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Census Day (Thursday 20th May)

It's summer census day on Thursday. Dinner numbers on this day increase our budget allocation, so every dinner counts! Mrs Baker has jiggled the menu slightly so that Chicken and Broccoli Bake will be on Tuesday 18th May, and lunch on Thursday will be (drum roll please): Sausage and Chips with Apple Crumble and Custard for pudding. What a delicious way to support school lunches!

Wellbeing Award

A huge congratulations to Miss Watson for all her hard work on Wellbeing across the school. Having achieved the Bronze Level Award from Edupod last term, she's only gone and scored the Silver Level Award this week too! We are the first school in the country to do so – how's that for a bit of *Celebrate, Collaborate and Pollinate*, all in one go! And more importantly, her work and that of the other staff is enabling our pupils to flourish as we return to 'normal'.

Bags2School

Many thanks to FOBS for organising this – collection will be 11th June from school. We will be sending bags home in the not so distant future.

Class Photos

We were so lucky with the weather, the photos are brilliant – what a photogenic bunch we are! If you would like to buy a class photo, samples have now gone out, please return with payment by 27th May

Sports Week

Thanks to Mr Easton for arranging Sports Week next week (w/c 24th May). We have Cricket and Tennis specialists coming in to work with the children, as well as lots of other exciting sporting events. Unfortunately due to Covid we will not be able to invite parents in, but we will be tweeting pictures like there's no tomorrow and will feature them in next week's newsletter too. Mr Easton will be in touch with more information soon.

Second Hand Uniform

Just to let you know that we've had some generous donations of nearly-new uniform, so please check your emails/dojos from Mrs Gatenby if you're interested. We are planning to have a table outside later next half term for you to peruse at your leisure – more information to follow once we get a date!



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Attendance

We have already had a couple of holiday requests in for time off before the summer holidays. Please can I take the opportunity to ask you to consider this very, very carefully - yes, this has been a hideous time for all concerned and we are enjoying the increasing freedom as restrictions ease, however, we are putting in such a lot of extra support and effort into helping our children fill any gaps in their learning. Literally, every minute in school counts at the moment in terms of catching our pupils up ready for their next stage in school. We have put a significant amount of time and resources in to physical and emotional wellbeing in school too, to address any issues which had been caused by lockdown and isolation. Now more than ever, your child should be in school, and I would ask for your full support with this, by not taking your child out on holiday during term time. Thank you.

Owls: 98.7%

Kites: 97.7%

Falcons: 95.5%

After School Wraparound Care and Breakfast Club

Both sessions are growing week on week, which is great news for sustainability. Don't forget you can book in with Mrs Gatenby via dojo anytime during the school week, for childcare whilst you are at work. Wednesday's after school club is approaching capacity – we have set the limit at 20.



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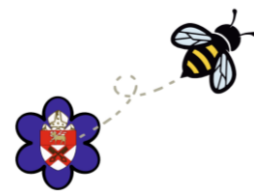




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Dates

When	What	Who
10.05.2021	Class photos	All
24.05.2021	Sports Week	All
28.05.2021	School closes for half term	All
07.06.2021	INSET Day	All
08.06.2021	Children return	All
9.07.2021	Reports out	All
23.7.21	Close for summer	All
26.7.21	INSET Day	All

Here's a taste of what we've been up to this week:



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