

St Wilfrid's CE Primary School, Northenden

Weekly Newsletter



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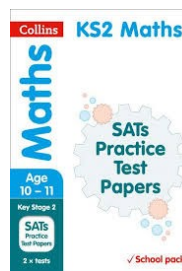


I've been blown away by the children's enthusiasm and perseverance this week across the school, but certainly with both our Year 6 classes. Our Year 6 children are certainly geared up and hopefully feeling stress free after Miss Vermuelen's debate this week.

A huge thank you also to all the recycling with the batteries. I have seen many children collecting the batteries to put into our recycling tub and I know the children are eagerly thinking and coming up with more creative ways to come up with different ideas. Enjoy the weekend, Helena Miller.

National Assessments

The Key Stage 1 testing window is now open and we have begun assessing the children in Y2 in reading and maths; their writing is on-going until next term. Please encourage your children to be in school every day, rested, fed and ready to learn. They're doing great so far! The Key Stage 2 SATS week begins on **Monday 14th May** (next week). Year 6 children are more than welcome to come in early and access our breakfast club for a relaxed start to their morning, free of charge.



Scooters and Bikes

We're really pleased that chil-



dren scoot and bike to school, but **please remind children not to scoot on school grounds and walk towards the scooter and bike parking bays.**

Attendance and Punctuality

A big well done to.....

Group	% Attend	Year 3	97.0
Nur 2	93.4	Year 3/4	93.3
Rec 1	96.6	Year 4	97.0
Rec 2	92.5	Year 5	99.1
Year 1	98.6	Year 5/6	98.9
Year 1/2	94.0	Year 6	96.3
Year 2	100.0	Totals	96.7

95.1 – 100%

90 – 95%

Below 90%

Lost Property

We could start a clothes mountain with the amount of lost property which we collect in. The vast majority of stuff does not have any names or identifiable markings to show who it belongs too. We remind the children throughout the day to collect jumpers and belongings from wherever they have been; this includes if they have taken off jackets/jumpers outside because they are too warm. Each day we see lots of things left outside or on the floor and these are taken to the lost property area in the bottom playground. Anything not collected by the end of a term is bagged up and donated to Charity. Please have a chat to your children about this....it must frustrate you losing things which cost money! Thank you

Key Dates for the Summer Term 2018

Mon 14th May:	KS 2 SATs all week Maths 'Airport' Workshop for Year 5
Thursday 17th May:	Outdoor Classroom Day (Mrs Peters to provide more information in due course)
Friday 18th May:	'Bee' to come to St Wilfrid's Maths Airport Workshop for Year 5
Mon 21st May:	Health Week-Miss Bartlett & Mrs Stevenson EYFS/KS 1 Sports Morning (9:15am start)—please note change of date
Tues 22nd May:	Year 3 and Year 4 Watkins Drama Day (History) Year 5&6 talk from Manchester Metropolitan University
Thurs 24th May:	Whitsun Service at St Wilfrid's Church led by Yr 3 and Yr 4 children
Fri 25th May:	KS 2 Sports Morning 9:15am start Break up at 3:00pm/3:10pm
Monday 11th June:	Return to School for Summer 2 Year 1 Phonics Check all week
Fri 15th June:	Race for Life—more details from Miss Bartlett to follow
Wed 20th June:	Nursery Class Celebration of work at 9am
Friday 22nd June:	PTA Own Clothes Day—Please bring a bottle
Tuesday 26th June:	Maths Cluster Quiz for Yr 3, 4 & 5 at Button Lane
Friday 29th June:	PTA Own Clothes Day—Please bring chocolates
Saturday 30th June:	PTA Summer Fair
Thursday 5th July:	Yr 6 to Crucial Crew
Wed 11th July:	Transition Day
Thursday 12th July:	Music Concert for parents. Mrs Lovatt to confirm details in due course
Tuesday 17th July:	Year 3&4 Watkins Celebration Assembly @ 9:00am
Wed 18th July:	Yr 6 Leavers Assembly to parents
Thursday 19th July:	Leavers' Service at St Wilfrid's led by Yr 5&6 at 9:30am
Friday 20th July:	Break Up for Summer Holidays. Yr 6 finish at 1:30pm; All Others at 2:00pm

PLEASE NOTE THESE DATES MAY BE SUBJECT TO CHANGE AND ADDITIONAL EVENTS MAY BE ADDED. PLEASE CHECK THE WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

Class Assembly Reminders	Dates
Nursery – Mrs Hope and Mrs Lovatt	Wednesday 20 th June 2018
Year 1/2 – Mrs Argles	Wednesday 27 th June 2018

The Big Question this week is:

Why do some people do extraordinary things?

