

Our Christian Values

Respect Forgiveness Compassion Friendship Justice Trust

Term Dates

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

I would like to thank all of our parents who completed the recent parent survey. It was lovely to hear your positive comments about our school but also good to receive your suggestions of how we can further develop as a school in supporting your child's personal as well as academic growth.

Many of our classes are currently learning about plants and living things and the warmer weather is certainly helping some of the seeds grow that the children have planted! Talking to children across the school this week about their science learning, it's clear that they are enjoying their current learning and some of them are developing a real interest and passion about plants.

Teachers in Ruby, Emerald and Sapphire Classes are currently planning day trips for their classes in the next half term which will support an area of the curriculum that the children are currently learning about. Please do keep an eye out for emails regarding these events. Diamond Class are already looking forward to their residential in July!

I wish you all a good weekend! Alison Bourne

News

Family Groups and team points



Red Tigers

208

Green Pumas

412

Blue Panthers

217

Yellow Lions

283



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

Attendance Award

Well done, Diamond Class for having the highest attendance this week with 97.41%.

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!

It's a want....

Ruby class would be extremely grateful for donations of child's pants/knickers and socks as supplies are running low. Thank you in advance!

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: Jasín: has completed some fantastic independent maths learning this week. Using squared maths paper he independently recorded his number sentences with amazing presentation. He solved the subtraction sentences using his knowledge of number bonds as well as practical resources. Well done, Jasín!

Reading Certificates: 50: Ward, Lola, Maya, Charlotte L. 75: Raihan
125: Bram

Emerald

Year 1: Fatima: for her independent learning. Fatima has blossomed in confidence this year and is able to work on her own, using classroom resources. You are fantastic Fatima and we are so proud of you!

Year 2: Amelia-Nancy: for your fantastic work this week. Amelia-Nancy has been our 'fractions queen'. She can find a half and a quarter of a number. She has worked very hard to achieve this and deserves a huge well done!

Reading Certificates: 200: Agatha C, Amelia-Nancy 225: Maisie
275: Lucia GP 300: Teertha, Kit 450: Freddie O

Sapphire

Year 3: Illia has learnt so much in such a short time. He can now read and write in English. He is always so determined to do what is asked of him. We are so proud of you Illia and your progress. Well done!

Year 4: Mansi: the whole of Sapphire class is very glad to welcome Mansi into their class. She has settled so well and is always so polite, positive and hardworking. Well done, Mansi!

Reading Certificates: 25: Amelia, 150: Wiktor, 200: Ella, Samuel, 250: Rosie C

Diamond

Year 4/5: Charlie C: has made some excellent contributions in English, science, history and maths this week and he was voted player of the match at football club. Well done and thank you Charlie!

Year 6: Ralph: has really engaged with our new class text and has written some beautiful pieces based on it this week. Well done and thank you Ralph!

Reading Certificates: 225: Hollie, Esmay, Eva 250: Freddie, Ralph
400: Charlie

Lunchtime Star!

Zara – for always using her manners and being kind and helpful at lunchtime!

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News

Yesterday, the year 6 children were able to go out into the field and plant an apple tree sapling which was donated to us by Devon Wildlife Trust. Everyone got the chance to dig the hole before carefully placing the sapling plus support into it and firming the soil around. A tree guard was placed around it which will help to protect it. A sign was placed beside it with the names of the year 6 leavers. We hope the year 6's will return to check on their tree!





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Diary Dates

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>