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# St. Edmund's Catholic Primary School Newsletter

Friday 8th July 2022

## This Weeks Spotlight!

## Year One & Two

We have had such an exciting and busy week in Year 1&2. On Monday we used our designs and plans to make our very own fruit kebabs. We made sure that they not only tasted good but also looked appetising. We have been writing some brilliant magic carpet ride stories in English this week which are so impressive and show how much progress we have made this year. We have also been using 'word' to type some of these stories and learning how to save documents to use again later. In Maths, we have been learning more about position and direction and have been doing lots of practical activities, directing each other around the playground or classroom. On Thursday our Year 2 children had an opportunity to visit Mr Fitzpatrick's classroom and meet their new classmates ahead of September. The Year 1 children also had the chance to welcome the reception children into our classroom and show them some of our routines. It was a really lovely morning for all of the children.

Well done for another fantastic week Year 1&2.



### **Classroom News!**

- EYFS We have had another busy week in the EYFS. We have been looking at a map of the world and naming and finding different countries. We watched videos of children living in different countries and talked about how their lives differ to ours. In maths, we have been continuing with learning number bonds to 10. The nursery children have been doing some fantastic work in phonics, playing eye spy and listening for different sounds. The reception children loved their visit to Mrs Nickson's class and the nursery children showed how kind they are when they welcomed their new friends in to visit our class.
- Year Three & Four This week in Year 3/4, we've been very busy! Year 4 have spent most of the week helping Year 6 with their play. The whole of Year 4 took part in the play as the woodland animals they all really enjoyed themselves. While Year 3 have been experimenting in their art lessons by using different materials. At the end of the week, all the children took part in a practice Sports Day, ready for the real thing on Monday! Well done, boys and girls!
- Year Five & Six We have had a very busy week in Year 5/6. On Monday, we had our final rehearsal's for Cinderella Rockerfella ready for the performance. We then had our dress rehearsal to the school on Tuesday morning and a performance to family and friends in the afternoon. The children did amazing and it only improved from there. We had our final show on Wednesday night and every child from year 4/5/6 were all fantastic and I'm very proud of each of you. Well done Year 5/6, a great week!



This week's winning house team is:

Anderson 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

Kayden Lewin	Lylah Campbell	
Michael Galligan	Freya Campbell	
Aida Ryan	Edward Monaghan	
Alicja Gluz	Henry Pike	

#### Attendance Award

#### This weeks winners are: Year One & Two

The winning class receives an extra playtime. Last week's overall attendance: 93.35% This week's overall attendance: 90.4%

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

FSU	82.9%
Year One & Two	96%
Year Three & Four	83.7%
Year Five & Six	95.9%

#### 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

We have had a very busy week in school. Our Year Four, Five and Six children have performed their production to their parents and our school community. They were amazing, the children really enjoyed performing and had big smiles on their faces. I was very impressed with the singing, the acting and the remembering of the words, I was very proud of each and everyone of them. We certainly have quite a few children who should be encouraged to continue their acting and singing careers.

We have also attended the swimming gala this week. It was a fantastic event. The children tried really hard in their races and each child brought a medal home. Their sense of team was brilliant, they really support each other, I would suggest we were the loudest team there.

I would like to take the opportunity to thank all the members of staff who have gone above and beyond to provide the children with more then just learning in the classroom. Thank you.

I hope you have a lovely weekend.

Mrs Birmingham

## **Important dates**

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
Sponsored Water Run	18th July	1,15 pm
Y6 Leavers Mass	20th July	2.00 pm
School Finishes	21st July	3.15 pm

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