



Micklem Primary School

School News

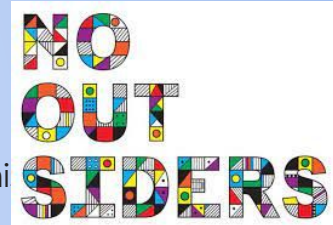
Friday 12th May 2023

Reflection on our learning

Dear Parents and Carers

We have had a really busy fortnight! Last week we learnt about the history and traditions of our monarchy and the coronation, including a mini coronation in assembly. This was to enable those who chose to watch the coronation, to have a deeper understanding of the themes and rituals. We ended the week with a coronation 'street party'. The weather forced us inside but some Reception children still described it as the 'best lunch ever'. This week, Year 6 have been busy completing their SATs. There were some really tricky papers this year, but they have all done themselves proud with the resilience and effort that they have shown. I want to say a big well done to all of our fantastic Year 6s!

In our No Outsiders assembly, we talked about Tom Durnin. Tom was the last finisher of the London Marathon this year. It took him 8 hours, 10 minutes, 58 seconds. We talked about how he was not an outsider as he partook with everyone else and was supported right until the end. His time was due to him only having four weeks to train after he was in a major accident. We talked about how inspiring he was and that he overcame so many barriers to achieve his goal. We also praised those that stayed and cheered him at the end and reflected on how good that must have felt for him after his challenges. We love that everyone is different at Micklem and celebrate this with everyone. All different, all welcome.



Attendance

Class	Wc 2/5	Wc 9/5
Reception	95.8%	93%
Year 1	98.3%	90%
Year 2	91%	95%
Year 3	91.7%	92.8%
Year 4	94.4%	98%
Year 5	96%	95%
Year 6	95.4%	100%
Class above our 95% target		

Upcoming Dates

Date	Event
15/5	Yr 3&4 Football Tournament
16/5	EYFS Mini Olympics
17/5	Yr 3&4 Mountfitchet Castle Trip
18/5	Girls Netball Tournament
22/5	EYFS Mead Open Farm Trip
23/5	Yr 6 Cricket Trip
22/5-26/5	KS1 SATs Week
29/5-2/6	Half Term

Learner of the Week	
Class	12/05
Reception	Skye
Reception	Jasmine & Emily
Year 1	Cem
Year 1	Poppi
Year 2	Leo
Year 2	Char
Year 2	Penny
Year 3	Precious
Year 3	Sophie
Year 4	Isla
Year 4	Finley
Year 5	Godfred
Year 5	Liana
Year 6	All of year 6 for their hard work this week!



Gardening club have been busy planting their donations that they received.

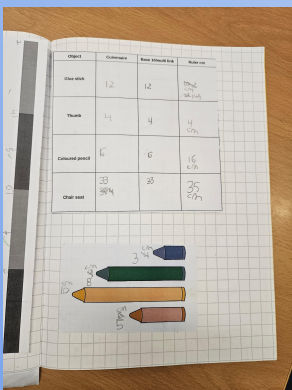


Year 5 visited Berkhamsted Castle this week and had a fabulous time.

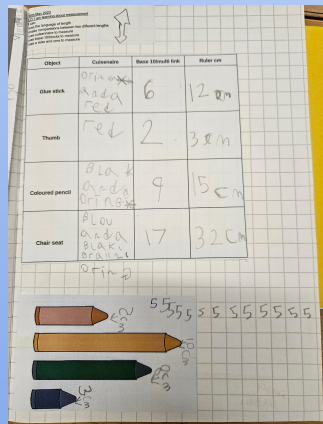


Well done to the year 3 Maths challenge team who came 20th out of 200 teams. They will be taking part in the final in two weeks time!

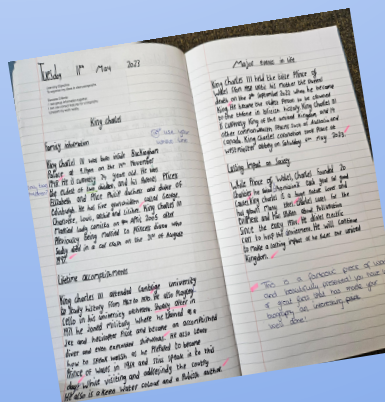
Marvellous Maths



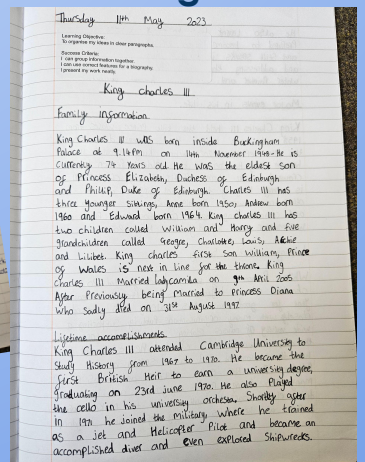
Leo K-Year 2



Char- Year 2



Xiamara- Year 3



Precious-Year 3

Wonderful Writing

Parent/Carer Impact

Are you looking at becoming an integral part of the Micklem community? Do you have some time to spare to support the development of key skills of our children?

We have a space on our Governing Board for a parent governor. If you are interested in the role or would like further information, please contact the office at admin@micklem.herts.sch.uk

We are looking for volunteers to support reading in our school. We are looking for people that can donate some of their time each week to listen to readers in the school. If this sounds like something that you could support with, please email the office with details of your availability and how much time you would be willing to give.

We have had several adults offering their time and we are looking forward to finding roles that best suit them and the school.

Thank you in advance!

Clubs

We have got another fantastic offer of After School Clubs this term and we know there are lots of children excited about trying new things. We are aiming for every child to attend an after school club over the year, and I am really proud of the wide range of activities that are available to our children. Please ensure that you are clear what time your child's club finishes, as staff are giving up their own time to run these.

House Points

We have a new House Point system! We will now be counting House Points each week and celebrating the house that has collected the most. Well done this week to **BLUE HOUSE** who won this week!

House	Points
Blue	76
Green	50
Red	69
Yellow	59

SEND and Family Support Information

DSPL8 Parent/ Carer Newsletter and Dacorum SEND Courses, Support & Information for Families

The latest 'DSPL8 Parent/Carer Newsletter: Summer Term' & 'Dacorum Parent/ Carers courses and support' newsletters are available to download from DSPL8's website via the following link: <https://dacorumdspl.org.uk/online-resources-for-parents-and-carers-2/>

This fortnight's newsletter includes:

- Navigating Transition: 13.06.23 - 04.07.23
- SEND Surgery - 16.05.2023
- Emotional Based School Avoidance Coffee Morning - 23.05.2023
- DSPL8 Parent/Carer Support: Summer 2023
- Dacorum Parent/Carer courses and support from various local providers:
- Dacorum Parenting Brochure - Summer 2023 Term
- SPACE - Upcoming Workshops
- Parent Support Group at Woodfield Coffee Shop
- SEND Parent Café Dacorum
- Potential Kids April 2023 Events
- BeeZee Bodies classes for Summer 2023
- Parent and Carer Feedback regarding their Young Person's School Avoidance
- Parenting when Separated Programme
- Autism Strategy Events

