



We are all created unique and special.

He made us all perfect having our own uniqueness.

1 Peter 4:10-11 "God has given each of you a gift from his great variety of spiritual gifts. Use them well to serve one another."

Dear Parents/Carers,

Further to our email this week we are still collecting donations for Harvest Festival. Ideally tins of food or any dry food items will be acceptable. We will then donate these to Windsor Foodshare. Windsor Foodshare provides short term weekly help in the form of non-perishable foods, bread, eggs, fresh fruit, and vegetables to any local household in which due to a lack of funds there is a likelihood of an individual becoming hungry. We will be celebrating Harvest Festival with the children in assembly.

Wishing you a lovely Weekend, Marie Bergin and Helen Wiltshire (Assistant Headteachers)



LEARNING SNAPSHOTS

Year 1 have enjoyed using story bags to tell stories. They worked in groups and shared their stories with the class. In Maths they have all worked hard at 'greater than, less than and equal to.' We have used lots of maths resources to support the learning. Finally, the children have been completing phonics and reading assessments this week. We are incredibly grateful for the reading comments that the parents are leaving in the books – this helps.

Ask me: What are the symbols for greater than, less than and equal to?



Year 2 started the week with a lovely sunny PE session working on the accuracy of their rolling and started to learn strategies to stop the ball. They then cooked a vegetable casserole which lots of the class tried, some eating multiple bowls worth! During an afternoon play, some children showed great teamwork and imagination when they set up a 'floor is lava' obstacle course.

Ask me: What ingredients were in the vegetable casserole?



Year 3 have really enjoyed cooking this week! We have made ratatouille and taco fillings. The children have really enjoyed trying all their food. They also loved their cross-country competition and everyone tried their hardest!

Ask me: How to make ratatouille



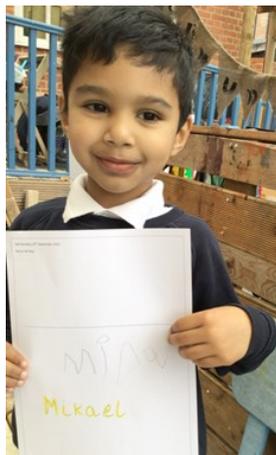
Year 4 visited Windsor Boys' School to take part in a cross-country event. They all tried their best and enjoyed the opportunity. We have also begun our art topic this week, looking at weaving through time, and children will be creating their own weaving artwork using looms in the next few lessons. In English, we have been focusing on part of our story and children have completed some drama activities; the children will be writing newspaper reports in the coming lessons.

Ask me: How do you weave?



Reception have finished their first project Let's Explore. The children have sent photos in of adventures they have been on and enjoyed sharing these with each other, asking questions to find out more. The children then spent time drawing pictures of their adventures. We have been practising name writing and recognition this week and have enjoyed spending more time playing in our environment.

Ask me: What has been your favourite adventure?



FORTHCOMING DATES

14th October	Flu Immunisations All Years
16th October	Express Event All Years 2:50
22nd October	Term ends for Children
23rd and 24th October	Inset Days School closed for all children

Hair bands Needed

If you have any spare hairbands in good condition or would like to purchase any for school it would be greatly appreciated.

We are getting through a lot and could do with some spare ones.

Any donations can be dropped to the school office

Many Thanks

Don't forget to book your lunches in advance on School Money.

Even if your child has **packed lunch** this still needs to be selected on the School Money system so we know we don't have to ask your child in the morning.



Sparkly Green



CELEBRATION

The results of this week's celebration awards

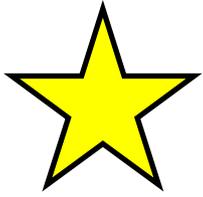
ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS

Reception: Bobby and Olivia
Year 1: India and Jameela
Year 2: Lara and Violet
Year 3: Seva and Fraser
Year 4: Dylan and Yavi

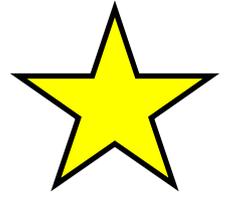
PUPIL OF THE WEEK

Reception: Crystal
Year 1: Fajr
Year 2: Eesa
Year 3: Otilie
Year 4: Jasmine

A huge well done to all of these children.
We are really proud of you.



PTA UPDATE



We hope you all had a wonderful summer and that the children are settling happily into their new classes.

Last year was our most successful year of fundraising since I joined the PTA back in 2019 – together, we raised just over £10,000! This is an amazing achievement for a school of our size, and we couldn't have done it without your support.

Thanks to these funds, we were able to provide:

15 iPads

Maths resources for every classroom (books, Times Table Rock Stars, Numbots, etc.)

A 5-year maintenance check for our fantastic garden trim trail

A contribution towards the School Money system (making online payments much easier!)

Year 4 leavers' books

Pencils, pens and colouring supplies for every classroom

Your generosity really does make a difference to the children every day—thank you!

Christmas Raffle – Can You Help?

We know it's only October, but our Christmas Raffle is one of our biggest fundraisers of the year. Last year we raised an amazing £1,062.12—let's see if we can beat that this year!

We're already starting to contact companies for prize donations. If you have any connections with businesses who might be willing to donate, please get in touch with Jaz on 07904 382757. We're a registered charity and can provide a letter template to make things easier.

To avoid duplications, we also keep a record of which companies have been approached—so if you'd like to help, just let us know.

Pre-Loved Uniform Sale

Thank you to everyone who supported our uniform flash sales at the start of term—we raised £134.49!

We'll now be doing a stock take and moving our pre-loved uniform store online. In the next 2–3 weeks, you'll be able to buy items directly through the School Money system. We'll let you know as soon as it's live.

PTA AGM

Our Annual General Meeting will be taking place in November (date to be confirmed). We're also hoping to organise a relaxed social get-together beforehand—details to follow soon.

We'd love to see as many parents as possible get involved. Remember, every penny we raise goes straight back into enriching your child's experience at our wonderful school.

Best wishes, Pete & Jaz, Co-Chairs