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A message from Mrs Foxton



Hello everyone! I hope you and your children are all well. Unfortunately sun cream and sun hats haven't been needed this week—fingers crossed we see an improvement over the weekend.

It has been another busy week in school this week. The children in school have continued to complete work related to the 'mini topics' they have chosen and as usual the staff have used imaginative and creative methods to bring new learning to life. The children have been making soup, printing with vegetables, learning about the planets, investigating how the digestive system works and more!

At home children are also very busy! We have seen pictures of children making films, fishing, cooking, reading, completing jigsaws, maths—the list goes on.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Monday 6th July EYFS, Year 1, Year 6 in school
Tuesday 7th July EYFS, Year 1, Year 6 in school
Wednesday 8th July Open to Critical Key Workers only
Thursday 9th July EYFS, Year 1, Year 6 in school
Friday 10th July EYFS, Year 1, Year 6 in school

Things to remember if your child is currently in school

Sun hats and sun cream — we are feeling hopeful that the weather may improve over the next week. Please can we ask that if it does you send your child with a sun hat and sun cream.

Pack lunches and hot dinners—a polite reminder that we are a nut free school and we promote healthy eating. Hot dinner are now available Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday.

Water bottle—please ensure your child has a water bottle in school each day.

Timings— To help us to ensure we can maintain the smooth running of the staggered drop off and collection times please can we ask that you are on time.

Home Learning

We are continuing to provide children with the learning packs which can be found on the school website. If you are experiencing any issues with these please do contact your child's class teacher.

We are getting ever closer to the 'launch' of the online learning platform. **Next week you will receive an email with set up details along with a username and password for your child/children.** In the meantime you are able to access the online video for your child's class by clicking on the following links:

Class 1: <https://youtu.be/y10fYNyBs90>

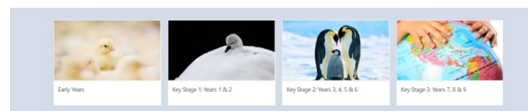
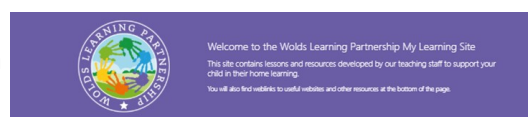
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Class 3: <https://youtu.be/VHD9xvqtf10>

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Class 5: https://youtu.be/_kxSqD79AVE

Class 6: <https://youtu.be/tLxEod7wnhY>



Music Service—exciting opportunity!

We are incredibly lucky to have a team of talented music teachers who work closely with us at Melbourne. Researchers have found that **learning** to play a **musical instrument** can enhance verbal memory, spatial reasoning and literacy



skills. **Playing** an **instrument** makes you use both sides of your brain, which strengthens memory power. Apart from this it is very good fun!

Currently we are able to offer lessons in piano, guitar, violin, drums and brass. If you would like your child to begin learning a musical instrument next year please send an email of interest to admin@mcps.org.uk.



Menu



MONDAY:	Sausage Rolls Chips Beans/Sweetcorn	Marble Sponge & Custard Fruit Yoghurt
TUESDAY:	Spaghetti Bolognese Peas/Diced carrots Crusty Bread	Chocolate Crackle Fruit Yoghurt
WEDNESDAY:	PACKED LUNCHES ONLY	
THURSDAY:	Roast Turkey Carrots/Broccoli Roast Potatoes Yorkshire Pudding Gravy	Tinned Fruit & Ice-cream Fruit Yoghurt
FRIDAY:	Fish Fingers Chips Beans/Peas	Iced Muffin Fruit Yoghurt

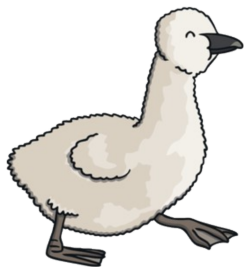


BEVERLEY PUPPET FESTIVAL ONLINE 2020

Please find below a poster for the Beverley Puppet Festival 2020! Instead of cancelling the puppet festival organisers have gone online! Rather than one weekend in July, it's a full two months and has already started – 3 FREE activity videos per week which you can catch up on – because they **remain online!**

