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## HEAD TEACHER'S HIGHLIGHTS

Dear parents,

A quiet but productive week. Children are very focussed on their learning. It's always good to look back and see how much they have improved their skills in Reading, Writing and Maths but also to identify what they need to do to next for even higher achievement. Well done to children so far this year who have had a Headteacher sticker for showing they have made a real effort with their work.

Many thanks to Friends of School who have supported us with the purchase of some new construction activities. The winning team had fun using the Polydrons today.

The potatoes for the Newport Show have arrived and I am now under pressure to make sure they grow- this is worse than Ofsted!

The children are enjoying their story sacks , just to remind you , please return them on Wednesday ready to receive a new one on Thursday.

Have a lovely weekend.

Jenny Griffiths

## CELEBRATING SUCCESS



This week **Yellow** was the winning team.

## BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS

Look who is celebrating her birthday this week.





## CLASS 1

In Science year 1s looked at the different strengths of wind and their effects, from a breeze right up to a hurricane. We made a wind sock to test the wind.

We have continued to learn about the different food groups and making healthy choices .

Our story, Rapunzel led to some interesting measuring activities.



## CLASS 2

We have been very busy this week learning times table facts, counting in equal groups and recapping addition and subtraction skills. Year 2s have also been exploring fractions by preparing some pieces of fruit in halves and quarters. In English we have started to look at our new book 'Journey' by Aaron Becker. It is going to give us lots of opportunity to orally tell a story before we write because the book has no words so we are going to become the authors!



Well done to all the children that received a Mathematics certificate today.



**MATHEMATICS**



**BRONZE AWARD**



**SILVER AWARD**

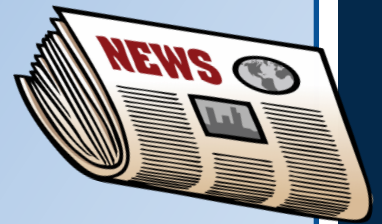




# SCHOOL CALENDAR DATES

Just to keep  
you posted!

- Monday 25th March – Whole school visit to Enginuity
- Monday 25th March –start of Big Pedal Week
- Wednesday 27th March—Class 1 Sponsored Swim
- Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March—FoS Mother's Day Gift Sale—Further details to follow
- Tuesday 2nd April—Parent Consultation afternoon/evening
- Friday 5th April—Mufti Day, please bring £2 or an Easter Egg for Friends of School
- Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> April—FoS Easter Fair
- **Friday 12th April—last day of term**
- **Monday 29th April—first day of the Summer term**



## LATEST NEWS AND EVENTS

### PARENT INTERVIEWS—2 APRIL 2019

The timetable for Parent Interviews will be on the classroom doors from Monday 25 March. Please sign against a time that is convenient for you and we will write and confirm your appointment.

### ENGINUITY TRIP — 25 MARCH 2019

Our trip to Enginuity to take part in a Downhill buggies workshop is on Monday 25th March. The children will be travelling by hired coach which will leave school at 9:20am promptly and will be back at 3pm in time for the end of the normal school day, If you haven't ordered a packed lunch from the kitchen please remember to send your child with a packed lunch in an easy to carry bag for the trip, no glass please. All children will need to wear their school uniforms and have a suitable coat/jacket with them for the trip.

### CLASS 1 SPONSORED SWIM - 27 MARCH 2019

Just a reminder that the Class 1 Sponsored Swim will be on Wednesday 27th March from 2pm to 3pm at Newport Swimming Centre. Please remember to return your sponsorship forms. We hope you are able to come along to see how your child has progressed.

### FRIENDS OF SCHOOL

Just a reminder that the next Thursday 28th March is the Mother's Day Gift Sale so if you would like your child to purchase a gift please remember to send them in with £3 to school.

The next Friends of School meeting will also be held on Thursday 28th March, 7.30pm at The Fox, Chetwynd Aston. We hope as many parents, grandparents and carers can join us.

