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Endurance, Fellowship, Compassion and Peace

Dear Parents and Carers,

Many additional sport and safety programmes have been running at Newport over the last few weeks; Year 3 children are learning essential skills in swimming and Year 4 developing road safety through scootability sessions.

Year 3 are also part way through a series of cricket coaching sessions and Sports teams have recently participated in Handball and Hockey competitions.

Well done to Mitchell class for their most entertaining and informative class worship this week. The children led a most thoughtful worship on the theme of personal challenges and how we can make the world a better place.

Mrs Ridett starts her maternity leave on Monday and I'm sure parents would like to join me in wishing her all the best at this special time. We are delighted to welcome back Mrs Thwaites and Mrs Wilson-Knight who are taking over the teaching of Rosen class for the remainder of the year.

We also have a change of teaching arrangements for the sports coaching at Newport this term. As part of our professional development programme, Mr Forman will be based at Carisbrooke CE Primary for the rest of the summer term. Mr Yates, who is part of the sports coaching team at Carisbrooke will be the sports coach at Newport for the rest of this term.

The BIG PEDAL challenge continues next week, so please continue to encourage your child to scoot or cycle into school each day. Our sports captains are collecting the number of children who manage this each day and we are hoping to win a prize.

Regards

Katherine Marshall
Executive Headteacher





Achievement Board



Class	Attendance for the fortnight %	Pupils Late	School Community Award
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Carle	94.95	0	Selene Norman, Ava Wootton, Linzi Callaghan and Robyn Daish-Miller
Donaldson	96.46	0	Archie Dunford, Georgie Raymond, Ava Morley and William Wells
Seuss	*99.07	0	Freddie Kelsey, Lara Parker-Gill, Maxi Merry-Hone and Thomas Mew
Jeffers	93.98	0	Ruben Eastman, Jacob Todd, Pietro Lamanna and Daisy McNamara
Rosen	95.79	0	Summer Chambers, Jimi Mitchell, Dakota Jones and Evan Martin
Mitchell	96.58	2	Annalise Hallam, Thomas Isham, Joshua Allard and Rosie Brandon
Dahl	97.01	0	Leo Clack, Georgia Ford, Luke Chambers and Lil Jones
Milligan	95.06	1	Christina Abraham, Ramsay Newnham, Katie Foss and Lucy Peckham
Walliams	94.64	3	Amy Lee, Finn Woodford, Summer Goring and Darcy Whitehall
Rowling	94.62	2	Rubin Etheridge, Lacey-May Turner, April Hayward and Evan Jones
Blackman	96.08	2	Poppy Marshall, Caden Tombleson, Lauren Hawkins and Teagan Sims



Collective Worship
The theme for this week:
Forgiveness

Dear Lord

Help us to remember to help those who are suffering,
Help others to remember to be kind and show fellowship to the less fortunate people in our world.

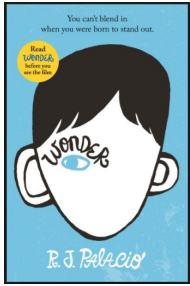
Amen

Written by Emma Morey

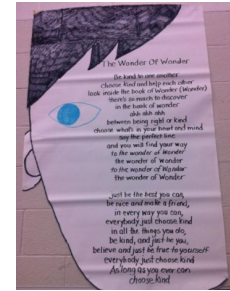
Love prospers when a fault is forgiven, but dwelling on it separates close friends.
- Proverbs 17:9

BibleGodQuotes.com

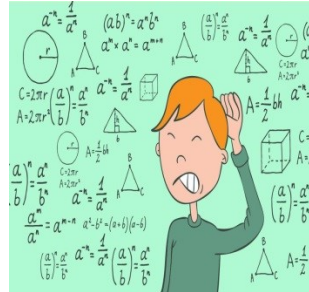
News from UKS2



What a great start to the last term of the year we have had in Years 5 and 6! We have been exploring the book *Wonder* by R.J. Palacio. We have been using this book in English and using V.I.P.E.R.S to practise our comprehension skills.



Year 6 are nervous - but excited too - about the forthcoming transition to secondary school. Teachers from all the secondary schools are already starting to meet everyone ready for transition and to answer our questions.



In Maths, we have been learning new subjects like ratio, averages and revising subjects we learned over the last four years. Our brains are almost filled to capacity! In Year 5, children have been exploring different measures including length, mass and volume.

