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Well Done Year 6

We are so proud of Year 6, who worked incredibly hard during their SATs this week. They were dedicated and diligent; they persevered; and they were determined. They supported each other; retained the sense of humour we know them so well for, and worked with a fantastic growth mind-set throughout. They have genuinely been one of our best Year 6 SATs groups ever with regards to their attitude, and we are all incredibly proud of them. Thank you and well done!



I GET BY
with a little help
FROM MY FRIENDS
- john lennon

Red Class looked at seconds, minutes, and hours in time this week. They also completed a science experiment, recording their findings in a journal.

Year 1 have been learning all about the UK this week; talking about our capital, and all the different countries. They have also been halving in Maths, including halving cakes!

2 have been making their own pirate maps in Geography this week, looking at co-ordinates and compass directions, consolidating their Maths work on position and movement.

As part of Field to Fork, Year 3 have made prints of fruit using paint and cut-outs, and have grown cress to turn into egg cress rolls using bread they will bake themselves tomorrow.

Blue Class have looked at food chains this week, exploring what would happen if a food chain broke. They also looked at Buddhist symbols, making their own religious symbols.

Year 5 did great work on fractions, percentages, and decimal numbers in Maths this week. They also made their space buggies move by making circuits for them.

As well as their fantastic work with their SATs papers this week, Year 6 looked at art from around the world, and made clay dragon eyes inspired by a particular country



What might happen if time went backwards?

Key Stage 1 Winning Answer by William in Year 2

It would be like a time machine. Going back in time can be sad as well as happy, because of things that happen in our lives

Key Stage 2 Winning Answer by Hayden in Year 4

If time went back I would change the things I do, so it would be like having a new life from a five year old

Headteachers Awards

Evie in Year 1; Noah, Logan, William, Holly, Blake, Tilly, Cleo, William, Jack and Ava in Year 2; Jasmine in Year 4

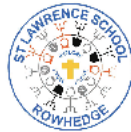


Whole school attendance this week: 98.51%

	Foundation Stage	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Percentage	96.77%	94.64%	100%	100%	99.15%	99.17%	100%
Absences	8	12	0	0	2	2	0
Lateness	2	0	0	4	5	5	1

Sunday 9th June Park Run

We're really hoping to see as many people as possible at the Junior Park Run on the Old Heath Rec' on Sunday 9th June. Let us know if you're planning on going! We'd love to get an idea of numbers. We're still looking for one or two more parent volunteers to help marshal the run for the St Lawrence Takeover, so please do let me know if you're interested. Ask Nelly in the office if you have any questions at all.



St Lawrence Primary School are TAKING OVER junior parkrun on Sunday 9th June 2019

Come and support your school at Colchester junior parkrun for a FREE timed 2km fun run. Let's get as many St Lawrence pupils as we can running, hopping, skipping or walking the course. Children can wear their school tops so we can make a sea of yellow!

Run briefing at 8:50am at Old Heath Recreation Ground!

Can you can help too? Volunteer to be part of the cheer squad. Speak to Nelly in the office for more information.



www.parkrun.org.uk/colchester-juniors

Forest School

The second group of Year 2 pupils have been really enjoying Forest School – they even cooked up sausages last week! They're looking forward to their last session tomorrow, and we'd like to say a huge thank you to all the staff and volunteers who make this such a fantastic and accesable resource.



New Foundation Stage

Last week we hand delivered packs for our new Foundation Stage pupils across Rowhedge, and posted others. If you or anyone you know has not received a pack; cannot make the dates provided; or has any concerns or queries whatsoever – please do call us. Those already with us know that we have a really open door policy and always try to do what we can to help; so it would be great if you could pass on to those who are yet to come through our school that we are always happy to chat, answer the phone, respond to emails, and hold face to face meetings. Thank you!

Uniform Reminders

Please ensure your child comes to school wearing correct uniform: namely black school shoes; grey or white socks; grey skirt, trousers, dress or shorts; school polo shirt; and school jumper, cardigan, or fleece. As the weather is warming up, securely buckled sandals and light blue gingham summer dresses are also welcome. We do know that sometimes school shoes break or are suddenly outgrown (for example) in which case we are happy for you to let us know that a temporary allowance needs to be made. Please do talk to us however when this occurs so that your child can feel comfortable in school knowing that their alternative schoolwear has been agreed and will be resolved. Any questions just let us know. Thank you so much.

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If your personal details have changed, or you would like to update the consents we hold for you, please notify us in writing.