



St. Michael's CE (VC) First School Newsletter

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We have come to the end of a very busy half-term in school.

Thankyou for your ongoing support to help keep everyone safe by following our COVID-19 measures that are in place, this has enabled us to remain open throughout the half-term.

Well done to all of the children in school working hard in their learning.

I wish you a relaxing week's holiday, fingers crossed the sun continues to shine.

Mrs J Wass, Headteacher



Thank you to everyone that supported our NSPCC Number Day.

We raised £149 for the charity.

Certificates and Special Awards

Nursery

Bridget Sophie Harry Pippa Nathaniel

Early Years

Travis Lenny Alyssa Chelsea

Year 1

Luca Indie Charlie Jacob-James Beth

Year 2

Theo Dylan Oliver Freddie Henri

Year 3

Tobias Finn Emily Mia

Year 4

Henry Thomas Lily Harry Oliver Luca Alarna

Nursery

In Nursery, we loved celebrating 'Number Day' and raising money for the NSPCC. We played lots of number games during our Fizzytotz P.E. session and sang lots of counting songs. One of our favourite songs is '5 little ducks'.



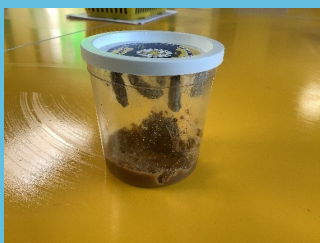
Early Years



Early Years have loved our 'Growing and Hatching' topic this half term. This week we have been learning about the lifecycle of a frog. We rehomed Nursery's tadpoles into our school pond this week. We can't wait to go back in a few weeks to go frog spotting!

Year 1

Year 1 have been closely watching our class caterpillars grow. When they arrived they were very tiny but they grew and grew... They have just shed their skins to form Chrysalides! We are looking forward to seeing them emerge after half term as beautiful butterflies.

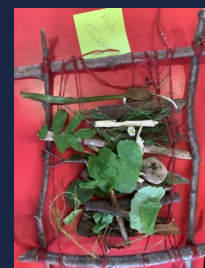


Year 2



Year two have been making African necklaces as part of our Safari topic. The more beads you wear the richer you are.

We have also finished our outdoor nature weaving project.



Year 3

Year 3 have received a special delivery from The James Dyson Foundation. Over the next few weeks we will be learning about the job of a design engineer. We will be looking at some of the products that are designed and made by Dyson, thinking about how they work and the problems that they solve. We will also have a go at designing our own inventions!



Year 4



Year 4 have continued to make excellent progress with their swimming this week and even got the opportunity to play with the floats at the end of our lesson because of how hard they had worked!

We are looking forward to continuing our lessons after half term.

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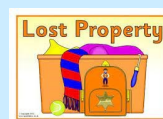
Early Years really loved seeing the eggs hatch and looking after the chicks. They have now grown too big for the incubator hatchery so have returned back to the farm.

Look out for the special Number Day Newsletter which is being sent out in a separate email. There will also be a special Nature Day Newsletter sent out after half-term.

Reception 2021 transition sessions are being held on the 24th and 29th June. If your child is moving into Reception please check your emails for your invitation letter.

All Year 4 parents should have received transition information from their chosen middle schools. If not please contact them directly.

Please name all uniform as we are getting so much lost property that can't be returned as we do not know who it belongs to.



Hopefully we will need sun cream after half-term. Please apply long-lasting cream where possible in the morning. If you need to send any cream or lotion into school please make sure that it is named and your child knows not to share it with anyone else due to allergies.



Please send your child to school with a lightweight rain coat every day as we like to enjoy outside play and learning whatever the weather.

Diary Dates

Monday 31st May—Friday 4th June
Monday 7th June
Thursday 8th July
Thursday 15th July
Friday 16th July

Half Term—School Closed
Back to School
PTA Summer Fair for the Children
Year 4 Party 5.00-6.30pm
School Closes at 3.30pm for the summer holidays

House Points

Week Ending 21st May

836	912
915	878

Week Ending 28th May

1066	1194
1174	1108