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Now we are into our second week of the term and the attendance has dropped from the 98% of last week. I cannot stress how important it is for your children's education and well-being to be in at school every day. Please do everything you can to get your children to school and if you need our help then do not hesitate to contact any of the school team.

It has been brought to my attention that a number of children have been bringing fidget toys into school. Unless having a fidget toy is part of an agreed plan in conjunction with meeting your child's needs they are not to be brought into school.

Neil Campbell

Headteacher

Focus on: Behaviour for Learning

Every Moment Counts is our motto for the Summer term. The children are working hard and we are using every spare moment possible to help your children improve and catch up if they have any gaps in their learning. To support this, we expect that every child is given the opportunity to learn without disruption and I must say, on the whole this is proving successful. When disruptions do occur please be assured that we are addressing the matters swiftly and I would like to thank you all for your continued support in this matter.

Office update:

Outstanding Debts

Mrs Parnell and Mr Campbell over the next week will be contacting all parents/carers who have outstanding debts on parentpay and requiring payment so that debt can be cleared.

Uniform

The uniform policy was relaxed to allow for children who had outgrown their uniform and shoes. Now that non essential shops have been allowed to reopen, we will be re-enforcing the school uniform policy in full from **Monday 26th April**. School Uniform can be found on the school website and purchased from Parentpay and collected from the school office.

From Monday, any pupil wearing branded hoodies/jumpers during lessons, will be required to remove these when in class and will be offered a clean school jumper to wear if they are cold whilst in the classroom.

All uniform must be marked with your child's name and class.

Year 6 PE Kit

From Monday 26th April Year 6 children are to come to school in their school PE kit, this is so they have maximum time with Isaac from the Community Sports Foundation. Children will also then be able to take part in football at lunchtime if they wish too.

School Meals

School meals can only be ordered via Parentpay and must be ordered by 9am, the office or teacher cannot take orders for meals. If you have any issues with ordering through Parentpay please get in contact with the office.

Your child may be eligible for free school meals, you can apply here:

<https://fiso.norfolk.gov.uk/synergy/Enquiries/Citizen/FreeSchoolMeals.aspx>

What's coming up!

- 20th May 2021 - Individual School photographs
- 28 May 2021 - LAST DAY OF HALF-TERM
- 7 June 2021 - BACK TO SCHOOL













Times Tables Rock Stars Battles

This week was a re-run of our VERY close Girls vs. Boys battle from last week where the Boys were victorious. Could they do it a second week running? This week's winners were.... the GIRLS!

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| 1 | All Girls | 51,359 |
| 2 | All Boys | 28,662 |

The Top 10 Leaderboard this week is also topped by a girl who has had another incredible week on TTRS. Well done to... Stella!



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| 1 |  Stella All Girls | 10,986 |
| 2 |  Caitlin All Girls | 6,600 |
| 3 |  Zi Han All Girls | 4,996 |
| 4 |  Katie All Girls | 4,000 |
| 5 |  Dylan All Boys | 3,019 |
| 6 |  Evie All Girls | 2,887 |
| 7 |  Claren All Boys | 2,478 |
| 8 |  Imran All Boys | 2,353 |
| 9 |  Anton All Boys | 2,239 |
| 10 |  Harvey All Boys | 2,185 |

Next week we are going to have a battle of the classes.... who will be the champion? Happy battling everyone - keep practising those times tables!

Times Tables Rock Stars

Amber - Roxie - Your confidence in times tables has really grown, this is because of your determination to learn them! Keep it up

Opal - Leah for accumulating 12, 529 coins, wow!

Diamond- Oliver for always trying to improve his scores.

Quartz - Caitlin for gaining the second highest girls score in the whole school!

Prodigy

Diamond -Kayden, Owen and Lacey for working cooperatively together on Prodigy

Quartz - Albion

Bug Club

Amber -Lettie for reading 3 books this week on Bug Club! Well done Lettie!

Opal- Phoebe for finishing a full set of books and moving onto lime books.

Quartz - Kaitlin

Diamond - Erica for trying some challenging new quizzes this week!

Bees Knees

Ruby - George because he is now able to blend words for reading.

Jade - Noan for his excellent determination in all his subjects. He always works so hard and his handwriting is also brilliant.

Jasper- Freddie for working so hard this week with his number and his phonics, well done freddie

Opal - Mason for being determined this week to improve his handwriting and sentence composition

Onyx -Ethan for being a lovely friend and always being considerate of others in the



classroom and on the playground.

Aqua- Mihaela because you demonstrate curiosity by exploring African artefacts. You have also shared your amazing knowledge of Bushcraft skills this week. Super impressive!

Amber- Ava May for her exceptional writing in RE this week. She has been working very hard and has been ambitious in her writing. Well done Ava-May we are so proud of you!

Coral- Courtney because you have been incredibly brave and determined this week. You have been in school every day and completed some amazing work. Well done

Crystal - Summer for being determined to improve her use of descriptive language in her writing.

Garnet - Claren because he has been working brilliantly in his maths. He has been using the methods suggested to help him when he has been struggling and has been determined to complete the work to the best of his ability.

Tanzanite - Frankie in my class as he's come back this week determined to be helpful, do his best to learn and has made every effort.

Topaz - Hayley for quietly and consistently putting in their absolute best effort to complete any task to the best of their ability.

Emerald - Throughout the week Caitlyn has shown a good determination to improve her work. She has listened well to feedback and has added a lot to our discussions.

Sapphire -David for going out of his way to be kind and thoughtful and for ALWAYS following instructions.

Billy for increasing his effort into all of his work and making a remarkable effort to tackle every task given even when he has found it hard.

Diamond- Ross has been so kind to his peers this week and has been a fantastic role model when doing class jobs this week. He has shown a lot of imagination in our engineering project and I can't wait to see the finished design. Well done Ross!

Quartz- Tiffany for working so collaboratively in drama as part of our English lessons this week.

For all the latest news and dates for your diary please visit our website:

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