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Summerfield School News

The Best You Can Be - Everyone, Every Day

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:

20th Mav Year 4 Walking Trip

20th Mav Year 6 Bake Sale

For Whole School during lunchtime 50p

23rd May **END** of Term

School CLOSES at 3:15pm

02nd June START of Term

School OPENS at 08:45am for the start

of Summer Term (2)

02nd June **EYFS Immersion Day**

> Children are invited to come to school in their holiday clothes or a Pirate.

02nd June-

Year 4 Maths Timetables

12th June Multiplication Tables Check

06th June Year 1 Immersion Day

Children are invited to come to school

dressed as a Pirate or a Fairy.

13th June **INSET Day**

School CLOSED to Pupils

24th June Year 5 Trip

EAGLES Class

25th June Sports Day

Details to be confirmed

01st July Year 5 Trip

OWLS Class

02nd July Year 3 Trip

03rd July Year 2 Trip

22nd July **END of Academic Year**

School CLOSES at 3:15pm

23rd July **INSET Day**

School CLOSED to Pupils.

HEADTEACHER NEWS

Dear Parents and Carers,

Today I would like the spotlight to be on our wonderful Year 6's. All across England this week, Year 6 children were tested with Standard Assessment Tests to see how much they have learned during their time at primary school. It is important to remember that these children were just 6 years old when Covid hit in 2020 and their Year 1 and then Year 2 learning was severely disrupted. Despite this, our children have worked hard and teachers have been tireless in their pursuit of closing gaps and providing the best education.

So this week, we have been incredibly proud to celebrate the outstanding effort and resilience shown by our Year 6 pupils during these tests. After months of hard work, dedication, and preparation, each of them approached the tests with confidence and a positive attitude.

Their determination and commitment has truly paid off, and whether they found the journey exciting, challenging, or somewhere in between, they have shown just how much they are capable of achieving.

I also want to thank our amazing staff – Mr Axtell, Mrs Reynolds, Mrs Navak, Mrs Hendry and Mrs Stuart – These adults truly champion each child and have been incredible in teaching, preparing the children, making SATs breakfasts and everything in between. Now it's time for these children to enjoy the final months of their time at Summerfield.

It will be filled with fun activities, memories to be made, and well-deserved celebrations. As I am typing, I can hear that the auditions for the Year 6 production "Grease" are well underway. That will be a treat to look forward to in July!

We couldn't be prouder of the class of 2025 — well done, Year 6!

Best wishes from,

Becky Daley (Associate Headteacher)











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EYFS/KS1

Year 1 have been thoroughly enjoying our 'Hero Hunters' topic. We have been reading 'Supertato' and created our own superhero vegetables on our Immersion day. We had to investigate a crime scene when we discovered someone had terrorised some vegetables one morning! We asked questions and used magnifying glasses on our way around the school, until we discovered the culprit – it was the Evil Pea, just as we had suspected! We will be creating a new villainous vegetable and writing a new Supertato adventure before the end of term.

In maths we have been counting in 2s, 5s

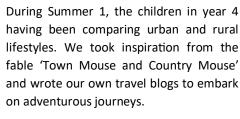
and 10s and beginning to share numbers equally into groups to start our learning about multiplication and division. We have been learning about directions and compass points in Geography and know a catchy song to help us to remember them. In Art, we

have used our drawing skills to invent a new superhero and designed their logo.

Well done Year 1, we have worked so hard this term!



KS2 Lower



In Geography, we have been enhancing our fieldwork skills and use a compass to locate different references points on the school ground using cardinal points.

In Art, we have just begun studying the work of Charles Mackintosh and his architectural design of stained glass windows with the famous Mackintosh Rose. Next week, we are excited to visit the Xscape to experience





KS2 Upper

This term Year 6 have been investigating electricity. We have studied electrical circuits and troubleshooting circuits that do not work. In addition we have found out how to make circuits with lights and buzzers, dimmer or louder by changing components. We have also been revising tirelessly ahead of the KS2 SATs - a week which went smoothly and hopefully successfully. Children have also shown their creative and theatrical skills by auditioning for our Summer play: Grease.











CELEBRATION Zoom Assemblies

Well done to all the children who were awarded in our Celebration Zoom Assemblies!

