

VICTORIA PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

"Together we aim for the stars"

23rd April 2021
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HEADTEACHER'S THOUGHTS THIS WEEK

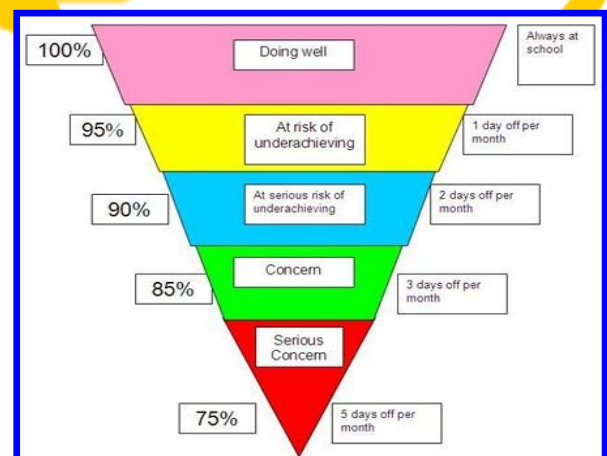
- Dear Parents,
What a beautiful week it has been. Sunshine days have meant lots of learning outside and the excitement of using the school field.
- Thank you to all the Key stage 2 parents who attended parent/teacher consultations. These meetings are incredibly valuable so please ensure that you make an alternative appointment if you have not seen the classteacher this week.
- A reminder that next Friday is a school IN-SET day. We will be using this time to continue training on the implementation of the new Curriculum for Wales. This is a very exciting time in schools and we look forward to sharing our plans with you as soon as we are able to.

Have a lovely weekend
Mrs Daniels



ATTENDANCE

Below is a pictorial reminder to parents on how important it is for children to attend school everyday. We would like to thank you for your continued support in this area. School attendance for this week was 98%. A special well done to Classes 2SP and 3FY who had the highest attendance with 100%. WELL DONE!



Welsh Government Tests

Normally, at this time of the year, I would be giving you the Welsh Government Test timetable for year 2-6. However, this year Welsh Government have asked us to continue on a reasonable endeavours basis, to enable teachers to understand and support individual learner needs. We have decided that the most valuable way to use the tests will be in a formative way to identify any gaps and plan learning for this term, based on the results. Therefore, there will be no formal test week this term; the children will complete the tests as and when appropriate.

Star of the week—Friday 16th April



Reception

Ruby Walker

Izzy Sharp

Annie Egglestone

Year 1

Bessie Turner

Molly Sanders

Maya Shanmugaratnam

Year 2

Luca Ahmed

Oliver Twining

Imogen Khoshooee

Year 3

Dougie Keogh

Lili-Rose Howell

Year 4

Emma Slugg

Harry Mumford

Sophia Enticknap

Year 5

Ossian Williams

Cameron Hills

Year 6

Harry Goddard

Joe Saltmarsh

Noah Gore

Star of the week—Friday 23rd April



Reception

Charlie Griffiths

Kayson Bailey

Year 1

Freya Webber

Tom Maddern

Year 2

Isabella Fulton

Felix Dunford

Year 3

Riley Forrester

Arabella Segovia

Year 4

Eleri Price-Turcaz

Molly Smart

Year 5

Rebekah Harvey

David Brown

Year 6

Demi Dyer

Matilda Coggins



Environment Day

In assembly this week, we have been learning about children who have changed the world by exercising their rights, However, we did not need to look any further than our very own school!

Holly Watson and Matilda Coggins presented to the school senior Leadership team on Thursday, in order to persuade them to agree to an Environmental Day at school. The girls are hoping to achieve green Blue Peter badges for every child and teacher.

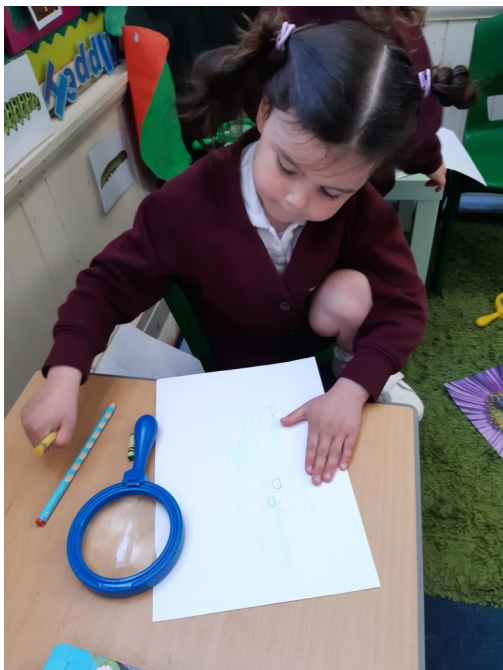
Their presentation was superb and they have considered: a fundraising day to purchase plants to encourage wildlife; a whole school theme; activities to be completed and a whole school assembly.

They will be writing a piece for next week's newsletter to provide you with more details. However, without giving too much away, all children will be required to wear something green for Environmental day on Thursday 6th May.



New additions to Reception

Exciting times in Reception this week as caterpillar larvae arrived. We will be observing them closely as they change into butterflies and in RKS this week we held a vote to name them. Sue, Elizabeth, Bobby, Hairy and Spikey welcome to our butterfly garden.



Calendar 2020/2021

Y5 dinosaur detective workshop
Class birthday party
PTA Sponsored Danceathon

INSET—school closed to pupils
May Bank Holiday

Y5/6 Disability sport's workshop
Environmental Day (**wear green**)
Y3/4 Motion Control dance workshop
Class birthday party

INSET—school closed to pupils

Half-term Break

Y6 induction to Stanwell

INSET—school closed to pupils

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Tues 27th April
Thurs 29th April
Thursday 29th April

Friday 30th April
Monday 3rd May

Tuesday 4th May
Thursday 6th May
Friday 7th May
Thurs 27th May

Friday 28th May

Mon 31st May—Fri 4th June

Tuesday 15th June

Monday 19th July

Tuesday 20th July

