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NEWSLETTER 27
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"Achievement for All, Learning Together, Learning for Life"

INTERESTING, USEFUL AND UNUSUAL WORDS

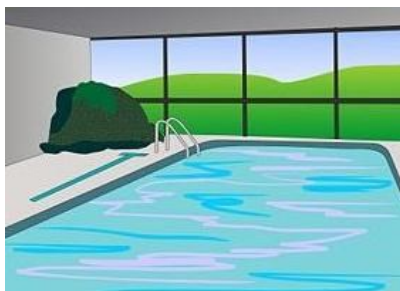
optimistic

Definition of optimistic (adjective) in English:

Hopeful and confident about the future.

Willow Class Swimming

Parents should have received a letter in book bags this week, detailing the final arrangements for swimming this term. If you have any questions or need a new letter, please speak to Miss Chewter in the school office. Swimming starts on Wednesday 26th April so please return letters before Wednesday.



Willow Class Parent Consultations

Please be reminded that Year 3/4 Parent Consultations are taking place on **Monday 15th May** and **Wednesday 17th May** from 4.00pm to 6.00pm. The sign-up sheet will be on display outside the hall on Monday 24th April in the afternoon.

Don't forget
parents'
evening!

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This Term's Topic

Oak Class

This term, Oak Class have the learning journey 'Glorious Growing!' We will be planting lots of seeds and talking about what they need to start to grow. Also we will be enjoying role play in our outdoor Garden Centre, where we will be discussing the names of different garden tools and experimenting with them.



This Term's Topic

Beech Class

This term, Beech class' topic is 'Famous People'. We will be learning about famous people from the past, all the way to people who are famous today: such as Florence Nightingale, Claude Monet, Barack Obama, David Beckham and a few more! We will look at why those people became famous, and will link our learning to the person we are learning about each week. We have already put the people in a timeline, and talked about what we would like to learn about each one, and are looking forward to learning all about these individuals!

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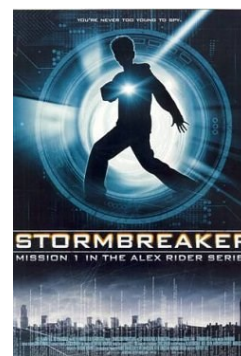
Willow Class

This term, Y3/4's topic is called 'Let's Explore Growing!' We are looking how plants grow and the functions within them. In science, we will be growing and investigating plants. In literacy, we are seeking inspiration from a variety of books, such as: "The Enormous Turnip", "Jack and the Beanstalk" and "The Oak Inside the Acorn". In art, we will be drawing and painting a variety of flowers! In Music, we will be adding music to different scenes from Jack and the Beanstalk. In geography, we will be learning about the points on a compass and drawing our own maps!

This Term's Topic

Sycamore Class

Our topic for term 5 is 'Codebreakers' and we will be using the text 'Stormbreaker' by Anthony Horowitz. We will also be doing a city study on London as this is where our text is set. In maths, we will be preparing for SATS by revising key concepts for the first couple of weeks and then we will move on to some exciting codebreaking activities.



Growth Mindset

Tough Turtle of the Week

Ria Dowling

For trying really hard to achieve her success criteria by the end of the session.



If you've never failed, you've never tried anything new

This Week's House Points:



Big Ben 66



London Eye 114



Buckingham Palace 66

This week's winner is:

London Eye

Sainsbury's Active Kids Vouchers

If you shop in Sainsbury's, we would be grateful if you collect and donate as many vouchers as possible. Our collection box is in the school office.

Vouchers can be collected instore and online at Sainsbury's from 25th January until 2nd May.



Sainsbury's
Active Kids 2017
Eat well • Move well • Live well

British Values Citizen of the Week

This week's Citizen of the Week is:

Bonham Joss

For respecting everyone in school.



Top Table winner:

Greece (17 points)

Amy Ann

Seth

Harrison

Tommy T

Kodie

The runner up this week is Belgium with
12 points

Diner of the Week:

Finley Ottaway

For showing excellent behaviour and
manners in the dining hall. Well done for
following the golden rules!



Breakfast Club

Breakfast Club runs every weekday at 7.45am to 8.30am in the school hall, supervised by Miss Moore and Miss Waterman. We offer the children cereals, toast and a drink.

Children who attend Breakfast Club enjoy taking part in lots of different activities, including colouring, games and loads more!

If you would like your child to attend Breakfast Club, the cost is £5 per session.

Please ask Miss Chewter in the school office for a booking form.



Chiddingly Stars of the Week are:



Harvey Eaton, Helbert Stevens, Ashten Greenwood, Megan Sowden, Ria Dowling and Priya Horne (Willow) - For fantastic Easter Story writing and for putting in lots of effort and hard work.

Aidan Holder (Beech) - For brilliant writing about Florence Nightingale. Well done for using you growth mindset skills, Aidan, and trying really hard to produce a fantastic piece of work!



Learning Powers Certificate

On **Friday 28th April**, in our celebration assembly at **9.25am**, the following children will be celebrating their achievements. Please come along if you are free.

Oak - Dylan Braden

Beech - Lilly-Ann Hicks

Willow - Blake Williams

Sycamore - Amy Farrell

Attendance

The whole school attendance for this year so far is **95.8%**

This week's attendance:

Oak - 100%

Beech - 100%

Willow - 99.29%

Sycamore - 97.6%

Well done to **Oak** and **Beech** for having the highest attendance this week!

Dates for your diary 2016/2017

(Changes in italics)

April 2017

26th – Willow swimming

May 2017

1st – May Bank Holiday (school closed)

3rd – Parent Forum 9.00 to 9.25am

3rd – Willow swimming

8th – SATs week

10th – Willow swimming

10th – Oak class hearing test

15th – Enterprise week

17th – Willow swimming

26th – Awe and Wonder day

26th – End of term

June 2017

5th – INSET day

6th – New term begins

9th – Safety in Action (Year 5/6)

13th – Parent Forum 9.00 to 9.25am

14th – Sycamore swimming

21st – Sycamore swimming

28th – Sycamore swimming

29th – Table Tennis Tournament at
12.30pm

Dates for your diary 2016/2017

July 2017

5th – Sycamore swimming

6th – Sports Day at 9.30am

7th – School reports

10th & 14th – Parent Consultation
Evening 4.00 to 6.00pm (to
discuss reports only)

14th – Summer Production at 2pm and
6.30pm (dress rehearsal 12th
July at 2.00pm)

20th – Leavers' Service at 2.00pm and
end of term

21st – INSET day