MRJS News

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Mill Rythe Junior School

Headteacher - Mrs D Maxwell

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Friday 10th May

Headteacher's Message

Dear Parents and Carers

Welcome back after the bank holiday weekend. I hope that you were able to spend time with your loved ones, doing the things you enjoy.

Year 6 SATs

Next week is a very important week for our Year 6 pupils. Monday marks the start of the Key Stage Two tests or SATs week. I have been so impressed with how hard the children have been working and how focused they have been in the run up to them.

In assembly this week, Mrs Wintle spoke to all children about the need to be respectful of those sitting the tests, particularly by being quiet when in lessons and moving around the school to ensure the Year 6 children can be focused. There will be some minor adjustments to breaktimes and lunchtimes so please ensure your child has a healthy snack to eat at breaktime.

Parents and carers of Year 6 pupils, a letter has been sent outlining the arrangements for SATs week so please do check your inboxes.

SATs Breakfast

We are looking forward to seeing Year 6 pupils bright and early on Monday morning, and each morning of the tests, for a special breakfast provided by our wonderful PTA. Children are to arrive at the school office at 08:35 am.

Morning Mastery and Get Set Go Club Morning mastery sessions will be taking place for children in Years 3, 4, and 5 but NOT Year 6.

Get Set Go Club will NOT be taking place this week. Children are to arrive at the normal start of the day.

Sunny weather is on its way

Fingers crossed for brighter and drier weather in the coming weeks. With this in mind, please can I ask that you send your child in with sun cream applied before school and a named sun hat. We are hoping to be able to use the field soon too!

Calshot Payment Plans

This week Year 5 parents and carers will have received a letter outlining a suggested payment plan as we appreciate that residentials are a big outlay. We hope this was useful information for you.

Maths Challenge

One egg and one slice of toast costs 74



One egg and two slices of toast costs £l



How much does an egg cost?

Please come and find Mrs Wintle next week to earn 10 house points for completing the challenge!

Safeguarding in our community

If you have a 'niggle' that something is not right with a child, maybe you have witnessed something that makes you feel uncomfortable or perhaps overheard a conversation? Please tell! You can refer anonymously to the NSPCC: help@NSPCC.org.uk or if you believe a child is in immediate danger call 999.

Attendance

Whole school attendance for the spring term was: 95.3% this is above the National average. Thank you for your support with this!

As we are now in the summer term, please ensure your child attends school and is in on time. Please avoid term time holidays as these will be unauthorised. There is new guidance being introduced in August of this year which indicates fines will be increasing amongst other changes. Please see letter accompanying this newsletter for further details.

Thank you

Mrs D Maxwell

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Summer Term

13.05.02024 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 22.07.204 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 23.07.2024 End of Term

AWESOME ATTENDANCE

INSET DAY 3rd June 2024

House Points
For the week

Hardy: 823 Nelson: 665 Trafalgar: 701 Victory: 392