

# 'Be kind, be curious, be you'

# 5th July 2024 Bulletin

#### Headteacher update:

There has been much excitement about minibeasts in school this week. From the release of the newly emerged Painted Lady butterflies in Year 1 to the fascination of our Reception children when looking closely at snails; learning that they only have one foot!

Children have also been finding out about democracy and the importance of being able to share your views through voting. As well as understanding what voting for choices in their classroom means to them, we have also touched on the General Election and what that means.

Your support of the governor vote for us to join Cathedral Schools Trust has not led to an immediate or noticeable change (this happened without fanfare on Monday 1st July!) however, we have already begun our collaboration with the other Primary Schools through teacher meetings and a pupil event and hope to be able to share more news soon.

Please keep an eye on the class blogs and calendar dates as the end of term comes with some timetable changes.

Have a great weekend.

Kind Regards,

Gemma Fricker

Photos and information about what has been happening in classes, the learning plans as well as important messages from teachers are all found in the class blogs (click below)

### Coming up:

Wednesday 10th-Annual Reports shared Thursday 11th 9:30-Year 2 play performance to parents/carers Thursday 18th 9:10-Year 2 leavers Assembly

Friday 19th-End of Term (non-uniform) 22nd & 23rd July INSET

Click below for the school calendar



Days



Buttercup Class: Sasha and Imogen Daisy Class: Elena Daffodil Class: Alfred Bluebell Class: Erin Cherry Class: Rory Maple Class: Elena Sycamore Class: Etta

Class of the Week: Bluebell Class for being friendly and welcoming





Curriculum Update: Summer Reading Challenge 2024



We're so excited to reveal that the theme for this year's #SummerReadingChallenge is **Marvellous** 

**Makers!** Developed in partnership with <u>Create</u> a leading charity bringing the creative arts to those who need it most, this year's Challenge aims to fire up children's imaginations and unleash storytelling and creativity through the power of reading.

The annual Challenge is delivered in partnership with public libraries, and it's free to take part. From June to September, children taking part in 'Marvellous Makers' can discover new stories and explore their creativity – from junk modelling to craft to drawing and painting.

## How to take part

Children can join at the library from Saturday 6th July. To take part in the library, simply pick up a free folder, collect stickers and then read at least 6 library books. At the end the reward is a brilliant Summer Reading Challenge medal! Children & families can also take part online.

To take part online go

to <u>summerreadingchallenge.org.uk/</u> where children create their own profile with the assistance of an adult. Children are encouraged to read library books, digital eBooks and listen to eAudio books. With fun digital activities, digital badges & a downloadable certificate when they finish.

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Another great week of children 'reading for the stars!'

Congratulations everyone!



There will be a second hand uniform sale TODAY after school in the playground. Cash and card accepted!

Click <u>here</u> for more news on the FHIS webpage:

#### Important Messages:

Overloaded Coat Pegs:

Please can any unnecessary bags be left at home as the pegs are designed for coats and PE kit bags only. Ruck sacks tend to coer 2 or 3 pegs and lead to lost items as they fall on the floor.

Umbrellas are not permitted in school so please take these home with you when you drop off.



To book breakfast club, after school club or sports enrichment click <u>here</u>. To see more enrichment opportunities visit our <u>extra-curricular clubs page</u>.

#### **Breakfast Club**

Weekdays 8.00am – 8.45am







