



THE KING'S C OF E PRIMARY ACADEMY

Living Well Together



Dear Parents and Carers,

Keeping our children safe and comfortable in this heat has been our absolute priority. We hired air conditioning units for every classroom, and we're also making great use of our forest area so children can enjoy short bursts outside in the shade of the trees where it's naturally cooler. Thank you all for helping us with providing appropriate clothing and sun protection for your children.

Our teachers have been incredibly creative too – they've set up little 'spa-style' cooling sessions with trays of water for children to dip their feet in, which the pupils have absolutely loved! It's been such a positive and calming way to help everyone stay cool and happy.

We are all learning to adapt as these extreme weather conditions become more common. As a school, we see this as an important opportunity to help our children understand what's happening to our environment, and to encourage them to become the eco-warriors of today and the future. We want them not only to stay safe now, but to feel empowered to look after our planet in the years to come. My thanks go to all staff for keeping your children so safe and as cool as possible last week. We have kept the air-con units for a little while longer while we wait to see what the weather is going to do for the rest of this term.

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Transitioning to our new classes



Next year, our class names come from God's amazing creation and remind us to care for the world around us. We have chosen names of animals and living things that need our help because they are endangered, to show how special they are. These names help us remember to be kind and look after all of God's creatures. We want to help protect them so they can be safe and cared for now and in the future.

All children will be spending time with their new class teachers in their new classroom on Thursday afternoon this week and then again one day next week. Of course we will make sure we support them through any worries they might have, but please do let us know if they are finding the impending change difficult. Of course, for Reception and Year 1, they get to keep their lovely teachers for another year!



Key Stage 2 Residential

On Tuesday and Wednesday this week, many of our older children will be going to Holme Pierrepont activity centre where they will experience thrilling outdoor activities. Beyond the obvious fun to be had, this residential is a powerful learning experience. Students will step out of their comfort zones to develop vital skills like teamwork, communication, resilience, and problem-solving.

This trip is an incredible opportunity for our students to grow, bond, and achieve things they never thought possible. We cannot wait to see them take on this adventure together. Keep watching our Facebook page for photograph updates.



COMMUNITY SHOUT OUTS!

A big shout out this week to all of our Year Six children who are starting their transitions this half-term. It is always such a big move for them all and a huge loss to all of us who are getting ready to say goodbye! As always, if you have any worries or questions, please do catch myself, Mrs Baker or Miss McEwan and we will do our best to liaise with the secondary schools for you where needed.



Starting Secondary School



Due to the heatwave last week, we did not hold our attendance draw. I wonder who will be the winners this week.

This week we wish a very
happy birthday to ...

**Jack, Roman, Darcie and
Oliver!**



We all hope you have a
wonderful day!

**THIS SCHOOL IS
NUT FREE**



Dates Coming Up

Transition Week

29th June

Year 5 residential

30th June - 1st July

Year 5 & 6 Play

7th and 8th July

Academic Reports home

13th July

Rocksteady Concert

14th July

New Starters Stay and Play session

15th July

Year 6 Prom

17th July

Year 6 Leavers at School

21st July 10am

Year 6 Leavers Service at Christ Church

23rd July 10am

Last day of school year - Friday 24th July

New term starts 7th Sept