Thursday 17th May LUNCH

Come and join us for fun at lunchtime for our buffet lunch. All are welcome to join. Please log onto your SIMS Agora account or see Mrs Hollins or Mrs Edwards for your child to have a school lunch on this day.

Manchester Bee

A huge thank you to everyone for the donations today and to all the children for looking splendid in their yellow and black clothes. Attached is a template for the children to contribute their designs



Our Trust Bee will incorporate all three schools into the design and will be called the 'Beelonging...Beelieving...Becoming Bee.'

The children are only allowed to use colours from these logos.

Good luck—designs to be in by Thursday 17th May

Gold Award Winners: Presented on Friday 18th May 2018

	Gold Jumper Award
Reception 1 Miss Swinburn	Katherine Pond
Reception 2 Mrs Peters	Raphael Obichukwu
Year 1 Mrs Doyle	Libby Smith
Year 1/2 Mrs Argles	Isabelle Harvey
Year 2 Mrs Stevenson/Mrs Batman	Faith Chapman
Year 3 Mrs Taylor	Amber Snelson
Year 3/4 Mrs Dhaliwal	Finlay Jarratt
Year 4 Miss Clark	Ruby Nivison
Year 5 Mr Goodwin	Lucy Abbott
Year 5/6 Miss Bartlett	Faye Norton
Year 6 Miss Vermeulen	Jamie Bushell

Gold jumpers

Just to let you all know that next weeks Gold Award Assembly will only be for Gold Jumper Awards and not Badges, this is due to introducing the trust Bee to the children.

Sport Mornings (from Miss Bartlett)

Letters have been distributed today regarding Sports Mornings. EYFS and KS1 is taking place on Monday 21st May from 9:15am and KS2 Sports Morning is taking place on Friday 25th May from 9:15am. On both days, refreshments will be available for parents and younger children in the dinner hall (from 8:45am).

We ask that children come to school in their school PE kit that day and will not be required to change into their school uniform at any point. It is extremely important that the children are wearing trainers suitable for running (ie. not plimsolls, hi-tops or regular school shoes). If the weather is particularly cold, extra layers will be useful. Conversely, sun hats/sun cream should be worn if we are blessed with warm weather and blue skies. In the event of a warm day, please ensure any sun cream is applied in the morning prior to arriving at school as we are unable to apply this when in school. All children must bring a labelled bottle of water to school that day to keep hydrated.

Please see letter for further details (also sent via Parent Mail and Class DOJO).

Extra-Curricular Activities: Week Beginning 14.05.2018

MONDAY: 14th May

7:45am-Breakfast club.

3.15-4.00. Choir

3.15-4.15 *External Provider Gymnastics*

3.15-4.15 *External Provider MCFC*

3.15-4.00 Library for Yr 1—2

3.15—4.00 Literacy Year 6 only

Tuesday 15th May

7.45am-Breakfast club

3.15-4.15 *External provider junior sports stars*

3.15-4.00 Cross Country Running

3.15-4.00 Cookery

3.15-4.00 Arts and Crafts

3.15-4.00 I Pads

Wednesday: 16th May

7.45am-Breakfast Club

School Council (Lunchtime)

3.15-4.15 *External Provider MCFC Cricket*

Thursday: 17th May

7.45am-Breakfast Club

3.15-4.00 Multi-sports : Rounders and Fitness

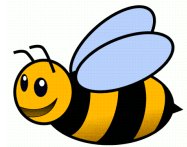
3.15-4.00 Maths Booster Year 6

3.15-4.00 Board Games

Friday: 18th May

7.45am-Breakfast Club

3.15-4.15 *External Provider Tennis*



MCFC Choir (from Miss Bartlett)

On Wednesday, a group of children performed at Manchester City's ground as part of the Every Colour choir. They were amazing and sang beautifully despite the rain. Their commitment to learning the songs in their break and lunchtimes is impressive and we are extremely proud of them! They have represented our school so wonderfully!

Well done.

