

Our Christian Values

Respect Forgiveness Compassion Friendship Justice Trust

Term Dates

Bank Holiday

8th May

Half Term

29th May–2nd June

Non-Pupil Day

Monday 5th June

Summer Holiday

21st July

Autumn 2023 Term Starts

Tuesday 5th September

Headteacher's message

Thank you to you all for supporting us with our Coronation Celebrations yesterday! It was lovely to see so many of you in our playground to watch our crown parade where the children were able to showcase the beautiful crowns you had helped them to make at home. I hope you enjoyed listening to our children singing the Coronation Song - they really are great singers! Later on in the morning, the children found out more about the significance of the coronation as they watched some of our Year 5 children act out the ceremony with narration. Lunch time was enjoyed by all with the children enjoying the special coronation lunch option. I would like to thank Mrs Bojang for organising our celebratory day as well as the Year 5 children who had given up their lunch times to prepare for their roles.

We have set a date for our Summer Fayre! This will be held on our school field on Friday, 30th June so please pop the date in your diary and see below for more details.

I hope you all have an enjoyable Bank Holiday weekend! Alison Bourne

News

Family Groups and team points



Red Tigers

174

Green Pumas

177

Blue Panthers

122

Yellow Lions

161



Congratulations to Green Pumas for being this weeks' winning family group!

Attendance Award

Well done, Sapphire Class for having the highest attendance this week with 94.27%.

Help needed please!

On the evening of Friday 30th June the St David's summer fair will take place on the school field, and we would welcome any help or contributions that parents/carers feel that they could make. Perhaps you would like to run a school stall, help to set-up or tidy away afterwards, or perhaps you would like to make something that can be sold at the fair? Please let Mr Sloman know if you would like to contribute to our event, and let's keep our fingers crossed for good weather!

We really value your feedback and evaluations of our school, we would appreciate it if you could complete our short parent/carer survey which has been extended until 5pm Wednesday 10th May 2023. [Click here to access the survey](#)

Many thanks.

April & May Stay and Play

3.30- - 5.15pm

Places for May & June S&P, must be booked using this link
[CLICK HERE](#)

Each Stay and Play session, must be paid for via ParentPay, at time of booking.

School Meal Bookings

Please ensure all school meals are booked via [ParentPay](#) By 3.30pm on the Wednesday before.

Please ensure when entering or exiting the school playgrounds, you ensure the gate is closed. Many thanks

The school gates are locked at 9am prompt. If you arrive at school after 9am. Please buzz at the front gate and your child will be welcomed in via the school office. Thank you.



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Star Learners

Ruby

EYFS: Emilia: For completing some wonderful pieces of independent writing this week.! Emilia always remembers to start her writing with a capital letter, she never forgets her finger spaces and always ends her sentence with a full stop! Emilia has also been working hard to remember her tricky word spellings. Well done, and thank you, Emilia!

Reading Certificates:

Emerald

Year 1: Borry: For her wonderful coronation writing this week. Borry wrote a letter to King Charles, explaining how excited she was for his coronation celebrations this week! Well done, and thank you, Borry!

Year 2: Otis: For independently editing his own writing. Otis has made huge improvements with his writing this year and he is now independently taking that next step to make his writing "Wow"! Well done, and thank you, Otis!

Reading Certificates: 150: Arthur, 175: Arthur, 200: Otis, 225: Lucia, 250: Albertine, 275: Teertha Sri.

Sapphire

Year 3: Eden: Eden is such a creative person and always produces beautiful artwork which inspires the rest of the class. Her Pentecost artwork was particularly inspiring. Well done, and thank you, Eden!

Year 4: Oliver S-R: Oliver really enjoys English and his work always shows his enthusiasm for this subject. We love reading his stories and sharing them with his class to encourage and stimulate them. Well done, and thank you, Oliver!

Reading Certificates: 25: Olly, 75: Fares, 150: Samuel K.

Diamond

Year 4/5: Marie: For designing a magnificent wooden dragon to celebrate St George's Day last week, and this week producing a magnificent crown for the Coronation. Well done and thank you, Marie!

Year 6: Talin: Talin has been a fantastic member of Year 6 and we wish her the best of luck for the future! Well done and goodbye Talin, we'll miss you!

Reading Certificates: 175: Eva, Iowa, Hollie, 200: Ralph, 225: Nina.

Lunchtime Star!

Ralph – For always being polite and using wonderful manners. Well done and Thank you Ralph!

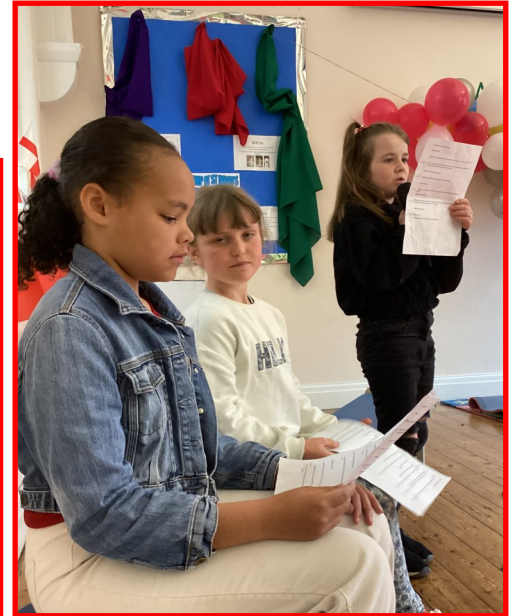
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Coronation celebrations



On Thursday, the children had a wonderful time celebrating the kings Coronation! Thank you to all that came to see our crown parade! The children very much enjoyed showing off their wonderful crowns they had made at home. The children were also treated to a royal performance of a coronation! Children from Diamond class put together a small performance of a Coronation, the narrators highlighted each step of the ceremony. We also enjoyed a celebratory lunch in the hall. It really was a day fit for a king!





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Diary Dates

8th May	ADDITIONAL Bank Holiday for the King's Coronation
8 th -11 th May	Y6 SATS Week
29 th May - 2 nd June	Half Term
5 th June	Non Pupil Day
20 th June	Sports Day
30 th June	Summer fayre
4 th July	Reserved Sports Day
17 th —19 th July	Y5/6 Dartmoor Residential
20 th July	Y6 Leaver's Assembly in church Y6 parents invited Y6 Leavers BBQ
21 st July	Last day of term for children
24 th July	Non Pupil Day

Term Dates 2023-2024

<p>Non-Pupil Day: 4th September 2023</p> <p>AUTUMN Term Commences on 5th September 2023 and Finishes on 15th December 2023</p> <p>Non-Pupil Day: 20th October 2023</p> <p>Half Term 23rd - 27th October 2023</p>
<p>Non-Pupil Day: 2nd January 2024</p> <p>SPRING Term Commences on 3rd January 2024 and Finishes on 28th March 2024</p> <p>Half Term 12th - 16th February 2024</p>
<p>SUMMER Term Commences on 15th April 2024 and Finishes on 23rd July 2024</p> <p>Bank Holiday: 6th May 2024</p> <p>Half Term 27th May 2024 - 31st May 2024</p> <p>Non-Pupil Day: 3rd June 2024</p> <p>Non-Pupil Day: 24th July 2024</p>