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DIARY DATES

25 Feb - Y6 SATs Presentation, 3.30pm
03 Mar - Y6 THS Challenge Day
04 Mar - Story Teller Experience
05 Mar - World Book Day
16 Mar - Y5 Ancient Greece Workshop
18 Mar - Y5 Bikeability
19 Mar - Y5 Bikeability
24 Mar - Whole school photo by Academy
Photography
27 Mar - Y3 Parent/Carer Lunch
01 Apr - Y5 Easter Hope Journey Trip
02 Apr - Timeline Exhibition 1.30-3.15pm
03 Apr - Easter Service at Church, 10am
30 Apr - Y6 Deputation Day/Service
06 May - Academy Photography - Class,
Groups & Leavers'
11 May - SATs Week
15 May - Y4 Parent/Carer Lunch
01 Jun - INSET DAY
05 Jun - Y6 London Trip
12 Jun - Sports Day & Family Picnic
19 Jun - Reserve Sports Day & Picnic
20 Jun - Bunbury Village Day
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Friday Celebration Assembly is now on a Monday at 2.40pm Parents, Carers and Friends are invited to our celebration assembly. Please email admin if you would like to attend. Click here to view our

LUNCH MENU Click here to view our

SPORTS PAGE & CALENDAR



Matthew 22:36-40

"Teacher, which is the greatest commandment in the Law?"

Jesus replied: "'Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind.' This is the first and greatest commandment. And the second is like it: 'Love your neighbour as yourself.' All the Law and the Prophets hang on these two commandments."

Unicef Article 29 (Goals of Education) Education must develop every child's personality, talents and abilities to the full. It must encourage the child's respect for human rights, as well as respect for their parents, their own and other cultures, and the environment.

Dear Parents/Carers,

I hope everyone had a great half term and enjoyed time with family and friends.

We have had a busy start to the new half term.

We started the week with a visit from a practicing Buddhist, Amaradaya. He started the morning by talking to all the children about his faith before visiting year 3 and 5. It was really interesting to hear about another religion and the children asked lots of in depth questions.





On Thursday Mrs

Waddington and Mrs Greenbury came into school to work with year 4 and 5 on artwork for the 700th Anniversary of St Boniface flower festival. All children enjoyed the workshops and we thank them very much for giving up their time to the community.

Over the holidays our coach and taxi designated parking space has been completed. I thank you all for your support over the past few months with my 'cone campaign' however

28th February 2020

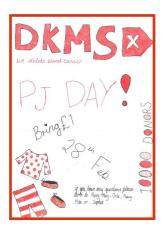
we now have an enforceable restricted parking space for these vehicles between the hours of 8am and 5pm. Please can I ask that cars do not park



in this area, even just to drop off as we continue to try and keep the area around the school parked car free. This is for the safety of all children coming into the school.



Pupil Fundraising.



I would like to say how proud I am of our children and their enthusiasm and commitment towards raising money for charities which inspire them.

Today a group of year 5 children: Lottie, Sophie, Poppy Mary, Fleur, Max, Poppy and Orla have organised a pyjama day across the school for DKMS. A charity which is close to our hearts. The children also led a worship at the end of the school day. Well done to all involved it was a well organised day for a fantastic cause.

World Book Day

As always the school will be celebrating World Book Day on Thursday 5th March. We will be encouraging children to come dressed as their favourite character from a book.

As an extra special way to celebrate and promote World Book Day this year, the PTA have arranged for a Story Teller to visit school on the afternoon of **Wednesday 4th March**. The experience promises to be enjoyable for all children and will help to further ignite their love of books and reading whilst raising funds to develop for our Forest Schools. The deadline to return forms and payment for this is today. However, if any last minute children would like to participate, please send payment to school on **Monday 2nd March**.

School Dinner Menu

We have been notified by Cheshire East that the menu served in school has switched weeks. For example, this week the menu served in school is week 1 and not week 2 as advertised. Moving forward through this half term, the weeks will continue to rotate but from this week's menu served, week 1. The new Spring/Summer menu will be announced in the coming weeks and will commence Monday 27th April.

