



Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope you all had a restful and enjoyable half-term break. It's wonderful to see the children return with such enthusiasm, ready for the final half term of the academic year. We have a busy and exciting few weeks ahead, filled with opportunities to celebrate, connect, and reflect on all the progress made this year.

## Father's Day Events

We're delighted to be holding our annual Father's Day celebrations on **Friday 13<sup>th</sup> June** and **Monday 16<sup>th</sup> June**. These special events are a chance to recognise and appreciate all that fathers and fatherly figures do to support our pupils — whether at home, in school, or in the wider community. Please do ensure you have signed up to let us know you are attending. As always, thank you for your continued support. We look forward to a productive and joyful final half term.

**Séana Henry**  
Headteacher

## Excellent Learners

Congratulations to this week's Excellent Learners.

Class	Pupil
RA	Alize
RB	French Week
Y1	Abigal
1B	Juliet
Y2	Tommi
2B	French Week
Y3	Alice
3B	French Week
Y4	Linh
4B	Elise
Y5	Azael
5B	French Week
Y6	Maia
6B	Joy

## Important dates:

**Year 4 and Year 5 Secondary Transfer Event:** Monday 9 June, 6–7.30pm.  
at Belleville Primary School's Webb's Road site.

**Year 2 and Year 3 Sports Day:** Thursday 3 July, am.

**Reception and Year 1 Sports Day:** Thursday 3 July.

**Years 4, 5 and 6 Sports Day:** Wednesday 9 July, 9am – 12.30pm.

**Parent-Teacher Meetings (English stream):** Tuesday 15 July, 4pm to 8pm  
(all years) and Thursday 17 July, 4pm to 7pm (all years, except Year 3)

**Last day of Summer Term 2 (Bilingual stream):** Wednesday 16 July.

**Last day of Summer Term 2 (English stream):** Tuesday 22 July at 1.45pm.

Full term dates are [available on our website](#).

## Care Values

Congratulations to this week's CARE Value Stars.

Class	Pupil
RA	Ionie-marie
RB	French Week
Y1	Ilyan
1B	Elyas
Y2	Aide
2B	French Week
Y3	Sebastiano
3B	French Week
Y4	Leandro
4B	Oliver
Y5	Gaspard
5B	French Week
Y6	Danyal
6B	Milie

## Important information:

- Please ensure your child has **suitable clothing in school and sunscreen**. We have PE and play outside in all weathers.
- Please remember that we are a **Nut Free School**.
- Our [communication table](#) should signpost you to the right person to deal with any queries you have.

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## Our Week – Early Years and Key Stage 1

The **Nursery** class kicked off their new topic this week... Explorers. They were all very excited to see the role play area had been transformed into a jungle, complete with animals, a camouflage tent and all the equipment they would need for their explorations. They also spent the week making jungles using playdough and broccoli, counting animals and practising their new sound - u. They are excited to see what kind of amazing creatures and places they encounter on their explorations this term!



For **Reception**, this term's topic is the 'Big Bad World,' and the children have been looking at the jungle and the animals in it. To support this learning, they had a lot of fun creating their own binoculars for the roleplay and investigation areas.

*"My binoculars can see the bugs running into their house. Mine can see the elephants in the Jungle eating the long grass."*

This week in **Year 1**, the children really enjoyed our trip to Chelsea Physic Garden. They had great fun using their observational skills to hunt for pinecones, before finding different parts of plants around the garden to classify. They also enjoyed learning about different plants from around the world, including a banana tree and Venus flytraps! The children had a fantastic time, and it consolidated all their learning from their recent science unit all about plants.



In **1B**, the children have been looking at time in maths. They have been making and telling the time to the nearest hour and half hour, explaining how they know what the time is by describing the position of the minute and the hour hand.

**Year 2** have thoroughly enjoyed coming back to school and engaging in all their new topics. They are starting to look at different traditional tales in English, and they used their best acting skills to pretend to be the big bad wolf! The children are also very excited by their new topic in Geography - 'River'. They asked questions about rivers which they are hoping to find the answers to over this term.



## Our Week – Key Stage 2

**Year 3** have had a wonderful first week back! A particular highlight was researching their new Geography topic, the Mediterranean region. The children used iPads and atlases to explore the continents surrounding the Mediterranean Sea and created fact files, detailing their research.



**Year 4** have been discovering 'Living Things' in Science and have loved becoming researchers. They looked at different things on our planet, what makes them the same and what makes them different. It led to a very insightful discussion and gave the children opportunities to make connections with living things all around us!



**Year 5** had an exciting experience with a visit to Battersea Arts Centre to see the famous author Elle McNicoll. The pupils were thrilled to hear her read from her books and share the inspiration behind her stories. It was a fantastic opportunity for the children to engage with an author whose work many of them already love and it sparked lots of lively discussions back in the classroom!

**Year 6** pupils have started the new term with great energy by launching the Fiver Task: an exciting entrepreneurial challenge. Each group will be given a £5 budget to create their own small business, offering a product or service to sell to the rest of Key Stage 2.

The aim is to see who can generate the most profit, with all proceeds being pooled together to fund something special for the Year 6 pupils later in the term. This project is a brilliant opportunity for the children to develop teamwork, creativity, financial literacy, and entrepreneurial thinking.

In **6B**, the pupils are learning about WWII in History this term and they enjoyed using Now Press Play to launch their new topic. They were immersed in a story of a young evacuee and what life was like for them during air raid attacks on London and leaving their loved ones to stay with new families in the countryside.



Athletics season is always an exciting time in **PE** with pupils energetically preparing for sports day. During lessons, the pupils compete in their house teams and refine their techniques working on focus, balance, power and reaction time to achieve their best. Team captains have been actively coaching on the start lines and all efforts have been celebrated.