

Cawston Church of England Primary Academy

May 2019

News letter

Confident Individuals

We are always pleased to see our pupils grow in confidence in a range of activities. Our enrichment clubs give pupils the opportunity to attend a range of sporting and artistic activities. We also have children who get on confidently in activities out of school such as swimming, football, rugby, horse riding, Karate and dance.

Responsible Citizens

Our Collective Worship theme is **Compassion** so we will be looking at the many ways that people in our community show kindness and empathy towards others. Thank you for the great contribution to school life by the School Council, the Eco Team, our Year 6 Prefects and Buddies, our Peer Mediators and all the children who take part actively in class and group discussions.

GLOBAL ISSUES

We encourage our pupils to be aware of global issues that affect other people, their own futures and the planet.

We have a Global Neighbourhood Action Plan to help identify ways in which the children can support campaigns and these are linked with our assemblies and classroom discussions. If you have any links with organisations that help with poverty, homelessness or climate change please let us know 😊

Successful Learners

The teachers are working hard to make sure that all the children make good progress in their learning. **All** classes will be doing tests in May. **EVERY** class will be having the usual Summer Term Assessments in the next few weeks. Please help your child to have early bedtimes, **8.55** registers, healthy breakfasts and exercise! **Good attendance at school is so important.**

We are looking for Stars of the Week! You will be informed about your child's learning in all subjects in their Annual Reports in July.

Year 2: The National Curriculum assessments in Reading, Writing, Spelling/Grammar and Maths are marked and sent to the LA and the DfE.

Year 6: The SATs in Reading, Spelling/Grammar and Maths are during the week 13th -17th May. The papers will be sent for external marking as usual and the results, including Writing, sent to High School and reported nationally. We also send our Teacher Assessment results.

School Rules

Thank you for making sure that the children come into school looking smart. Here are a few reminders:

EAR RINGS -only studs -none for PE

NAIL VARNISH is NOT allowed

SHOES -School shoes -not trainers. No open-toed sandals.

HAIR No fashion cuts, shaves or dyes.

To prevent spread of nits/ lice

All Long hair to be tied back.

Use nit combs after hair washing/ conditioner. Check whole family for 'nits' weekly.

PUPIL VIEWS April 2019

Questionnaire taken by all children.

Percentages

	<u>Agree</u>
I enjoy school.	96
Teachers help me to do my best.	99
My teachers give me work that challenges me.	99
I enjoy learning at this school.	99
Teachers listen to what I have to say in lessons.	99
There is an adult at school I can talk to if I am worried.	95
The behaviour of other pupils in my lessons is good.	91
The behaviour of other pupils around school is good.	98
Bullying is not a problem at school.	96
I feel safe when I am at school.	95
My school helps me to keep fit and healthy.	99
My school helps me with my emotional and mental health.	94
I take part in school activities outside of lessons -clubs, sports	92
My school encourages me to be independent and take on responsibilities.	99
My school encourages me to respect people from other backgrounds and to treat everyone equally.	98
My school gives me information about my next steps.	98
I would recommend this school to a friend moving to the area.	98

We will consider these responses and as always we will continue to make improvements for all children at our school.

CONGRATULATIONS

Stars of the Week: Amber, Amelia P, Molly, Lilly-Mai, Charlie I and Joshua T.

Citizens of the Week: Freya E-P, Ivy, Elsie-May, Fred D, William B and Ruby.

5 Stars Award: Angel, Phoebe, Annie, Poppy, Casey, Eadlin, Sylvie, Imogen, Ivy, Isla P, Molly, Jasmine W, Marcella, Dominic, Hannah J, Conor K April, Saskia, Lucas wo, Sophie B, William B, Arthur L, Lila, Lilly-Mai, Millie S, George B and Joseph T-D.

Sportasaurus Award: Lila and Eleanor B.

Kindness Cup: Eadlin

Health & Fitness Cup: Saskia

We asked for the Pupil Views

What I like most about my school:

Playtimes- the Playzone and Smooga.

“The teachers and children are kind.

The teachers help us to do our best.

Everyone is enthusiastic.

We do lots of sports.

We have lots of responsibilities and

duties. We learn different languages.

Clubs, visits and school trips.

There is always someone to talk to if I'm upset.

It is a great school!”

It would be even better if.....

“There were more baking lessons, more playtimes, more iPads, more standing desks.

We would like a school orchestra, a

Quidditch club, a drama club, a long jump pit, and trampolines.

I like it how it is!”

DIARY DAIRY

<u>MAY</u>		
Mon 6 th		Bank Holiday
Mon 13 th -Fri 17 th		Y6 SATs Week
Mon 27 th -Fri 31 st		HALF TERM HOLIDAY
<u>JUNE</u>		
Mon 3 rd		School Opens
Mon 3 rd - Wed 5 th		Y5/6 Brancaster Visit
Mon 10 th – Fri 14 th		Y1 Phonics Screening
<u>JULY</u>		
Tues 2 nd	10am	SPORTS DAY
(Weds 10 th	10am)	Sports if postponed
Fri 5 th		For tombola prizes
Sun 7 th	1-4pm	Summer Fair
Thur 11 th & Fri 12 th		Move Up Days Y6 RHS
Thurs 11 th -Fri 12 th		Y4 Holt Hall Camp
Weds 24 th	2.30	Y6 Leavers Assembly
	3.15	END OF YEAR
<u>2019-2020</u>		
Weds 4 th SEPT		AUTUMN TERM begins
Oct 21 st –25 th		Half Term Holiday
19 th Dec -3 rd Jan		Christmas Holidays
17 th – 21 st Feb		Half term Holiday
2 nd -17 th April		Easter Holidays
25 th –29 th May		Half term Holiday
Tues 21 st July		3.15pm End Year