Thank you as always for your continued support. I hope you all have an enjoyable weekend with family and friends and we look forward to seeing you all back in school safely on Monday.

NM Badger

Bunbury Badgers

This week at Badgers we have been extremely busy! Pancake day was definitely a highlight - 45 pancakes made in total! They didn't last very long. Due to the weather we have spent most of our time indoors but the children have busied themselves on the laptops with Mathletics/Times Table Rock Stars, by creating cards and decorating mandala's and building some pretty impressive structures! Any break in the rain has seen us dashing outside to offload some energy. See you all next week!

As Bunbury Badgers is full on a Monday evening, please can parents kindly inform us of any changes in attendance to club, particularly on Mondays so the places can be made available for other parents who request them. Please use the email

address **clubs@bunburyaldersey.cheshire.sch.uk** for all club bookings or amendments and we will respond to you the same day.

Miss Selina Woodward, Badgers Deputy Manager

PTA News

Dear all,

We hope everyone had a lovely half term.

We hope the children are looking forward to our Storyteller who is visiting on Wednesday afternoon. He will do two sessions, KS1 and KS2. If you haven't managed to book a spot there is still time.

We are still busy with our fundraising for the Forest School development and thank you very much for all your support so far. We will be letting you know what fundraising plans we have coming up this year.

We would be really grateful for jam jar donations. If you have any that you could spare could you please drop into the school office by Friday 13th March.

150 Club - Congratulations to this months 150 Club winner Mrs Winward with the winning number 112 - you have won \pounds 40.00!!

Other Information

RCSAT Attendance Notification

What the law says about school attendance:

The law requires all children between the ages of 5 and 16 to be in full time education.

Under Section 7 of the Education Act 1996 it is the duty of the parent/carer of a child of compulsory school age to ensure that they attend school regularly.

Supervision Order Children's Act 1989: The local authority can apply to the courts where attendance remains poor. A named education supervisor would be appointed to work with the family for up to 12 months to ensure the young person receives full time education.

School Attendance Order Education Act 1996: If this is issued; parents would be directed to register their child at a school named by the local authority.

A warning letter can be issued when a pupil has had 10 or more unauthorised absences from school. The warning letter gives parents a period of 15 days of monitoring. If at the end of this period if there has not been an improvement or an improvement has been made but not sustained, a Penalty Notice will be issued.

Families who take their children out of school for holiday within term time, or for other unauthorised absences exceeding 10 sessions. A Penalty Notice will be issued.



Penalty Notice: Each parent/carer would have to pay £60.00 per child. If this is not paid within 21 days, the payment increases to £120.00 per child per parent. Payments will not be accepted after 28 days. If parents do not pay, the Local Authority will prosecute in the Magistrates' Court. If convicted the parent will have a criminal record and may receive a fine of up to £1000.

The department for Education have a range of information available regarding attendance.

School Payments/Cashless Office (from 01/04/2020)

As you will be aware, our preferred method for you to make payments for your child's trips, out of school club bookings and if applicable, school lunches is via our secure online system, SchoolMoney.

This efficient system was introduced to enable both school and parent to experience a more streamlined, cost-effective way to manage school payments.

From the 1st April 2020, the school office will no longer accept cash or cheque payments. All payments are to be made online via your child's SchoolMoney account. For many, this change will have no affect. For those who currently pay by cash or cheque, I encourage you to logon to your child's SchoolMoney account to ensure the smooth running in this transition. Cash payments will only be accepted for charitable donations e.g own clothes days/sponsorships and for hot snack at break times.

Nantwich Food Bank

The RCSAT now has access to support from Nantwich Foodbank in the form of vouchers. If you feel you need to access this service please speak to Mrs Badger or Ms Charlesworth in confidence.

Celebrations

Fruit of the Spirit /Christian Value Award, this terms focus is 'Forgiveness'

These awards below are due to be received during the next Monday's celebration assembly

Fruit of the Spirit Award

YR - Molly for forgiving her friend when they accidentally stood on her finger

Y1 - Zachary for forgiving Miss Cork when she accidentally threw a white board pen in his direction

Y2 - Elise for forgiving her friends when they were chasing her

Y3 - Sky for forgiving Mrs Smith when she marked his working out as incorrect in his book when he was right!

