



Weekly Newsletter

Living to Learn, Learning to Live



REACH FOR THE STARS

29.04.2022

Key Dates

Health and Wellbeing Day in school
19th May

SPOT-LIGHT ON LEARNING



We have had a great start to the summer term, children have returned to school refreshed and ready to learn.

This week has been a busy one, both of our Year 2 classes have had visits to Tatton Park where they have been exploring mini beasts as part of their science this term. I'm told their behavior and effort was exemplary, well done Year 2! Also this week, our hockey team took part in a competition and represented our school brilliantly, putting in lots of effort into their game and again behaving superbly—we would expect nothing less.

This week we have been having a specific focus on our value 'effort'. Effort is a crucially important value in school and in life in general. It is important to put in lots of effort to get the best possible outcomes in any situation, this term in particular we are hoping to see lots of effort put into attendance, we are striving to achieve 97% or above as a school. We need to put the extra effort into getting up and out to enjoy our day in school and work together as a team to achieve our target.

Have a lovely weekend

Mrs Ryan

THIS TERM IN PSHE

This term in PSHE we are looking at Health and Wellbeing. This incorporates lots of different areas of learning for example mental health, physical health, looking after our bodies, healthy eating.

Holiday Dates

Summer Term 2022
25th April - 20th July

May day: Monday 2nd
May

27th May Jubilee Day

Whit Break: Monday
30th May— Friday 10th
June

Children return to
school on Monday
13th June



Year One Phonics

This week in Phonics

Year One have been practicing split digraphs. A split digraph is when the two letters of a digraph are split with a consonant in between. Split digraphs include a-e, e-e, i-e, o-e & u-e.

Can you think of any words containing split digraphs?

Here are some examples: snake, grape, athlete, theme, bike, smile, alone, globe, tune, rude.

Have a look in your book and see if you can spot any words containing split digraphs.

ATTENDANCE is one of our school values

As a school we are striving to achieve at least 97% attendance each week.

This week unfortunately we have failed to reach that target.

Monday-**93.6%**
Tuesday- **93.8%**
Wednesday- **93%**
Thursday-**94%**
Friday-

Well done Year 2CY, our overall class winners this week with an amazing 99.1%
PLEASE try to make sure your child is in school, on time, every day.

Honest



HISTORY CORNER

Anne Frank's Diary 70 Years on...

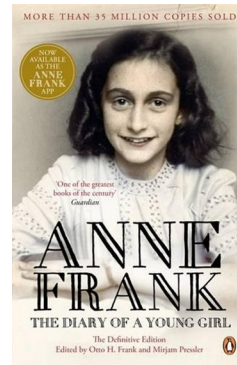
Anne Frank was a young girl, who was born on the 12th of June 1929 and sadly passed away between February and March 1945. On June 12th 1942, Anne received her diary as a birthday gift- it was something she had really wanted as she wanted to become a writer when she grew up, so her parents let her pick the diary herself from the bookshop.

Early 1933, Otto (Anne's father) decided to make the decision to leave Germany and to go into hiding in Amsterdam, Netherlands by 1934 because Adolf Hitler and the Nazi party were gaining power over Germany. Anne and her family were Jewish. The reason they left after Adolf Hitler became so powerful is because he had a twisted hatred of Jewish people and their beliefs.

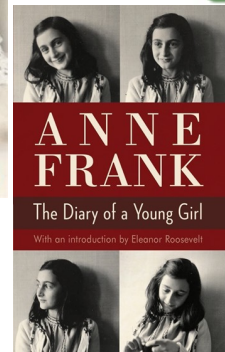
In May 1940, Adolf Hitler took over the Netherlands. The family went into hiding for nearly 3 years for their safety. During this time, Anne wrote regularly in her diary. Later, Anne and her family were unfortunately found and taken to a concentration camp. Sadly, Anne died inside the concentration camp just few short days from when soldiers came to free the many people trapped inside. Many years later, her father was given the pages of her diary and published it. Since then, it has become one of the most famous books in the world. This week marks the 70th anniversary of the book being published.

