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NEXT SCHOOL HOLIDAY: **MONDAY 27TH MAY 2019 - FRIDAY 31ST MAY 2019**

CHILDREN RETURN TO SCHOOL ON MONDAY 3RD JUNE 2019

PLEASE REMEMBER THAT HOLIDAYS SHOULD NOT BE BOOKED IN TERM TIME

Events happening next week

Mon 13 th May	<p>*KS1 and KS2 SATs tests begin</p> <p>*Y6 SATs test: Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling</p> <p>*Emma's Class swimming - returning at 4.00pm</p>
Tues 14 th May	<p>*Y6 SATs test: Reading</p> <p>*Nick's Class swimming - returning at 4.00pm</p>
Wed 15 th May	<p>*Y6 SATs test: Maths -paper1&2 2</p> <p>*Governors Meeting: 5.00pm</p>
Thurs 16 th May	<p>*Y6 SATs test: Maths paper 3</p> <p>*Y3 Classes out all day at Bocketts Farm. Please note, children are asked to be at school by <u>8.15am</u>, as the coach will be leaving at 8.30am. Y3 are due to return at <u>3.30pm</u></p> <p>*Niamh's Year 2 Class Assembly: 2.55pm. All parents/carers of children in her class are warmly invited</p> <p>*Y6 classes out to Avondale Park - pm</p>
Fri 17 th May	

News and Reminders

SATS TESTS FOR Y2 AND Y6

Children in Y6 will sit their SATs tests Monday-Thursday next week (see dates opposite) and children in Y2 will sit their tests over the next two weeks.

We always ask that children are on time, but it is particularly important for children in these year groups in readiness for their tests. In Year 6, teachers will be working with children from 8.50am onwards to 'warm up their brains' and 'settle their nerves' and similarly, Y2 teachers will be starting straight after register at 9.05am. Early nights and a good breakfast are essential and we ask that parents inform us as early as possible if their child is ill. Thank you for your support, and we wish children in Y2 and Y6 lots of luck. They have worked extremely hard throughout the year and this is their chance to shine.

CHILD SAFETY ON TIK TOK

Tik Tok is a video sharing App, formerly known as Musical.ly and there have been some recent concerns expressed in the media about its use by young children. Users can upload and share videos of themselves and add special effects; they can gain followers(fans) and browse other people's videos. Please read the accompanying [factsheet](#) as it gives some tips for ensuring your child's safety on-line.

GRENFELL MEMORIAL MOSAIC

I attach a [flier](#) inviting anyone interested to attend a workshop to help create the final petal of the Grenfell memorial flower which will be installed at the base of the tower. Dates are on the flier.

RAMADAN

I attach a [letter](#) for parents re Ramadan. I respectfully ask parents to inform the school office if you give permission for your child to fast

WEEKLY ATTENDANCE AND PUNCTUALITY 29/04/2019 -03/05/2019

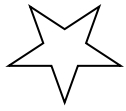
The overall figure for the school for last term was **96.2%**, which was above our target of **96%**.

The classes in each Key Stage with the best attendance were:

Kripali's Reception - 99.2%
Timand Mary's Year 6- 98.7%
Well done to these classes

CHANGE OF DATE

Having sent our dates home last week, I am very sorry to inform you that we have changed the date of Katie's Y2 Class Assembly. It is changed from Thursday 4th July to Wednesday 10th July at 2.55pm. Apologies for any inconvenience caused.



Stars of the Term

A huge well done to you all!



Nursery children	WILLOW CLASS- for all your hard work. We can see you are really trying to prepare for Reception and you are becoming mature learners. Well done!
Stephanie's Reception	OMAMA- For an enormous improvement in reading and always being the best you can be! 😊
Kripali's Reception	LIBAN – For making progress with your reading and writing. You are becoming more confident in using your phonic strategies to write words and simple sentences-keep it up!
Alexa's Year 1	STANLEY- For showing a great learning attitude this week! We have been so impressed with your focus and independence in all areas of learning!
Niamh's Year 1	QAIS- For trying your best to improve your addition and subtraction skills this week! You did your best and succeeded! Keep it up.
Katie's Year 2	IMAD- For fantastic Maths learning this week. You are challenging yourself to have a go at the aspire questions independently. Well done!
Laura's Year 2	NA'ILAH- For concentrating really hard on your writing. We have noticed an improvement!
Emma's Year 3	KALLUM- For his great focus all week starting our new English project. You have shown great care in all your learning. Well done! Keep it up!
Connor's Year 3	SARAH- For her incredible focus and resilience in our multiplication work this week and for showing her wide knowledge of her times tables!
Nick's Year 4	ROSE – For a wonderful attitude shown towards all aspects of school this week.
Daisy's Year 4	YUSRA- For demonstrating enthusiasm and a healthy competitive spirit during Maths.
Julia's Year 5	AMELIA- For excellent learning across all subjects! You always have such a positive attitude towards your learning and you are such a delight to have in class!
Francesca's Year 5	TAHA - For persevering during Maths this week. Your 'can do' attitude and determination is inspiring, keep it up.
Tim/Mary's Year 6	NAJMA- For incredible focus and determination during our very challenging Maths lessons.
Russell's Year 6	DIALA- For putting 100% effort into all of your writing this week. We have enjoyed your story so much!

"IN IT TO WIN IT" ATTENDANCE AND PUNCTUALITY AWARD THE WINNER FOR THE LAST WEEK OF TERM

Ubayd- Alexa's Year 1
Suleiman- Daisy's Year 4