

St. Edmund's Catholic Primary School Newsletter

Friday 24th June 2022

This Weeks Spotlight!

Year Five & Six

This week in Year 5/6 we have been working really hard practicing for our production. We have been in the hall, on the stage singing, dancing and acting. In art we have been making props such as a mirror, a giant clock and many posters. We have also been designing our own island and have a go at creating a map on the computer. In science we have been investigating our heart rate by doing 5 minutes of exercise and then ringing our pulse to count outright beats per minute.







in our Setting



Classroom News!

EYFS

This week began with Kipper tied to our fence! The children decided that it was probably Evil Pea who put him there. We talked about what super powers we would need to get him down. The children then drew their own superheroes, labelled them and talked about what their superhero power would be. We then made our own superhero costumes and masks. In maths, the nursery children have been doing lots of counting and the reception children have recalling number bonds to 10.

Year One & Two

This week we began by enjoyed tasting lots of different fruits to help us decide what we want to include in our own fruit kebabs. in English, Year 1&2 have done some amazing writing in role as Aladdin and Jafar. We even practised our computer skills by beginning to type some of our writing onto a word document. In Maths, we have continued our 'telling the time' topic and hopefully the children will now practise this at home or even by using their own watches. Well done for another great week Year 1&2!

Year Three & Four

This week in Year 3/4, we've been exploring classifying different types of animals. We learnt about the term vertebrate (an animal that has a backbone) and then we had a look at 5 different types of them: mammals, fish, birds, reptiles and amphibians. While in English, we have been practicing writing our own playscripts based on our focus text. In Maths, we've finished our unit on telling the time - it was very tricky but the children worked brilliantly. Well done on a brilliant week, boys and girls!



This week's winning house team is:

Nightingale

Well done!



Classroom Rewards

Each week children are encouraged to complete their work to a high standard (St. Edmund's Standard). Children who have tried their best to try and reach this standard will be awarded the 'St. Edmund's Standard Award'. Children are also encouraged to follow the school mission statement and show 'Care, Consideration and Courtesy' towards each other, children who show acts of kindness which follow the mission statement will be awarded the 'Care, Consideration and Courtesy Award'.

St. Edmund's Standard Award

Care, Consideration and Courtesy Award

Njay McLoughlin James Haynes

Chloe Gallaghan Kaine Georgeson

Skyler Davies Reuben Campbell

Ria Gudimani Khaidyn Miller-Keegan

Attendance Award This weeks winners are:

The winning class receives an extra playtime.

Last week's overall attendance: 92.6%

This week's overall attendance: 93.35%

Reminder: We just need to work a little bit harder at this please!

FSU	97.1%
Year One & Two	93.2%
Year Three & Four	92.6%
Year Five & Six	90.5%

Announcement: Family Attendance Draw

At the end of each term, we are going to have an attendance draw. For every full week a child is in school they will receive a ticket which will be entered into the end of term attendance draw. Therefore the more full weeks your child is in school the greater chance you have at winning the draw. The prize will be a £25 voucher for Asda.

Dear Parents and Carers

I hope everyone is enjoying this beautiful weather. We have assessed all our children this week in terms of their Social and Emotional Well-being using our Thrive tool, all of our children have made excellent progress which is brilliant. The teachers have created action plans for the children moving into their new classes next year. This means the new teachers can start working on each child's Social and Emotional Well-Being as soon as the children enter their class.

We have also been accepted by the English Hub to further our development in terms of reading. Reading is a big priority for our school and for our children. As you know, if our children can read fluently this unlocks a whole big world for them. This acceptance also provides the school with further funding of £3000. I am delighted by this development.

I have been watching some of the dress rehearsals for our Year Five and Six children, they have been excellent and I am very excited to watch the end production.

I hope you have a lovely weekend.

Mrs Birmingham

Important dates

Y5/6 Bikeability	14th June—16th June	All day
Y5/6 Production—	5th July	1.30 pm
Cinderella Rockafella	6th July	6.30 pm
SHARES Swimming Gala	7th July	3.30 pm—6.00 pm
Sports Day—Whole School	11th July	1.15 pm
Reserve Sports Day—Whole School	13th July	1.15 pm
Y5/6 Rock and River Trip	12th July	All day
Y6 Bowling Trip	14th July	400 pm till 7.00 pm
Y6 Leavers Mass	20th July	2.00 pm
School Finishes	21st July	3.15 pm