In UKS2, we have been given a challenge: to accomplish a marathon in the space of 5 weeks. 16 laps of the playground is one mile and 8 laps of the field is a mile too. Hopefully we can succeed in reaching 26 miles each. We have also been scooting and cycling to school this week as part of The Big Pedal. The Sports Captains, Isabel, Oliver, Ellie and Harry, have been keeping track of who does what and we are hoping our daily totals are enough to win us some great prizes for the school.

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As you all know, Year 6 are preparing for their SATs in May and they are working to the best of their abilities to be ready for secondary school.



Year 6 are looking forward to exciting adventures at Medina Valley and Year 5 are awaiting their trip to London! Back at school, everyone will also be having lots of fun.



In Year 5 history lessons, children have been studying Henry VIII, whilst thinking about the differences between Tudor times and life now. Children have been looking at different works of art and using these to consider the different ways that people can find out about the past and the people who lived a long time ago.





Diary Dates

Monday 7th May - May Day - School closed

Monday 14th - Thursday 17th May - KS2 SAT's week

Thursday 17th May - Try a school dinner day

Friday 18th May - Royal Wedding Picnic

Friday 18th May - Jeffers Class Assembly

Tuesday 22nd May - Class Photographs

Friday 25th May - Last day of half term

Monday 4th June - Back to school

Monday 4th - Friday 8th June - Y6 Residential to Medina Valley

Monday 11th - Wednesday 13th June - Y5 London Trip

Friday 22nd June - EYFS Classes Assembly

Tuesday 3rd July - Sports Day - timings to follow (Thursday 5th July - Reserve Day)

Friday 6th July - Y6 Leavers Service at Portsmouth Cathedral

Monday 23rd July - Development Day - School closed

Safe and Well home check

The Isle of Wight Fire and Rescue Service, in partnership with Hampshire Fire and Rescue, have now got an online home safety check that can be completed in a few minutes. We want to make you and your home safer.

This questionnaire will assess fire safety in your home. Once completed, you will get a personalised fire safety plan, which will offer advice on how to prevent fires in your home and how to remain safe.

Please click [HERE](#)

Smoke Alarm advice

Please remember to check your smoke alarms, get into the habit of testing on the 1st of each Month. Get your children to assist you.

A smoke alarm can give you those precious few minutes of warning which could help you and your family to get out safely. Many deaths and injuries could be prevented if people had early warning and were able to get out in time. Buying and fitting a smoke alarm could help save your own and your family's life.

Menu for week beginning 30th April 2018

Monday:	Chicken curry with rice / Lentil and sweet potato curry with rice (v), mixed peppers and green beans, apple crumble and custard.
Tuesday:	Beef and pepper wholemeal pizza with new potatoes / Spanish omelette with new potatoes (v), sweetcorn and roasted tomatoes, tutti fruity.
Wednesday:	Roast chicken and stuffing with roast potatoes and gravy / creamy vegetables wholemeal pie with roast potatoes and gravy (v), fresh mixed seasonal vegetables, apple flapjack.
Thursday:	Beef stir fry with noodles / wholemeal vegetable pasta bake (v), broccoli and cauliflower, peach upside down cake and custard.
Friday:	Fish in batter, chips and tomato sauce / cheese and tomato French bread pizza with chips (v), garden peas and baked beans, vanilla shortbread.

Menu for week beginning 7th May 2018

Monday:	May Day - School closed
Tuesday:	Spaghetti bolognese / quorn and veg stir fry with noodles (v), sweetcorn and broccoli, chocolate and beetroot brownie.
Wednesday:	Roast turkey with roast new potatoes and gravy / quorn roast with roast new potatoes(v), mixed broccoli, carrots and peas, sliced cheese, apple and biscuits.
Thursday:	Mediterranean chicken with rice / vegetable tagine with lemon and mint couscous and wholemeal flatbread (v), mixed peppers and green beans, apple pie with custard.
Friday:	Fish fingers with chips / cheese, onion and spinach quiche with chips (v), baked beans and garden peas, iced sponge.

Reminder: All Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 children are entitled to a free school meal.

School Meal Options

As well as the daily menu, we also offer the option of a jacket potato with a choice of filling, salad and dessert. Choose from cheese, cheese/beans, beans or tuna mayonnaise. We are also offering KS2 a baguette option. Choose from cheese, ham or tuna.

All jacket potatoes/baguettes/vegetarian options must be booked with the office either in advance or by 9.30am each day - £1.85 per day.

Polite reminder - school meals are now £1.85 each and must be paid for either in advance, or on the day taken.

Morning Break Snacks are available for Years 2 - 6. *New prices*

Toast (1 buttered slice) 25p

Crumpet (buttered) 50p

1/2 teacake (buttered) 25p

Milk or Orange Juice 50p (water always available)