They are running a competition and you could win one of 25 festival merchandise prizes, or 2 passes for the next live festival in 2022!! All you have to do is send them photos or up to 2 min videos of your creations based on any of their activity videos! (2 categories: Family/kids or Adults). Please note the deadline for entries is July 19th. Details can be found at www.beverlypuppetfestival.com





Classes



This year, we have moved away from the traditional numbering format and have chosen to name the classes after animals that can be found in and around Melbourne Canal. We have taken this decision because next year we will be including Melbourne Canal as part of our taught curriculum. We also think it is very important that the children make links with their beautiful locality and the wildlife that can be found here.

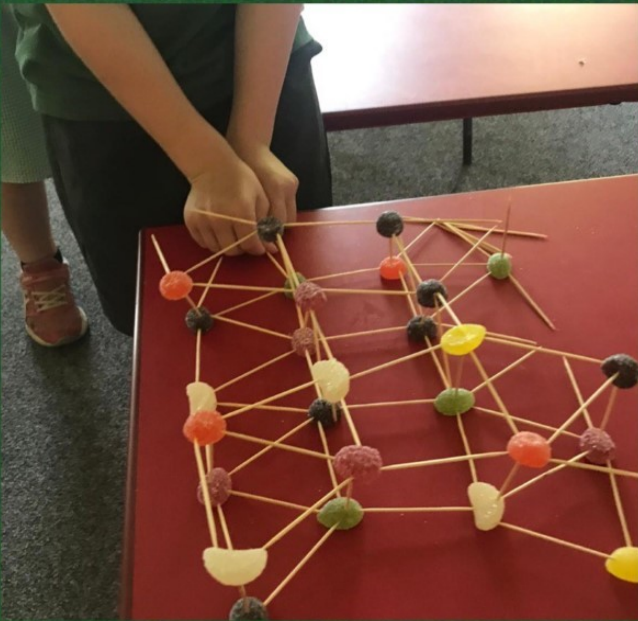
New class information

Year Group	Class Name
Early Years – Nursery and Reception	Cygnet and Swan Class
Year 1	Mallard Class
Year 2	Otter Class
Year 3	Dragonfly Class
Year 4	Heron Class
Year 5 and 6	Kingfisher Class

You should have now received an email which provides details regarding your child's new class next year. If you haven't received this information please do contact the school office and we shall be happy to help.



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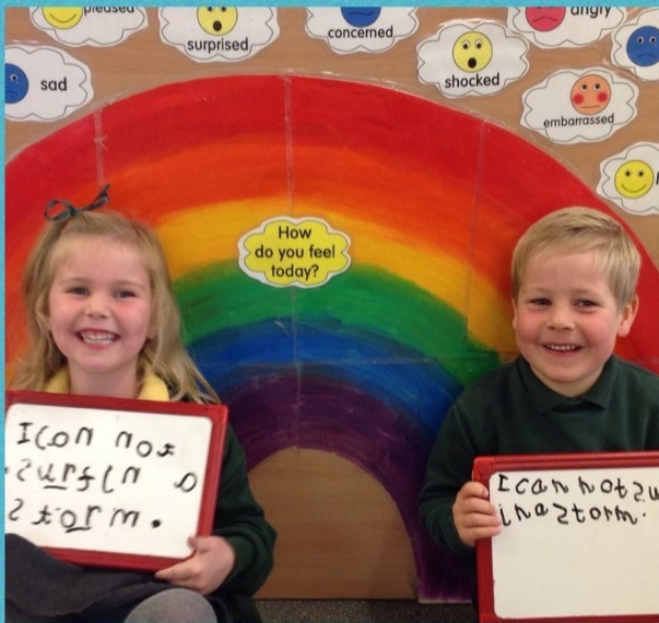


