



fun care safe respect learn



HEAD TEACHER'S HIGHLIGHTS

Dear parents,

This is our final newsletter of the year and it has certainly been an interesting year! There has been a fantastic team effort to ensure as many children as possible have been able to join us in school. The Year 2 children have had two wonderful days with us, and we feel the chance to see each other, share their memories and have opportunity to look forward to their new schools has been a very worthwhile experience for them. The majority of the Reception children and Year 1 children have been back with us consistently throughout this last half term and I hope this will have helped them secure their learning and provided a sense of wellbeing for them in these challenging times.

My thanks go to all the staff and Governors at Church Aston whatever their role for the way they have coped with the disruption and continual changes in expectations. They have done it all with dedication, thoughtfulness and care, keeping a sense of humour and supporting each other and the children throughout. A brilliant team effort!

Thank you to all our parents who have followed our guidance and shown us support in so many ways. The kind words of encouragement, the emails of thanks are so appreciated by all. Friends of school have continued to organise big and small things that help make Church Aston special, I am thinking fun things for the children to do, fundraising events, gifts and even chips. It all helps to make a lovely atmosphere within our little school community.

I would like to wish the children good luck as they move on to their next school. I am very proud to pass this cohort of children on. Their next head teachers have all been told they will be very lucky to have these children in their school. They are a real credit to Church Aston and to all of you parents too. You have been amazing with the home learning that you have done this year. I also look forward to seeing Year 1 and Reception return in September ready to start in their new classes, we will be busy preparing for lots of interesting learning opportunities for them.

Finally and most importantly everyone has stayed safe and well this term, long may that continue. I hope you have a cautious but happy summer.

Take good care.

Best wishes

Jenny Griffiths



CLASS 1

We had a fantastic three days with our reception children, finished off with an outdoor picnic. The last two days were spent with the year 2 children which was a real treat for us.

We are so proud of all of our children, including the ones that have remained working at home. Congratulations must go to all the parents who have home schooled for the duration. You will enjoy a well earned break too.

Good luck to the year 2s. Your new schools are very lucky to have you.

Reception and Year 1s, we look forward to welcoming you back as year 1s and 2s.

Stay safe and have fun.



CLASS 2

Well it's been an unusual year, one we'll never forget!

It has been a pleasure working with all the children and I am so proud of all their hard work during this academic year. For those of you off on new adventures I wish you all the best and I know you will continue to make Church Aston Infant School proud.

For those of you who will join us again in September, I look forward to working with you and I am sure together we will have a wonderful and exciting year!

Goodbye Class 2!



SCHOOL CALENDAR DATES

First day of Autumn Term—September 2nd 2020



Celebrating Success

MATHLETICS AWARDS

YEAR R



YEAR 1



YEAR 2



Celebrating Success

100% ATTENDANCE UNTIL LOCKDOWN



RECEPTION



YEAR 1



YEAR 2

Celebrating Success



A special congratulations to you for your attendance throughout the year including the whole of lockdown.

SPECIAL ATTENDANCE AWARD

This year's Tracey Coles Achievement Award goes to a very deserving child who has worked extremely hard over the last year and always has a smile on her face.

Well done and keep up the fabulous effort.



TRACEY COLES ACHIEVEMENT AWARD



Celebrating Success

THE WINNING TEAM UNTIL LOCKDOWN

YELLOW TEAM



well done!

Mathletics Superstars

Well done to all the children that have received a Mathletics award today.

A huge well done to every child that participated in developing their maths skills through Mathletics.

In September all totals are reset and children moved onto their new Mathletics Year Group. So if your child has not participated yet in this fun interactive Maths app this would be a great opportunity to make a start.



SILVER AWARD



BRONZE AWARD



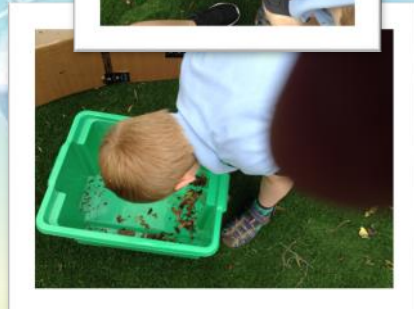
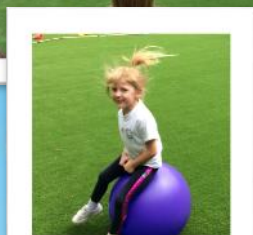
BUBBLE 1

We had a lovely few days in Bubble 1. The children enjoyed the chips from Friends of School and digging up the potatoes from our vegetable patch.



