



Micklem Primary School

School News

Friday 26th April 2024

Reflection on our learning

We may be in the summer term, but it looks like Spring has finally arrived! We are looking forward to taking our learning outside in the coming weeks and inviting you in to various events as we speed towards the summer break. I hope you all had a restful Easter and have come back ready for another fantastic term of learning and experiences.

We have started this term with a bang, with Year 6, 3 and 2 going to Sky Studios, Tring Museum and The Tower of London respectively and that's not even mentioning our Year 3&4 football tournament. It has been wonderful to see smiling children returning to school, ready to learn and have fun with their friends.

We want this to be the best term yet, and have so many upcoming events that we think we can achieve this. We look forward to spending the next term with you.

Have a great week and stay safe.

Be Kind. Show Respect. Aim High.

Mr. Swift

Learning of the Week 15th - 26th April 2024

R	1	2	3	4	5	6
Abigail Frankie	Stefan Charlotte	Yaw Mason	Seb Jamie	Archie Ava-Lillie	Isla Stivan	Ethan Eli
Evie Edward	Lily Harry C	Emma Aaliyah- Mai	Tamsyn Artem	Atay Liam	Ivy Emmanuel	Fatima Meryn

Attendance 15th - 26th April 2024

Nursery	Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
88.6%	92.7%	94.6%	92.9%	95.2%	95.8%	94%	92.6%

Class above our 95% target

Uniform Survey

Please take the time to complete our survey about uniform at Micklem. Thank you in advance for your support.

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfIO5J_1iJ5rOfHHdnj-By7dEg3Cul1-3J46aa4aUtYAg4nsg/viewform?usp=sf_link

PTA

Members of the PTA are invited to come for a walkaround of the school after drop off on Tuesday 30th April.

This will be to discuss potential fundraising projects moving forward.

Upcoming Dates

Date	Event
30/04	PTA fundraising walkaround
06/05	May Bank Holiday
07/05	Year 4 maths competition
07/05	KS2 SATs Parent Meeting - 2:45pm
08/04	Year 4 Tri Golf
Wc 13/04	Mental Health Awareness Week
Wc 13/04	KS2 SATs Week
16/05	School Census Day
Wc 20/5	Year 6 Bikeability
22/05	Early Year Sports Trip
Wc 27/05	Half Term



Don't forget to keep up-to-date with events and experiences via our new Facebook page!

<https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=61557134938962>



SEND and Family Support Information



Congratulations to our Neurodiversity Celebration Week Poster competition winners and runners up. The house captains had a very difficult task of choosing! Well done everyone who entered.



Liz - Year 2



Elsa - Year 4



Amber - Year 2



Ayla - Year 1



Ava - Year 4

SEND and Family Support Information

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

DSPL8

Delivering Special Provision Locally

The latest 'DSPL8 Parent/Carer Newsletter' & 'Dacorum Parent/ Carers courses and support: Summer 2024' are available to download from DSPL8's website via the following link: <https://dacorumspl.org.uk/online-resources-for-parents-and-carers/>

Their most recent newsletter includes:

- * NESSie webinars
- * SEND chat and play drop-in sessions
- * Parent support group at Woodfield coffees shop
- * Navigating Transition: 11.06.24 - 02.07.24

Parent Support Group

Every Wednesday
9.00am – 12

(Term time only)

@ Woodfield Coffee Shop

Malmes Croft, Leverstock Green, Hemel Hempstead, HP3 8RL

Contact: Gemma.Tuff@woodfield.herts.sch.uk

Or: Lauren.Lettis@woodfield.herts.sch.uk

01442 253476

Would you like to chat, rant, or just let off steam over a cup?



Come and join other parents/carers and share stories, advice and a few laughs!



Whether your child is at mainstream school or a special school, Diagnosed or undiagnosed, you are welcome to come along and meet Other parents, talk to professionals, or simply drop in for a coffee and Meet new friends who also have a child with special educational needs. ALL WELCOME - JUST COME ALONG

Free tea, coffee and biscuits! Fancy something a bit more special? Our coffee shop accepts card payments or cash.

SEND Drop-in sessions



SEND Chat and Play

Woodhall Farm Adventure Playground,
Hemel Hempstead, HP2 7BA

Our Special Educational Needs and Disabilities Chat and Play sessions are a great opportunity to come and meet other families going through a similar journey, in a relaxed environment. All are welcome whether your child is diagnosed or you are concerned about a possible need. This group is run by our SEND Champions, we hope to see you there!

Wednesdays 11:00 - 12:00

8th & 22nd May, 5th & 19th June, 3rd, 17th & 31st July 2024



www.hertsfamilycentres.org

0300 123 7572

Navigating Transition: 11.06.2024—02.07.2024

For more information and to register: [Navigating Transitions Dacorum - Bounce Forward](#)



Navigating Transitions

For parents in Dacorum



A four-session online course for parents

Children and young people will face many transitions throughout their lives. Change and uncertainty is something we can help children learn to navigate.

How do we support children to deal well with times of change?

Whether the move is from primary to secondary, to a new school or setting, or to a new teacher or class. It can be an anxious time for parents.

Join Bounce Forward for a series of four 60-minute sessions starting 11th June at 8pm.

We'll explore how to support children to face transitions with mental resilience and you'll receive downloadable activities to use at home.

Knowing how best to manage your own emotions, worries and actions is vital for supporting children in the best way possible.

Follow DSPL8's social media pages for their most recent updates:

Facebook: www.facebook.com/dspldacorum

Instagram: www.instagram.com/dspl_dacorum

SEND and Family Support Information



Upcoming Free Parent/Carer Webinars in Hertfordshire

Come and meet our friendly, qualified team who are there to support you with confidence, skills and tools.

Supporting Children/Young People who Struggle to Attend School

Thursday 2nd May

Thursday 17th June

9:30am - 11:30am

Supporting Children/Young People who are LGBTQ+ or Gender Questioning

Thursday 16th May

Thursday 20th June

9:30am - 11:30am

Supporting Children/Young People with Anxiety

Thursday 18th April

Thursday 6th June

9:30am - 11:30am

Supporting Children/Young People with Bereavement and Loss

Tuesday 25th June

9:30am - 11:30am

Supporting a Child/Young Person with Self-Harming Behaviours

Wednesday 3rd July

9:30am - 11:30am

8 Week Online Peer Support Group for Parents/Carers of Children Avoiding School

Tuesday 23rd April -
Tuesday 18th June

9:30am - 11:30am

To book, please visit nessieined.com or click the workshops above.

Please note that these webinars are delivered live via Microsoft Teams and may run over.

Joining links will be sent via email 24 hours before the event.

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