09.05.25



Burhan, Ethan, George P, Jarryd, Jasper, Jihaan, John, Khesmik, Leah, Maryam, Mia, Ramzi, Neve, Tyler and Zlatan

Year 6 SATs Treat...

Well done Year 6, we are so proud of you.





Year 2 Cricket Trip...

THURSDAY 15TH MAY

Year 2 children from the Blue Sky Federation had an excellent afternoon learning to play cricket, thanks to the coaches of Old Bradwell new city cricket club.

After an early lunch and a short walk we arrived and began to play games like volcanoes and mountains, yes no and quick cricket. These games taught us the listening, handling and teamwork skills needed to play the game

The weather was a little cold but the energy and fun was high.

The children behaved beautifully and many said they enjoyed the sessions, hoping they could join the club in the future. Thank you to the coaches for this opportunity.







Colour Run...

FRIDAY 16th MAY 2025

The FOSS Team have worked incredibly hard to organise another fantastic Colour Run event for our children and their families.

This year included a chance for adults to participate! Lots and lots of fun was had by all. Thank you so much FOSS Team for all your hard work and putting on these great events. A big thank you also to the fabulous parent volunteers who helped the afternoon run smoothly.

If you have any photographs of your child that you would like to share, please do send them to friendsofsummerfieldschool.org





We would like to say a special mention and huge thank you to Mr Sharma (Hemadri's Dad!) for his extremely generous and kind donation of the actual paints we use for Colour Run. The paints were donated by his business: RashanPani

FOSS PRESENTS THE

FRIDAY 16TH MAY

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Curriculum Summer Term (2)...

Below are the list of new topics that each year group will be starting for Summer Term (2) when we come back to school on Monday 2nd June.

- EYFS: The new topic is 'Oh I Do Like To Be Beside The Seaside.' Immersion day is Monday 2nd June.

 We would like to invite the children to come to school dressed in their holiday clothes or as a Pirate.
- **YEAR 1:** The new topic is **'Far, Far Away'** with a focus on Peter Pan. Immersion day is on **Friday 6th June 2025**. Children are invited to come to school dressed for 'Pirate and Fairy Day' on Friday 6th June.
- **YEAR 2:** The new topic is 'No Place Like Home.' Immersion day is on Monday 2nd June. We will be immersing ourselves in science and plants. No costumes required.
- YEAR 3: The new topic is 'Imagine That—Child of Our Time' with a focus on comparing the lives of children today to the lives of children from 30 / 50 and 100 years ago. Immersion day is on Thursday 6th June 2025.

 Please can all children bring in a picture of their parent or grandparent as a child, thank you.
- YEAR 4: The new topic is 'Eureka' with a focus on electricity and British Inventions.
- **YEAR 5 :** The new topic is 'Magical Mystery Tour' with a focus on architecture in Milton Keynes/Bletchley. Immersion day is on Monday 9th June 2025.
- **YEAR 6:** The new topic is 'A Moment In Time' with a focus on circulatory systems. We will also be immersing ourselves into our Production of Grease.

Staff Updates...



WEDDING

We are pleased to congratulate Mrs Roz Thomas, who works in the office, on her recent marriage on Saturday 3rd May. She will now be known as Mrs Doherty. Congratulations.



GOODBYE

On Friday 23rd May we say goodbye to Mrs Jo de Fraine our School Business Manager. Jo has been with us for two and a half years and goes on to follow her career in another school. We wish her all the best for this next chapter and will miss her.



WELCOME BACK

On Monday 2nd June we welcome back Miss Emily Webb from her maternity leave with her twins! We can't wait to give her a warm welcome back to Summerfield. The children and staff are excited.

School Chickens...



WOULD YOU LIKE TO HELP WITH OUR CHICKENS?

We need help with looking after our Chickens over the **Summer holidays**.

Jobs will include letting them out, putting them away, changing water and topping up food.

FULL TRAINING WILL BE GIVEN.

If you would like to volunteer to help, we will add you to our rota. We are looking for volunteers to do 2/3 days.

Please contact the School Office (01908 662585) or email: office@summerfieldschool.org and we can add you to our volunteers list.







