

St. Mary's (Endowed) Church of England
VA Primary School



Friday 17th May

Dear Parents and Carers,

This week it has been a real privilege to see the calm, mature way in which the Year 6s have tackled their SATs assessments. We know that these tests are an assessment of us as a school rather than the children themselves but they are an important part of getting the children ready for their move to high school. All of the children worked hard and took time to do their very best and they should be proud of their achievements whatever their score may be. Thank you to Mrs Morison and all of the other adults who supported the children this week.

Have a lovely weekend,

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Mrs L. Watts - Executive Headteacher

This week in class...

Ash Class - This week in Ash class we have been reading, 'Bear Shaped', about a boy who loses his teddy bear best friend and learns about kindness. We have made 'Lost Bear' posters and written a description of the bear. We made a den to snuggle up and read stories with our classroom teddies just like Jack did with his bear. We have also planned, drawn and role-played a teddy bear's picnic, painting pictures of bears to frame for the classroom wall. In maths, we are revisiting 2-D shapes. We have been rotating shapes to fit templates and to make pictures.

Elm Class - In Science, Elm have been learning about the five senses. We investigated whether we could feel better with our hands or feet by being blindfolded and testing out our predictions. In Maths, we made our own clocks with a minute and hour hand. The children have taken them home to keep practicing their time telling.

Beech Class - In Beech Class this week we have finished making our bugs. We all thought it was tricky but we were really proud of what we achieved. We have continued our Samba work in music. We really enjoy playing the big drums but we don't think the rest of the school enjoys it as much as us.

Oak Class - In Oak Class, Year 6 are very relieved to have successfully completed the KS2 SATS assessment. They were HEROES! Their attitude remained positive throughout. I know their hard work and perseverance has paid off! Year 5's have also been working hard in their lessons and had an extended swim lesson on Monday which they really enjoyed. Computing lessons (our topic is vector drawings) has been very interesting and all of the children have excelled. This week they had to make a series of drawings using shape and colour and then place it on a backdrop. The results were very impressive.

Day	Clubs	Leader
Monday	Lego	Sam Rose and Emily Lond-Caulk
Tuesday	Creativity and Team Games	Active Education
Wednesday	Netball	Sarah Lynes and Bethany Lewis
Thursday	Creativity and Team Games	Active Education
Friday	Ultimate Frisbee	Active Education

Attendance this week

Ash - 100%

Elm - 92.86%

Beech & Willow - 98.07%

Oak - 96.2%

Whole School - 94.57%

Bags 2 School

The Friends have kindly organised a Bags 2 School collection for Wednesday 22nd May. This is an opportunity to raise money for the school whilst having a good clear out! You can get extra bags and information from the office. Please leave bags in the bike shed in the carpark once full. **Thank you!**

PE & Woodland Learning

Monday - Swimming for Oak class

Tuesday - PE for Ash and Beech

Wednesday Woodland Learning for Ash, Elm and Willow

Thursday - PE for Willow

Friday - PE for Elm, Beech and Oak

Jigsaw awards this week go to...

Ruby, Myla, Jasper, Sebastian, Tabby, Benjamin K, Macey, Gabriele, Teagan, Willow Pr

Smarties this week go to...

Year 6 - Olivia L, Olivia B, Logan-Lee, Jack, Skye, Dylan, Rae, George R, Isabella, Benjamin K & Ruby
Ted, Ralph, Freddie B, Robin

Gold awards this week go to...

Ruby, Cawlie





Can you feel better with your hands or your feet?!



Dates for your Diary

Wednesday 22nd May - Kwik Cricket tournament for Y4/5/6 @ Happisburgh, details to follow

Wednesday 22nd May, 9am - Bags 2 School collection, all donations welcome

Thursday 23rd May - Cricket tournament at Beeston Hall School

Friday 24th May - End of term

Monday 3rd June - Back to school

26th - 28th June - Aylsham High and Cromer Academy induction days for Y6

Tuesday 2nd July - Y6 trip to the cathedral

Friday 5th July - Sports Day

Friday 19th July - End of term