be worn in place of these

We have a lot of unclaimed uniform, please ensure all uniform is clearly marked with your child's name. Thank you for your co-operation. **Mrs Yarnold.**

May

13th-16th SATS week – year 6

14th Vision Screening catch up clinic - reception

18th Golden Trophy Football Tournament

24th End of Summer Term 1

June

3rd Summer Term 2 begins



Tip Top Friday!

Starting on Friday 26th April and every Friday thereafter, we will hold an ice lolly sale to raise funds for our outdoor areas in school.

All ice lollies are 50p



Thrive would like your help please.

Do you have any large pebbles that you can donate to Thrive?

Mrs Smith would like to use them to make memory stones; they must be in their natural form please. Thanks in advance.



Attendance:

Attendance this week is 95.7%

If your child is well enough to attend school, please send them as it is vital they attend school as regularly as possible. If your child has been off school with a sickness bug, they only need to be 48 hours clear before they return. Absences must be reported daily either via message through the MCAS app, emailing gunwin@st-peters.hereford.sch.uk or calling the school on 01885 483237.

Highest Class attendance this week goes to:

YEAR 3



Thomas (Y1)

Bethany (Y5)

Lily (Y3)

After School Clubs:

New clubs for the summer term are available to book now.

These clubs include: Rugby, Football, Cookery Skills, Striking and Throwing and Gardening. Please sign up using your MCAS app.