

Diary Dates

Date	Event	Information
6 th June	Possible Start of Ramadan (TBC)	Shortened school hours – More information to follow
30 th June	End of term 3	


This week


We have consolidated our learning of division being the inverse of multiplication by using our 3x, 4x and 8x times table knowledge. The children have also learnt how to write inverse multiplication and division sentences as well as begin to use a written method for both. We also answered some word problems to test our use of the operations!

This week the children have started a new English topic- stories about imaginary worlds. We have loved learning the first part of 'The Voices in the Park' where the main characters are gorillas! They sequenced the story, described mum using powerful adjectives to describe her appearance and personality, and even wrote their own innovated versions- amazing!



In science we learned how much of each nutrient we need to be healthy and we were surprised! We predicted that we would need minerals and vitamins the most but found that carbohydrates were also most important for our health. The children then compared the percentage of each nutrient that humans need to other animals, such as dogs and parrots.

Specialists
Music

We have finished all the sections of our Olympic song, now we just have to keep practicing it to make sure it sounds as good as can be! We learned a new pitched note – so now we know: Do Re Mi and So. We continued to learn about tempo (speed) and the related Italian musical terms. We revised the crotchet rest and have been doing activities to develop our musical memory. We continue to work on our skill of co-operation in order to facilitate our group work.


Arabic Non-Native

This week the children have answered comprehension exercises about 'Let's play in the Park' and have translated key vocabulary into English.



Islamic Non-Native

This week the children have learned how to correctly pray.

PE

Grade 2 have continued working on their volleyball skills and learning how to set the ball and they also started learning the 'dig' pass. Children were asked to play with their friends in groups of 2 and try to observe and then communicate with their partners to feedback to them about their performance and tell them how to perform better. At the end of the session, children have started playing a simple volleyball match using their basic skills. Well done Grade 2!



Swimming



In swimming children have also worked with their partners and played the role of the coach and moved with their swimmers to observe their performance and then provide feedback to them. Children have enjoyed this exercise and were very happy to communicate with their partners and tell talk to with about their mistakes and how to improve it. The main skills for this week were back stroke and breast stroke technique. Well done coaches!

PLEASE NOTE: Children who have a sports club after school must bring their PE kit to school on that day.

Star of the Week

This week, Giorgia is our star of the week! She has impressed Miss Morwenna by actively trying her best in all lessons and by trying super hard to extend her learning at home! Giorgia has worked hard to improve her concentration and it has definitely paid off- brilliant! Keep up the hard work!



Reminders



Just to remind you that the children need to be in the outside area each morning, from 7:45am, so that they can stand and sing the National Anthem with their class. Please do not be arriving after the anthem. Thanks so much for your co-operation in this.

The children also need to be wearing the correct school uniform which includes the school tie with their ambassador badge pinned neatly.

Please note: Miss Natalie will be away next week and Miss Suzanne (a new TA) will be supporting us in our lessons.

Have a lovely weekend,
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