

General Information

Dear Parents,
Welcome to your fourth issue of the Primary News!
Enjoy reading about what the children have been doing.

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Primary Learning: News, Updates and Developments

In Emerald Class last week, learners got out their explorer bags as the weather has been so glorious and explored the Outside Learning Environment. Each Learner enjoyed getting out of their chairs and experiencing the tactile and sensory zones.

The highlight of Sapphire and Ruby class last week was a visit to Southend Pier as part of their learning about the seaside. The weather was perfect and a great time was had by all. The children walked up the pier looking for various features on a 'treasure hunt'. At the end of the pier they enjoyed their lunch and exploring before catching a train ride back to the mainland. There was lots of singing on the train. The children enjoyed an ice cream or some chips before travelling back to school.



On Friday there was lots of excitement as the children got to see a film crew working in school and there was a leaving party for Helen Hanbury our chair of governors.

This week Primary have been enjoying singing a range of songs together in music, controlling their percussion instruments to play loud and quiet.

Emerald and Sapphire class worked together on a range of parachute games in PE. Emerald have been thinking about their 'hopes and dreams' for next year.

Sapphire class have followed up their homework looking at the strength of towers. They have made their own seaside in a bottle and practised their fractions.



Ruby class have been practising their coin recognition and using coins to add and find totals. They have been using a computer programme to help them write sentences about children at the seaside.

The children have been to visit their new class groupings for September. The groups will be known as Ash, Birch and Oak.

Stars of the Week

7th July

Emerald: Leo for amazing maths work

Sapphire: Amiee for good observational skills on our seaside treasure hunt

Ruby: Grace for good communication

14th July

Emerald: Alfie for returning to school with enthusiasm

Sapphire: Lukas for signing during a 'good morning' song in music

Ruby: Brooklyn for working well with puzzles



A very big WELL DONE!

Thank you to all parents and carers for your support this year. The Primary Team wish you all a lovely summer break.



Diary Dates and Upcoming Events

Next issue of the Primary News September.

- End of Term 21st July

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