BUBBLE 2

We had a lovely week in school. Children enjoyed their chips from Friends of School, the Year 2's enjoyed directing the P.E lesson and we had fun with bubbles. It was really lovely to welcome all the Year 2 children back in school, we have missed them all.

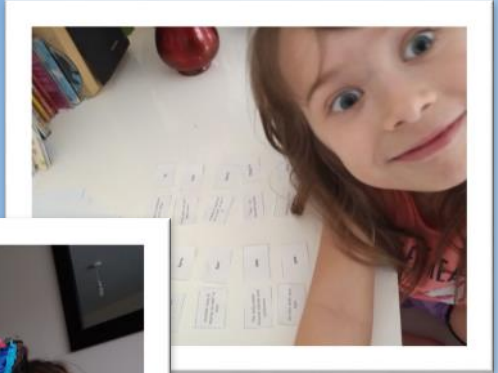
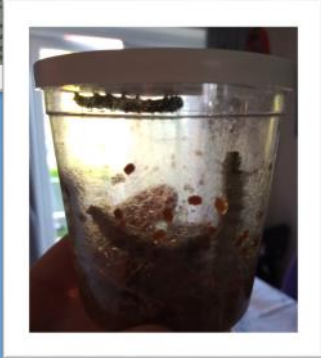




HOME LEARNING

This week we have some lovely photos of caterpillars, exciting trips to theme parks and lots of home learning.

Well done everyone!



HOME LEARNING LINKS

Many online platforms have offered schools and parents free resources to support your child with their education whilst they are at home. Please take a look at the links below.

Useful websites

www.thepehub.co.uk

<https://www.tts-group.co.uk/home+learning+activities.html>

<https://classroomsecrets.co.uk/free-home-learning->

<https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning/>

<https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning/year-1/>

<https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning/year-2/>

www.bbc.co.uk/teach/supermovers

<https://scratch.mit.edu/explore/projects/games>

www.spellingshed.com/en-gb

<https://teach.your.monster.to.read>

www.phonicsplay.co.uk Username is **march20** Password is **home** [Mathletics](#) (see diaries for PW)

<https://naturedetectives.woodlandtrust.org.uk/naturedetectives/>

<https://www.discoveryeducation.co.uk> (see diaries for PW)

www.twinkl.co.uk

www.snappymaths.com

www.ictgames.com

www.topmarks.co.uk

www.mathshed.com

www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize

www.natgeokids.com/uk/

www.primaryresources.co.uk

[Numberblocks](#) or [Alphablocks](#)

LINKS FROM PARENT FEEDBACK RECEIVED

dkfindout.com [click here](#) for link

LetsGoLive [click here](#) for link

national oak academy (weekly spelling tests) [click here](#) for link

Steve Backshall Q&A on a Wednesday morning at 9.30 on Facebook

Nick Cope on a Thursday afternoon on Facebook (he writes and sings children songs).

oxford owl site for the free ebooks [click here](#) for link

Purplemash [click here](#) for link

New daily lessons!

Every day the BBC add three new lessons for each year group.

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize>

IMPORTANT GOVERNMENT INFORMATION

Information for parents and carers about the closure of schools following the outbreak of coronavirus (COVID-19). This link was last updated **May 11th**. Please check for updates which this week include resources for online learning and links to the curriculum.

[Click here to be directed to the gov.uk website.](#)



IMPORTANT GOVERNMENT INFORMATION FOR PARENTS

Government guidance and information for parents on the opening of schools during the Coronavirus outbreak.

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/closure-of-educational-settings-information-for-parents-and-carers>

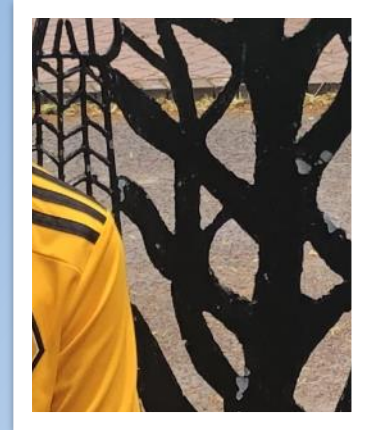
★ HAPPY ★ BIRTHDAY!

We hope you both have a wonderful birthday during the Summer Holidays.



close up pic game

Did you guess which picture we zoomed in on?



Look who is turning 6 this week.



We hope you are all able to enjoy the Summer Holidays. Take care and stay safe everyone.

SEE YOU IN SEPTEMBER