Anne Frank was such a strong, brave girl who shall always be remembered as such. All throughout the pain, fear and change she went through, she still thought of the bright side and tried to focus on the very little positive there was in the world. This is what made her so special.

By Abigail R, Y6 History Ambassador



Our History Ambassadors recommend ... We are all born free. The diary of a young girl.



Respect



Our Year 5 Hockey team represented the Wellesbourne badge with distinction on Tuesday afternoon. All children who took part were great ambassadors for our school and competed brilliantly in a number of exciting games. A huge thank you and well done to all involved!

TTRS WINNERS THIS WEEK

Most correct answers: Chris R Yr 4 – 479

Most coins: Liana F Yr 4 – 3,568

Improved speed: Ciaran M Yr 3
Improved by 0.65 seconds

Fastest all-time speed: Mirabel Yr 6 – 0.49 seconds

Cooperate



Effort



Attend



On Wednesday 4th May YPAS will be hosting a coffee morning to give advice regarding Finance and Debt. If you are interested please email the address above.

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Early Years

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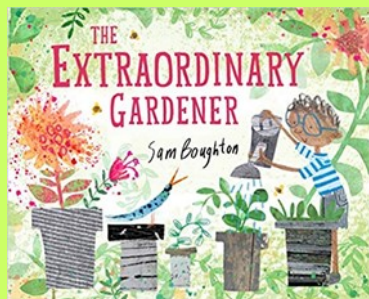
Reception have P.E every Tuesday.
Children are to come to school wearing their P.E kits.

Wednesday 4th May
Mental Health and Wellbeing Coffee Morning

Come along and meet Amy our Mental Health School Practitioner who will be available to discuss any worries or concerns you have about your child.

Also available will be Miss Moore (Learning Mentor)
Mrs Willshire (SEND/CO)
And our new deputy head

These are our home time reading books.



Why not Google them if you want to see more, for free

Cooperate

IN NURSERY THIS WEEK

Welcome back to our wonderful Nursery children! We have had a busy first week back. We started our new theme for this half term which is 'Growing'. We talked about what the children already know and modelled our new 'Growing' finding out area. The children loved the green play dough in the play dough area and the small silicon plant pots and flowers so they could practice planting their own. The children listened carefully and answered questions about the story, 'Jack and the Beanstalk'. We will be learning more about the story next week.



Effort

In Math's we have been learning about 2D shapes. We have been counting how many sides and corners each of the shapes have. The children had so much fun on a shape hunt around our indoor and outdoor area. They found lots of 2D shapes including a square, circle, rectangle and triangle. The children created pictures using 2D shapes. We were very impressed with Milly's treehouse creation and Frances' big bus. Keep a look out for any 2D shapes, take a photo and upload to Tapestry.



Over the next few weeks in phonics we will be focusing on rhyming. This week the children listened to lots of rhymes and poems and found words in them that rhymed. We also thought of words that rhyme with our own names. The children laughed at the ideas and thought they were silly and funny. Can you think of any rhyming words?



IN RECEPTION THIS WEEK

What a brilliant first week back in reception, the children have loved starting our new literacy book "The Extraordinary gardener". We even had a visit from the main character Joe. He wore a blue t-shirt and blue glasses. In math's we have been looking at counting beyond 20. We looked at tens frames and number patterns. The children enjoyed predicting the patterns and estimating amounts.

We have this week begun to look at change. We compared baby pictures of the children and of staff. How have we changed? The children loved looking at the similarities and differences.

Finally we have some very exciting news Miss Rose will be leaving us shortly as she will be going to have a baby. We are all so excited and can't wait to meet the new little one. Whilst she is off on maternity leave we are going to be joined by Mrs Power. She has started this week to get to know the children in RSR for a few weeks before taking over full time for the final half term.

