



Key Stage Two News

27th April 2018

Year 3

Year 3 have absolutely 'wowed' Miss Evans this week with their understanding in maths. They have used problem solving skills to tackle difficult problems that involve finding fractions of amounts. In English we have been writing our nature poems about living creatures and plants. We have been tracking the River Ure from its source to where it leads out into sea using google maps. Next week we will be dividing whole numbers into fractions and we will start to write our explanation texts about the water cycle. Please can P.E kits be in school all week and please ensure that you sign your child's planner everytime they read. Thank you for your continued support.

Year 4

Year 4 have had a great time writing their own 'battle cry' persuasive speeches. The pupils made sure they were adding lots of persuasive techniques like repetition and humility as well as fronted adverbials and clauses. Well done everyone! The class then started researching the 'Problems of Plastic' for their independent writing next week, which they really enjoyed. Next week we will finish the independent writing and perform it! In Maths we have been learning about money and linking that to decimals and problems, as well as completing some school tests. Next week we will be learning about perimeter and length and will use the opportunity to do lots of 'real life' maths.

Dates for Your Diary

Monday 30th April - Year 3/4 Library visits begin (every Monday)

Monday 7th April - Bank Holiday
School closed

Monday 14th May - SATs Week

Monday 14th May - Gymnastics show
16:00 - 17:00

Wednesday 16th May - Gymnastics
show 16:00 - 17:00

Wednesday 23rd May - Friday 25th
May Year 6 Residential

Wednesday 23rd May - Y5 cricket
competition

Monday 28th - Half Term

Friday 25th May - School breaks up
for half term



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Year 5

Year 5 have had another busy week. In maths we have read and interpreted information provided in a line graph where a single line represents the data and where the data is represented by more than one line. In English we have identified the use of powerful verbs and adverbs and understood their functions in sentences. We have learnt about the changes in tense, used past tense and written character sketches. We have been linking our Art to our WW2 topic and have started creating our WW2 images.

Next week in English we will plan, write and edit our own historical stories and in Maths we will learn the names and qualities of acute, right, obtuse and reflex angles.

To support your child at home, please spend time checking their homework. Their homework links to their learning in class so it is a great way to find out what they have been up to.

Year 6

I have been so impressed with the hard work and determination the Year 6 children have shown this week. We have been working hard to revise statistics, ensuring that we are confident interpreting a range of graphs and charts. Some children have found calculating time intervals from timetables tricky so a great way to support your children at home is to read plenty of bus and train timetables this weekend. In English we have been investigating the difference between relative and subordinate clauses and revising different word classes. We have been working hard on our spellings this week, all children have a copy of the spelling patterns that could appear on the tests and these are best practised daily. This week we have launched our new topic 'Will we ever see the water we drink again?' by learning about the water cycle.

If you need to contact any of the class teachers in KS2 you can find us on the playground after school, alternatively you can send us an email ...

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Star of the Week

Year 4 - Archie Cranney for a great opening to his speech.

Year 5 - Amelia & Fionnuala for fantastic corrections

Year 6 - Emily and Ceira for amazing determination to problem solve.