- Y4 Jack for forgiving Miss Stuart for all her nagging. It has paid off!
- Y5 Fleur P for forgiving someone who was unkind to her and for showing resilience
- Y6 For all Y6 for forgiving Miss Hickson when having to type the hyperlink in themselves

Star of the Week Award

- YR Tom for completing lots of wonderful rainbow challenges
- Y1 William T, Martha , Olivia , Freddie & Cassian for completing knight school!
- Y2 William & Tenzing for being fantastic Maths partners, working on division
- Y3 Alberta for her amazing work on division in Maths
- Y4 Oscar for his enthusiasm and ability on our art morning
- Y5 Poppy Mary for really trying hard and concentrating when writing her own Myth
- Y6 Alfie for linking his previous RE knowledge in order to ask the Buddhist a question

Bronze Behaviour Award

Y4 - Jack

Y5 - Harry





Well done to those children who have earning and received the below certificates

Champion Times tables Y4 -Rueben Y5 - Imogen

Champion Mathletics

Y1 - Jessica

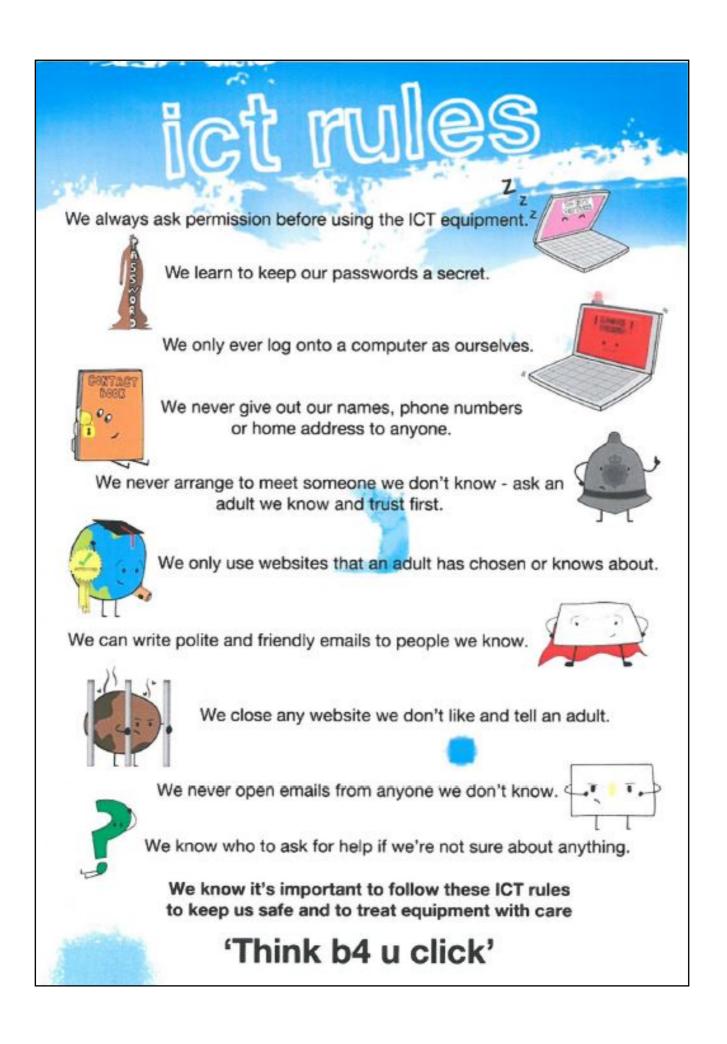
Gold Times Tables Y2 - Charlotte, Elise & Isabella Y3 - William Y4 - William B

Gold Mathletics Y4 - Rueben





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DID YOU KNOW?

For every pupil registered for free school meals, your child's school receives extra funding from the Government? **This could be up to £1,320 per child, per school,** per year!

BETWEEN RECEPTION & YEAR 13, YOUR CHILD MAY BE ENTITLED TO FREE SCHOOL MEALS & PUPIL PREMIUM

Find out if you are eligible: Visit www.cheshire.gov.uk/FSM or call 0300 123 5012 (quoting FSM2019)

