



SACRISTON
ACADEMY

NEWSLETTER

7th June 2024

Non-Uniform Day

On Friday 14th June, we will be hosting a non-uniform day in return for a donation of chocolate, bottles, or toiletries for our upcoming Summer Fayre for our tombola stalls. Donations can be handed straight into School. All donations would be greatly appreciated. Thank you in advance, for your ongoing support.

Nursery Delve into their Summer Topic

Nursery have delved into their Summer topic, they have been exploring all things related to Summer and created their own parasols using paper plates, pens, art straws and tape. Here are some top tips from Nursery to stay safe during the summer:

"Parasol protects you from the sun." - **Laura**

"You must wear sun cream." - **Cayde**

"Wear sunglasses and hat." - **Lola-Lou**



Reception are off to a Tasty Start this Half Term!

During our first week of 'Oh I do like to be beside the seaside' the children have been reading. The lighthouse keepers lunch. From the story the children have made healthy fruit lighthouses and a lighthouse sandwich from our book. The children have learned how to prepare fruits and vegetables by washing and cutting them as well as the importance of washing our hands. The children are also writing their own instructions on how to make a lighthouse sandwich. As you can tell we have had a fun, tasty week!



Year 1 All about Flowers!

This Year 1 have started learning about plants in their Science lessons. The class began the topic by thinking about what they already know about plants and types of plants they see at home. Next, they thought about plants at school and went on an observational walk drawing pictures of plants in our school grounds. The class identified parts of the plants including leaves, petals and roots.



Year 2 Athletics

Year 2 have got off to a flying start with their new PE topic this half term, Athletics. Working with their coach, Year 2 have begun to explore running, catching, passing, jumping and throwing. This topic will see us focus on events such as the relay, actively working in teams.



Year 3 Street Dance!

This week the class enjoyed taking part in a street dance session. The children were pushed out of their comfort zone but showed resilience by performing in the partners at the end of the session. Well done year 3 for taking part in something brand new and showing how independent you can be!



Year 4 have had an Exciting First Week Back!

Year 4 have had an exciting first week back! This week, we have taken part in two sports events including street dance and an ultimate frisbee day. The children had so much fun learning different movements that are used in breakdancing. Since it has been 80 years since D-Day happened, children in Year 4 learnt about this important event in the war and they designed their own medals in memory of D-Day. We also were very lucky to have a live lesson from WWF to learn more about oceans and the problems they face for World Oceans Day. Children learnt how they could make a difference and had so much fun taking part in an oceans quiz.



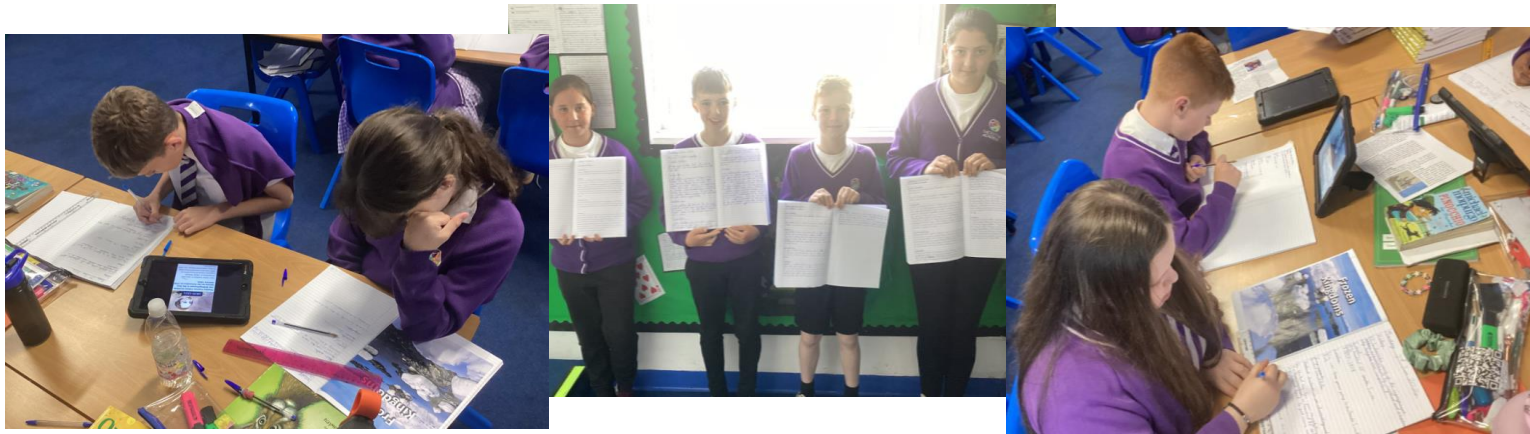
Year 5 Visit to Edinburgh

Year 5 had the opportunity to visit Edinburgh. We visited the Castle and got an insight into how the prisoners were treated in the prisons. We visited the National Museum of Scotland and saw lot's of historic artefacts. We then finished with a lovely meal at Fat Hippo. The children thoroughly enjoyed this experience and learned a lot of valuable information!



Year 6 Learn all about Ernest Shackleton

This week, in Topic, Year 6 have been learning about Ernest Shackleton. On Monday, the children used iPads and information to make notes on him. On Tuesday, we wrote a biography in our topic books and this was then published on Thursday. The children enjoyed researching him and putting this into their own words.



The menu for week beginning 10th June is Week 2. School dinners are £12.50 per week, paid online by Monday please. Our school menu can now be found on our website. If you would like to look at the options with your child, please use the following link.

<http://www.sacristonacademy.co.uk/school-information/lunch-menu>

Class Attendance



Nursery	Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
90.63%	88.89%	97.30%	79.55%	99%	93.33%	96%	88.82%

The government expectation is 96% attendance for individual pupils and school. Attendance and punctuality really matter to your child's education - every day counts! When your child's attendance drops below 95% school will begin monitoring. Referrals to the local authority may also be made if there is no improvement seen.

Weekly Awards

Our Headteacher Awards were presented today to the following children who have all impressed their class teacher:

Nursery: Carson Garden
Reception: Amelia Young
Year 1: Isaac Gray
Year 2: Zara Hillson
Year 3: Ruby Straughan
Year 4: Kayaan Bunyan
Year 5: Thomas Shaw
Year 6: Oscar Ward



Class Awards this week were presented to **Year 2** in Key Stage 1 and **Year 4** in Key Stage 2 for their general behaviour at playtime and lunchtime! Well done to you all, we are very proud of you!

Dates for your Diary

Monday 10th June

Tuesday 11th June

Tuesday 18th June

Tuesday 18th June

Thursday 20th June

Wednesday 26th June

Thursday 27th June

Friday 28th June

Monday 1st July

Wednesday 3rd July

Wednesday 5th July

Wednesday 10th July

Thursday 11th July

Friday 12th July

Wednesday 17th July

Friday 19th July

Monday 22nd July

Year 1-6 Street Games

Year 3 Trip to Hancock Museum

New Reception Parents Meeting

Year 2 Trip to Auckland Castle

Nursery Trip to Broom House Farm

Y6 Residential

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Year 1-4 Cricket Festival

Reception and Year 1 Trip to Beamish

Year 4 Trip to Oriental Museum

NELT Summer Concert

Zumba Festival Whole School

Summer Fayre

Year 6 Leavers Assembly

Year 6 Bikeability

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