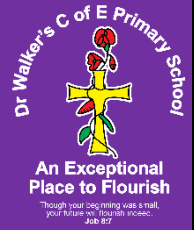











Newsletter

Summer Term – 07.06.2024



School Values	This week's news...
<p>Standing with COURAGE for what is right.</p> <p>Using CREATIVITY in problem-solving and making life beautiful.</p> <p>Treating every person and everything with RESPECT.</p> <p>Having COMPASSION for others.</p> <p>Completing every task with PERSEVERANCE.</p> <p>Taking RESPONSIBILITY for ourselves.</p> <p>Living with HOPE for a better future.</p>	<p>Welcome back to the Summer Term</p> <p>This term will be a very exciting term for the children and parents, with our upcoming Sports Day, KS2 Athletics, KS1 3 Ts Cricket, Year 4/5/6 swimming lessons, Bikeability and much more!</p> <p>Although the week has been a short one for the children, the Staff have been working hard on the two inset days. We would like to thank our Governors, Lesley Wallis and Jill Smylie, for providing the fantastic lunch for us on Tuesday.</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around;">   </div>

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House Points			
Ants	Badgers	Locusts	Lizards
			
2412	2218	2103	2159

Class news

Reception & Year 1

To mark the 80th D-Day celebrations, we focused on friendship and peace. The children made their own friendship bracelets, working together peacefully and collaboratively.



Years 2 & 3

Year 2 and 3 have returned from their half-term break full of enthusiasm for learning. Hooray! They have been fascinated and moved by the 80th Anniversary of the D-Day landings. There were some very thoughtful and interesting comments made in our group discussions and they really enjoyed hearing the first hand experiences of some of the veterans when we watched Newsround together following Mrs Vorster's assembly. This week, the class began their unit on Shakespeare, thinking about why Shakespeare is important and using Shakespeare's language to create some wonderful Shakespearean insults, which we will be sharing as part of our class assembly later in the month. We started a new unit in computing on databases, learning about data fields and data collection by playing a game of monster Top Trumps. In French the class have started to explore habitats, linking to our new geography unit on food and its effect on the environment. The children have also enjoyed some very competitive times tables' games, helping to improve and secure their recall of tables to 12x12. Next week we will be unwrapping our mummified tomatoes and are looking forward to seeing whether our mummification skills are up to scratch! You have come back with such a positive attitude Year 2 and 3 – keep up the good work for the rest of the term!

Years 4, 5 & 6

D – Day class assembly



On the 80th anniversary of D-Day, may we thank these service members for their bravery and sacrifice. May we honour their heroism, which liberated a continent and saved the world. And may we recommit to the future they fought for and which many died for.

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Rewards



Belief in self and the development of confidence, respect, and trust for others and an appreciation of spirituality and an understanding of faith in God;

Engagement in a love for learning by nurturing curiosity and independence; and

Excellence in reaching personal goals by demonstrating resilience and positive behaviour.

Reception & Year 1	Believe	Eila	For having confidence and a can do attitude in maths.
	Engage	Ellen	For excellent attention and focus in phonics and reading.
	Excel	Lucas	For great articulation in conversations with adults.
	Star of the week	Jake	For excellent participation in all lessons.
Years 2 & 3	Believe	Loki	For starting his work independently at the start of a session. He is also trying really hard with his finger spaces in written work. Keep believing in yourself Loki – you're fantastic!
	Engage	Mikey	For engaging in and showing great interest in his history work in general and the 80 th anniversary of D Day in particular.
	Excel	Knightley	For excellent vocabulary comprehension in his reading scheme book. Mrs Snow was particularly impressed! Well done Knightley!
	Star of the week	Dotty	For working hard to understand time; using am and pm on digital clocks successfully. You can do it Dotty!
Years 4. 5 & 6	Believe	Archie	For continuing to believe in himself in all set tasks.
	Engage	Freya	Taking part in all class activities with optimism.
	Excel	Tilly	For excelling in her lessons. Asking for help when needed.
	Star of the week	Maci	For always trying her best and delivering great quality pieces of work.

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Other news
80th Anniversary



On the 80th Anniversary of D-Day we remember all those servicemen and women whose bravery led to the end of WWII and brought peace to our country and European neighbours.

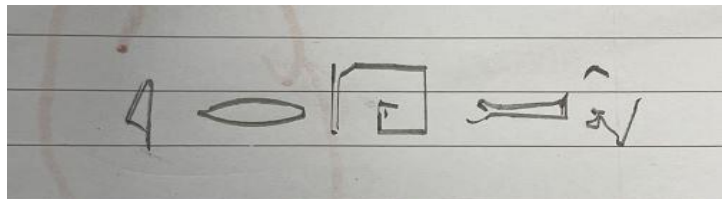
Super Confident!

Lucas has made remarkable progress with his confidence and even secured a medal for it from his football club!



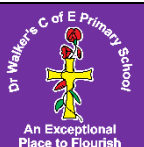
Well done!

Ethan won some medals at football camp and also a trophy for being the goal scorer of the season at his football club. He also found out how to write his name in hieroglyphs. Impressive!



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Thank You Pamper Me Pretty

Pamper Me Pretty have kindly donated a £20.00 gift voucher towards a pamper party, we will be giving this as a raffle prize at Sports Day!

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Important dated

10.06.24	Swimming Lessons Years 4/5/6
11.06.24	Summer Sports Day at 1pm
13.06.24	KS1 3 Tee's Cricket at Ongar Academy
17.06.24	Swimming Lessons Years 4/5/6
20.06.24	Class Photos
24.06.24	Swimming Lessons Years 4/5/6
27.06.24	Ongar Academy Induction Day
28.06.24	Yellow/Green Assembly
02.07.24	KS2 Athletics festival at Ongar Academy
05.07.24	Lambourne End trip – Years 4 & 5
08.07.24	Swimming Lessons Years 4/5/6
11.07.24	Mobile Library Bus Event
15.07.24	Swimming Lessons Years 4/5/6
23.07.24	Church Service for year 6 Leavers 10am at St Nicholas Church
23.07.24	Parents Picnic 12 Noon

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