



"Wherever the river flows,
 life will flourish"

Head teacher's message

Next week, we are all eagerly anticipating the Year3/4 production. This week, the children (and adults) have been working hard in rehearsals to ensure they have an amazing event to share with their families. As part of their enquiry learning, Year 5 visited the Corinium Museum in Cirencester. The children took part in a workshop to explore about how archaeologists found out about 'who stood here before us'. Year 5 rounded off their week by inviting Jane and her team of volunteers to school to showcase 'Easter in a box'. An incredible story telling experience which the children always love. Finally, our Year 6 children spent most of the day taking part in an engineering workshop with students from UWE. They finished their day by testing their parachutes - investigating which was the best by dropping them from a height whilst attached to an egg. Our last week of term next week with lots to fit in!

Have a lovely weekend

Mr Nesbitt & Mr Cockle.

Team Points

A great effort from children this week, **Wick Court** has topped the leader board with 114 points, Well done all!

River Boyd - 50 **Wick Court - 114**

Golden Valley - 93 **19 Blue Lodge - 58**

Team points

FOWS

Thank you for your continued support at our events this year. We are pleased to have recently been able to fund a new mud kitchen and some SEN chairs which allow the movement some students require. These should be arriving at school soon and we hope the children enjoy using them.

We are looking at which events to run after Easter and have created this form and would appreciate it if you could let us know which events you would like us to put on:

<https://forms.gle/reoAkCz4GFA8fVZ48>

Thank you for your input.



	% Attendance Last week
Badgers	91.3
Deer	97.9
Foxes	99.3
Magpies	96.2
Owls	95.7
Peregrines	95.4
Woodpeckers	95.4
Whole School	96

A big well done to Foxes class for achieving the highest attendance during last week.



Peregrines in motion! Lights. Camera. Action.

Easter the movie came to Peregrine class on Tuesday courtesy of Jane, Billy and her amazing team of volunteers. The children were excellent philosophers delving deeper into the story through a range of thought provoking props and adult lead discussion. Mrs Barret was incredibly proud of how well each member of Peregrine's class conducted themselves during the morning. A huge thank you to Jane and her amazing team!



Headteacher Awards



Ava

Cora

Kallum

Jaxson

Christiana

Charlie

Elysia

Stars of the week this week awarded to:

Scarlett Monty Sammy Dottie
Ada Logan Lissy Raya Kate
Ronnie Noah Grace G Ben Nina S

Value certificates this week
awarded to:

Grace L Bobby Kasper
Bella V Finley Blu Illia

Children proudly showing their certificates!



Diary Dates - Dates in bold indicate newly added this week

Term 4

Wednesday 27th March - Year 3 and 4 Production (Evening 6pm)

Thursday 28th March - Year 3 and 4 Production (Afternoon 1.45pm)

Wednesday 27th March - Rocksteady Concert 2.30pm

Thursday 28th March - Easter Service @ 10.45am All welcome

Term 5

Tuesday 16th April - Parents Evenings YR-Y4 (booking link sent 18.03.24)

Wednesday 17th April - Parents Evenings YR-Y6 (booking link sent 18.03.24)

Thursday 18th April - Parents Evenings Y5 & Y6 only (booking link sent 18.03.24)

Wednesday 1st May - Year 1 & 2 Trip to Bristol Zoo project (information emailed 27.02.24)

Term 6

Monday 3rd-Friday 7th June - Year 6 Camp

W/C 10th June - Block Swimming Lessons pm Year 4

Tuesday 11th June - Badger Trip to Noah's Ark Zoo Farm (information to follow)

W/C 17th June - Block Swimming Lessons pm Year 3

W/C 17th June - Sports Week

Wednesday 19th June - Sports Day (KS1 afternoon & KS2 morning)

Wednesday 26th June - Class Photos

Thursday 4th & Friday 5th July - Year 2 Camp

Friday 5th July - Y3 Trip to The Mathew (information sent 20.03.24)

Tuesday 23rd July - Leavers Service 11am

Tuesday 23rd July - Last day of term 6 - a reminder that children finish at 12:15

2023/2024

Term	Starts	Ends
Term 1	Friday 1 September 2023	Friday 20 October 2023
Term 2	Monday 30 October 2023	Friday 15 December 2023
Term 3	Tuesday 2 January 2024	Friday 9 February 2024
Term 4	Monday 19 February 2024	Thursday 28 March 2024
Term 5	Monday 15 April 2024	Friday 24 May 2024
Term 6	Monday 3 June 2024	Tuesday 23 July 2024

INSETS

2023/2024

Monday 8th July 2024



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