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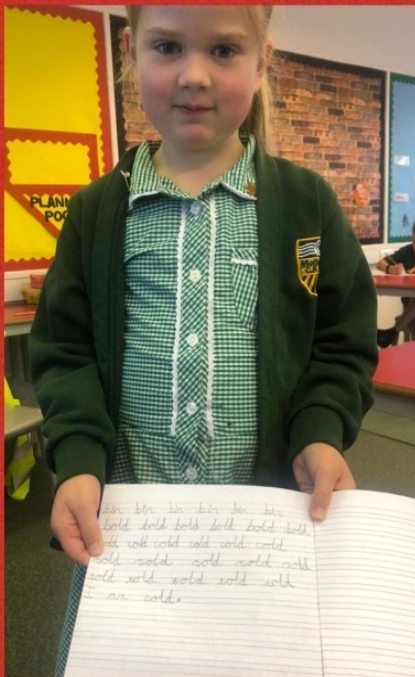
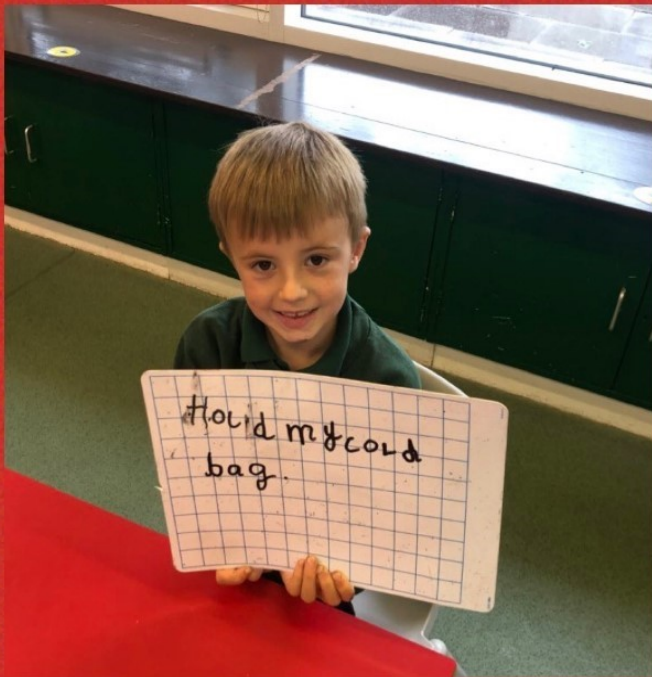


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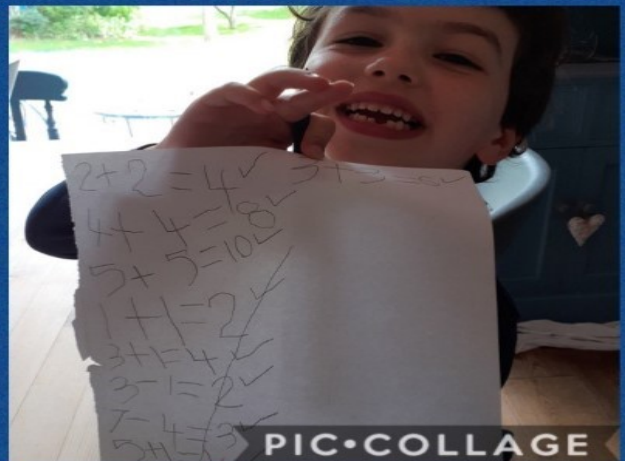
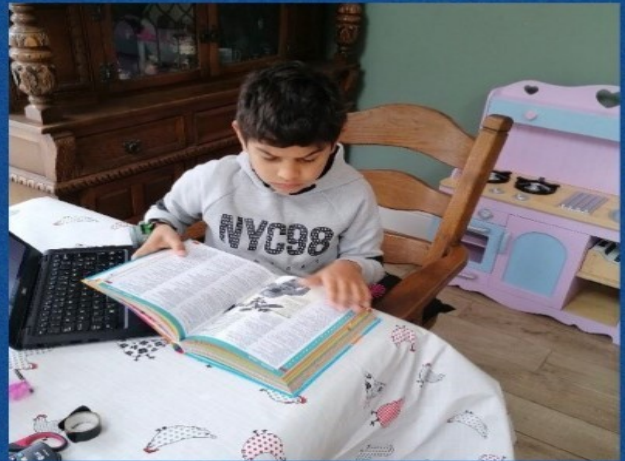
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