



# Drayton Community Infant School

Weekly Newsletter

07.05.2024



## OAK VALUE THIS WEEK WAS ASK LISTEN AND LEARN



Help kids **learn from mistakes** by talking openly about them and approaching them as **opportunities for learning.**

We focussed on learning from our mistakes. In assembly the children watched a clip of The Lion King when Simba decides to go back and face the mistakes he made. You can either run from it or you can learn from it. We also watched Peter denying Jesus 3 times on a video clip and discussed the mistake Peter made and how Jesus forgave him.

We thought about our values and how we must learn from our own mistakes. We must learn to forgive ourselves and others when mistakes are made.

## Play Equipment/Canopies

Just a reminder please can children refrain from playing with activities set up under class canopies. This is particularly an issue in reception where activities have been set up for the mornings learning and then touched by children in the class/siblings.

Please also refrain from playing with equipment that is on site such as balls/bats/footballs etc.

## Year 2 Parent Craft Monday 13<sup>th</sup> May at 1.30pm



Dear **Year 2** parents/carers, the staff of Year 2 would like to invite you to come and join us at **1.30pm on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> May** to help the children to make their Tudor Houses. The children are really excited about making their houses as they have loved learning about the Great Fire of London. Could we remind you that the children will be asking to bring some recyclables into school to build their houses with and could we also take this opportunity to thank those parents who have already brought in some things.

We look forward to seeing as many of you as possible on the 13<sup>th</sup>.

The Year 2 Team

## Meet The Staff



Miss Higgins Year One teacher and Phonics Lead

## Parking in the car park

# STAFF PARKING ONLY

BY MANAGMENT

The car park is for staff use only and those with parking permits. Whatever the weather or your time restrictions you may NOT park in the car park.

Parents with permits please display in your window.

Please do not put us in the position of having to ask you to not come into the car park. We are now standing at the double gates.

## Online Safety

We know it can be really challenging in today's world to keep our young people safe online, particularly with a constantly growing wealth of apps and games to be aware of. The NSPCC has some fantastic guidance that may help you talk with your children or set controls on your devices to make sure your children are accessing the online world safely.

<https://www.nspcc.org.uk/keeping-children-safe/online-safety/>



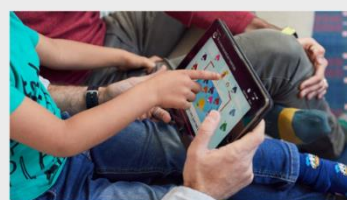
### Talking to your child about online safety

Advice on how to start the conversation and get support if you're worried.



### Online wellbeing

Helping young people to manage their mental wellbeing online.



### Parental controls

Get advice on setting up parental controls to help keep your child safe online.

On Friday 10<sup>th</sup> May our Year 2 children will be asked to complete a grid for the Junior school classes. On this grid they will be able to put the names of 5 children who they might like to be in class with at Drayton Juniors. It has been agreed that the children will be guaranteed at least one of their choices. Please talk to your children at home about who they would like to be with. The groups are then put together based on a mix of girls/boys/birth date/ability/SEND/friendship in no particular order

## FUND RAISING FOR THE RSPCA



for all creatures **great & small**

Earlier this year the children voted to support the RSPCA as our school charity. On the 17<sup>th</sup> May the children are invited to wear own clothes and bring a cuddly animal to school. Please send in a donation for the children's chosen charity.

## Sunhat and Suncreams

Please make sure your child has a sun hat every day in their bag.  
Please make sure that an application of sun cream is put on before school. A labelled bottle can come into school but must be handed in to the class staff and this will be kept safely for monitored application. Children must not use each other's suncreams.

## Dates for the diary

Reception – Yellow	Year 1 – Blue	Year 2 – Green	Whole school – pink	KS1(Y1&Y2) - Grey
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### May 2024

13.05.2024	Monday	Year 2 Parent Invitation afternoon
15.05.2024	Wednesday	Parent Forum 2.15pm
17.05.2024	Friday	Non uniform day with a cuddly animal and donation to RSPCA
24.05.2024	Friday	School closes for half term

### June 2024

03.06.2024	Monday	School re-opens
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### July 2024

12.07.2024	Friday	Parent Forum 2:15pm
19.07.2024	Friday	Last day of term

## School day times from September 2023

8.20am	Gate Open
8.30am	Classroom doors open

8.40am	Classroom doors close
3pm	End of the school day

**Term dates**

## 2023-2024

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This calendar applies to community schools, community special schools, VC schools and nursery schools and sets the days on which school transport will be provided. While most Foundation, VA, foundation special, free schools and academy trusts who are able to set their own dates, adopt the Norfolk Model, we advise you to check with your child's school before making holiday or other commitments.

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Key : White dates - schools open to pupils Yellow dates - pupil holiday Red dates - bank holiday	Five staff training days will be selected from yellow dates, we suggest 2 & 3 September, 25 October, 6 January and 22 April. Some may choose to use twilight hours for staff training instead of some or all of these.
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