

2021—2022



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| DATE | Time | Event |
|----------------------------|---------------|---|
| Term 5 May | | |
| Wk beginning 16th and 23rd | | Year 2 SATs |
| Wk Beginning 23rd 27th | All week | Yr 5 and 6 PGL Camp Break Up |
| Term 6 June | | |
| 6th | All day | INSET day |
| 7th | All day | Children return for term 6 |
| 8th | 2.30pm | Jubilee Picnic |
| 8th | 6.30pm | New Starter meeting for new Reception Parents |
| 10th | Am | Year 6 Cycle training |
| 16th | All day | Year 6 transition day to Winterbourne International Academy |
| July | | |
| 6th | All day | Year 6 transition day to Winterbourne International Academy |
| 11th | Am | Class change over day |
| 12th | All day | Sports Day |
| 21st | pm | Leavers Service |

This year's term dates are also shown below.

Term 5 Friday 27 May 2022

Term 6 Tuesday 7 June 2022 Thursday 21 July 2022

Next Year's INSET days so far....

1st September 2022 & 2nd September 2022



| | Before School | After school | After school |
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| Monday | | | Football Progressive Sports Multi Sports Gruffalo and Griffin |
| Tuesday | | | |
| Wednesday | | | Netball KS 2 |
| Thursday | STEM – Robotics Griffin Class 8.00am – 8.50am Year 3&4 | | |
| Friday | STEM – Robotics Phoenix Class 8.00am – 8.50am Year 5&6 | KS 2 Street Dance 3.30 – 4.30 Hall | Football Progressive Sports Gruffalo and Griffin Dragon and Phoenix |

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Message from the Head Teacher

Last week saw the Year 6 carry out their SATs tests. They have all worked incredibly hard for these, along with Mrs Price and Ms Davis. The children came into school early to enjoy a SATs breakfast as a team prior to each test which they thoroughly enjoyed. The perseverance shown by the children during this time was impressive and we hope they all do really well. It is not an easy job to be the first year to return to formal SATS after two years of cancellations due to COVID. Good luck to them all.

Likewise, year 2 are currently doing their own set of SATs papers. These are more gentle, taken over two weeks and less formal. However, equally important. Again we wish them all the best of luck.

This week in worship, as well as hearing about Jesus' visit to meet Mary and Martha in the Bible, we looked at the latest photos of the new building from my visit to the site on Monday. The children were, as expected, incredibly excited and asked lots of really thoughtful questions about what life will be like there. I have now arranged a second visit for the children which is on Tuesday 14th June. As before, if any parents are able to support with walking over to the site, please contact the class teacher. Thank you.

Provisional timetable

9.15am - Reception

10.15am - Phoenix

11.15am - Dragon

1.30pm - Gruffalo

2.30pm - Griffin



On Thursday we held **art workshops** with **Opus Glass**

who are creating our piece of public art in the new building. Jake and Celia, along with Emma from **Chandos Atelier** visited to work with the children in each class. The children had great fun trying out abstract ideas and getting messy with paint! It was so lovely to see so many of you pop into classes to have a look at the work the children were so proud of.

Next week year 5 and 6 will go off on their trip to **PGL** which I know they are all looking forward to. Let's hope the weather is sunny for them.. We look forward to hearing all about it when they return.

On Wednesday 8th June we will be celebrating the **Platinum Jubilee** in school. We would like to invite parents and carers to join us at 2:30 on the common to celebrate with us. Bring along your picnic blankets and baskets to enjoy a picnic with us. Please provide the children with a small picnic treat to enjoy in the afternoon. School lunches will be as normal. You may like to provide traditional British picnic food such as a sandwich, scones, strawberries, sausage rolls etc. Please remember no egg due to allergies. The children can wear non-uniform and it would be great if it could be red, white or blue. Let's hope the sun is shining!

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Business Enterprise Event. Year 4 and 5 spent last week working on their Enterprise project! This involved them taking a budget on £10 and coming up with something they could sell to make a profit. The project involved brain storming ideas, researching products and prices, creating / testing and finally selling. We set up our stalls on Monday 16th and sold our products and creations! Incredibly we managed to make £141.92 profit which we will now use to buy new playground equipment. Thanks to all the children, staff, parents and carers that helped make this happen.



Learning in Dragon Class

Wow, what an incredibly busy term we have had so far. Year 6 coped beautifully with their SATs week and we are very proud of them all. They all worked incredibly hard and tried their very best – helped along by a few pain au chocolates in SATs breakfast. We then had a very enjoyable and well-earned trip to the park as a reward. Great fun was had by all! We also had another treat as Mrs Shepherd joins us for our trip. We are very much looking forward to having her back in class soon!



In our English lessons, we have been learning how to develop our use of sentence length to build tension and interest for a reader. Using the video Dreamgiver as a stimulus we wrote narratives based on a dream. Mrs Price has been impressed by the use of amazing vocabulary. In Science, Year 6 have been learning about the circulatory system. We used drama to act out the process and have written explanation texts. We also made 'blood' using a variety of items to represent different parts of the blood. In RE we are finding out all about Moses as part of our People of God unit. The children have been interested to find out about the different parts of Moses' life.



A few months ago we had an exciting opportunity to take part in a 3D printing workshop with Renishaw. The children were very excited to receive their 3D printed keyrings that they had designed using Tinkercad: it really helped the children to understand how the process of 3D printing works and to explore the different roles and sectors in the engineering industry. Take a look at some of our fantastic designs.



Value for term 5: Friendship



Pause for Thought

This week: How can we show how much our friendships mean to us?

Taken from Hebrews 10:24-25
'And let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds'



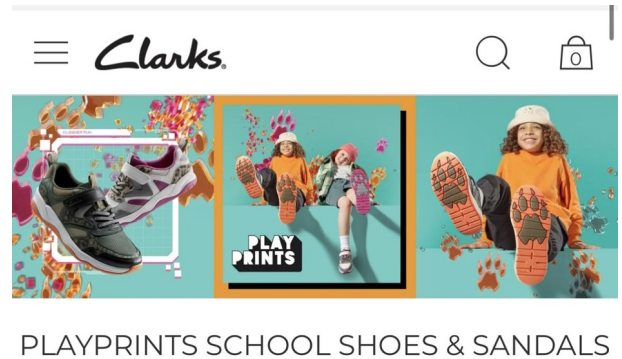
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The children's clothing shop Angel and Rocket is now open in Cabot circus. Clothing for ages 0-12 years. It's upstairs next to the entertainer. They are offering all parents at Frenchay Primary School 20% off purchases in the shop and 10% off online with the code **bristolreferrals**.

You can also see Rocco on the Clarks adverts. Well done Rocco.



Downend & Frenchay Tennis Club



May Half Term Holiday Camps

Come along for a fun action-packed day of tennis and multisport!

Tennis Camps for ages 5-12
Half Day £15
Whole Day £30

30th May & 1st June

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Sessions running Monday & Wednesday 9-12 & 12-3

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