

10th June 2022



Dear Parents/Carers

Welcome back to the final half term of the year. I hope you all enjoyed a good half term break and some Jubilee festivities. We were very proud of our children's display in the church and hope that you were able to visit to see it.

It doesn't seem possible that we have reached this point in the year already. We are now approaching a very exciting point for the children, with some preparing for transition to high schools, going on residential trips and all of us looking forward to the sunny weather and sports day. Please see below for details of teaching arrangements for 2022/23.

Tessa Sait

Executive Headteacher

PSHE

As part of our PSHE lessons this half term, all children will be learning the 'Changing Me' element of our Jigsaw programme. The aim of this is to give children their entitlement to information about relationships, puberty and human reproduction, appropriate to their ages and stages of development. This work is treated in a matter-of-fact and sensitive manner and helps children to cope with the change, including puberty, and to learn about healthy relationships.

We believe this work is an important part of safeguarding children, as knowledge empowers them, helping them to stay safe and cope with puberty, understanding why their bodies change.

Please note: at no point will a child be taught something that is inappropriate; and if a question from a child arises and the teacher feels it would be inappropriate to answer, (for example, because of its mature or explicit nature), the child will be encouraged to ask his/her parents or carers at home. The question will not be answered to the child or class if it is outside the remit of that year group's programme.

The 'Changing Me Puzzle' is all about coping positively with change and includes:

Reception – Growing up: how we have changed since we were babies.

Year 1 – Boys' and girls' bodies: correct names for body parts.

Year 2 – Boys' and girls' bodies: body parts and respecting privacy (which parts of the body are private and why this is).

Year 3 – How babies grow and how boys' and girls' bodies change as they grow older. Introduction to puberty and menstruation.

Year 4 – Internal and external reproductive body parts. Recap about puberty and menstruation. Conception explained in simple terms.

Year 5 – Puberty for boys and girls in more detail, including the social and emotional aspects of becoming an adolescent. Conception explained in simple biological terms.

Year 6 – Puberty for boys and girls revisited. Understanding conception to the birth of a baby. Becoming a teenager.

All lessons are taught using correct terminology, child-friendly language and diagrams.
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If you have any questions at all, please speak to your class teacher or Mrs King (PSHE Lead)

Teaching Staff – September 2022

EYFS – Mrs King

Year 1 – Miss Adams (joining us from Mendlesham School)

Year 2 – Mrs Hopkins

Year 3 – Mrs Thomas

Year 4 – Miss Freeman

Year 5 – Miss Sadler

Year 6 – Miss Proctor/Mrs Clarke

All children will have the opportunity to spend time with their new class teachers on 4th and 5th July.

A meet the teacher date will be arranged for parents early in the autumn term.

House Points

The total house points for this term are as follows:

- 1st – Blue - 72
- 2nd – Red - 66
- 3rd – Green - 52
- 4th – Yellow - 44

Congratulations

Blue Team for being the winners this Week

Times Tables Rockstars

The most coins scored this week is: -

- 1st – Isla B - 16612
- 2nd – Kacie - 3168
- 3rd – Aurora - 2578
- 4th – Ivan - 2510
- 5th – Jesse - 2109

A big WELL DONE to Isla for scoring the most coins. Keep up the good work.

Can you beat Isla next week?

Lunch Menu

Week Commencing 13th June 2022

Monday

Margarita Pizza/Tomato & Lentil Bake/Jacket Potato
Apple Crumble & Ice Cream

Tuesday

Pork & Apple Burger/Frankfurter Hot Dog & Tomato Ketchup/Jacket Potato
Chocolate Krispie Cake

Wednesday

Roast Chicken with Stuffing & Gravy, Potatoes, Veg & Gravy/Vegetarian Toad in the Hole
Ice Cream Tub

Thursday

Chicken Pasta/Ratatouille Pasta/Jacket Potato
Carrot & Banana Cake

Friday

Breaded Fish Fingers/Vegan Nuggets
Chocolate Squares

Super Learners

Our Super learners this week are: -

- Reception – Freya
- Year 1 – Rocky
- Year 2 – George
- Year 3 – Amiah
- Year 4 – Lucas
- Year 5 – Coby
- Year 6 – Ellie

Congratulations to you all keep up the good work

Super Learner Bacton Behaviours Certificates

- Reception – Ava-Esme
- Year 1 – Mason
- Year 2 – Brody
- Year 3 – Arthur
- Year 4 – Mia
- Year 5 – Sophia
- Year 6 – Conor

Well done to you all for being kind to others.

Key Dates: 21/22

Year 6 Bikeability: 14th to 17th June

Sports Day: Wednesday 22nd June @ 1:00pm

Class Group Photos: Monday 27th June

Year 6 Crucial Crew Trip: Monday 27th June

Year 6 Residential: 6th to 8th July

Leavers Assembly: Thursday 21st July @ 9:30am

Last Day of Term: Thursday 21st July

Pupils Back in School: Monday 5th September

Attendance This Week

As we know, good attendance at school supports pupils' attainment and well-being, this is especially important following the year of partial school closures.

- Robin: 92.7%
- Finch: 94.9%
- Kingfisher: 93.7%
- Woodpecker: 92.3%
- Kestrel: 93.9%
- Owl: 94.6%
- Eagle: 93.0%

Congratulations

Well done Finch Class for the best attendance this week