

MRJS News

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**Kindness
Aspiration
Honesty
Respect
Responsibility**

Mill Rythe Junior School

Headteacher – Mrs D Maxwell

Headteacher's Message

Friday 3rd May

Dear Parents and Carers

I hope this newsletter finds you well ahead of the Bank Holiday weekend. Just a reminder we are closed on Monday and look forward to welcoming you all back on Tuesday.

Thunderstorm Thursday

We had an eventful start to the school day on Thursday. The storm affected the power supply to the school which, fortunately, was able to be rectified quickly to enable our school to open. I would like to say a huge thank you to all of our staff, and in particular Mr Miles and Mrs Farrelly for rapidly responding to the emergency. Thank you also to you, parents and carers, for your support too.

Wonderful Work

Again, this week I have seen some amazing pieces of work from across the school. It is such a joy to see the passion for learning and the pride our children have.

Year 6 Virtual Author Visit

On Monday, Year 6 had the exciting opportunity of speaking with Dave Roman, author of 'Unicorn Boy'. He spoke to them about all things graphic novels and what it takes for the idea to become a published book. The children were able to ask him questions and then we were treated to a draw-along session at the end. The children were so inspired and loved being able to talk with him about his books. Thank you to Miss Going for organising this wonderful opportunity for our pupils.

Behaviour - outside of school

I have spoken to the children in assembly today about our expectations of their conduct while wearing school uniform but not on the school site. We continue to have high expectation for conduct for our pupils at all times. The overwhelming majority of our pupils rise to this challenge. Please can you

reinforce the message of treating others in our school and wider community kindly and respectfully, especially when wearing our school uniform.

Thank you Seacourt Tennis Club

This week a number of children who receive tennis lessons at Seacourt Tennis Club brought in donations of tennis balls and rackets. Our children had mentioned that we were down to our last few tennis balls at lunchtime and so 75 tennis balls were donated. Thank you to our children for mentioning it and thank you to Seacourt for their kind and very generous donation.

Weekly Maths Challenge

Fill in the empty boxes to make the equations correct.

$$\boxed{7} \boxed{} \boxed{1} + \boxed{} \boxed{3} \boxed{} = 999$$

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Come and find Mrs Wintle with your answers to earn 10 house points. Well done to everyone who completed last week's challenge!



Growth in our Garden

I am so proud of our gardening club who have harvested the first salad crop of the year. Delicious radishes and scrumptious lettuces. Well done children and thank you to Hayling Horticultural Society for all of their green-fingered help.

Thank you for your continued support

Have a wonderful weekend.

Mrs Maxwell

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Summer Term

06.05.2024 Bank Holiday Monday
13.05.2024 SATS Week for Year 6
17.05.2023 History of Art Day
20.05.2024 Supporting your child in mathematics 9am
02.06.2024 Half Term
03.06.2024 INSET Day
03.06.2024 – 21.06.2024 Year 4 Multiplication Tables Check
06.06.2024 Mill Rythe Junior School D Day Celebrations including family picnic (weather permitting)
07.06.2024 Hampshire Fire and Rescue Year 5
18.06.2024 9 – 10 Pastoral Coffee morning
01.07.2024 Lower School Sports Day am (weather permitting)
08.07.2024 Upper School Sports Day am (weather permitting)
09.07.2024 Paultons Park Trip Year 6
15.07.2024 Lower School sports am (in case of bad weather)
16.07.2024 Year 6 Enterprise Day
22.07.2024 Upper School Sports Day am (in case of bad weather)
22.07.2024 Year 6 Leavers' Day
23.07.2024 Year 6 leavers' Assembly 10 am
23.07.2024 End of Term

AWESOME ATTENDANCE
Class: 3G

INSET DAY
3rd June 2024

House Points For the week

Hardy: 1352
Nelson: 1417
Trafalgar: 1342
Victory: 1365