



# Forde Weekly Newsletter Friday 6<sup>th</sup> May 2022



## Building Lifelong Foundations Together

### Home Learning

Please complete the Oxford Owl e-book and quiz at least once. Please read your RWI 'Book Bag Book' at least three times and record in journal.

### Star of the Week

My star this week is Madeleine for always showing such wonderful learning behaviours.

### School Value Award

This week, I am awarding Tristan our perseverance award for working so hard in maths.

### Reading Award

The reading award this week goes to Harriet for trying so hard when we read in the mornings!

### PE Superstars

Madeleine and Ashton are this week's PE superstars for wonderful sprinting!

Dear Parents,

I can't believe it's May already!

This week, we have been super busy across all of our learning. As scientists, we have been dissecting and exploring plants and flowers to observe the basic structure. We learnt what each part of the plant is needed for and thoroughly enjoyed pulling them apart to explore! This is also being supported in our Forest School learning which is very exciting!

On Thursday, Year 1 & 2 were lucky enough to attend a session ran by Devon Cricket. The children had a wonderful afternoon in the sun trying out lots of different activities to promote a love of cricket.



Oxford Owl home learning has been set and we expect all children to complete both the online reading AND the quiz **at least once in the week**. Your child also brings home a Read Write Inc 'Book Bag Book' which we expect to be read **at least three times a week** by your child and recorded in the reading journal. A 'reading for pleasure' book (chosen by your child) is to encourage a love of books and stories and would need to be read by an adult/older child as these are not typically phonetically decodable!

Have a lovely long weekend,  
Miss Robertson

### Message from Mrs Secker

To our wonderful Year 6. Next week is SATS week. You will hear lots of chatter about how important these tests are and that may make you feel anxious. From us all at ASM, remember, you are amazing, we are proud of you and these tests do not define who you are. You have worked so hard and grown so much. The last few years have been tough and you have been the smiles and laughter that have kept your teachers and TA's going. We will get through next week together and then we celebrate!!

### **Dates for your Diary**

6th May – FORDE CLASS PTFA BAKE SALE 3pm in the playground#

10th May – Year 3 Trip to Dartington Estate

17th May – Year 4 / 5 Trip to Dyno Climb, Buckfastleigh

19th May – Year 6 Trip to Skills Build – POSTPONED until Tuesday 21st June

20th May – Year 6 Trip to Dyno Climb, Buckfastleigh

26th May – Templar Trip to Decoy Park

26th May – KS1 Trip to Paignton Zoo

27th May – ASM Jubilee Celebration Street Party Style Lunch

27th May BRADLEY CLASS PTFA BAKE SALE 3pm in the playground

13th – 14th June – DAISI Artists to visit

17th June Fathers / Carers Day – PFTA to make gifts with the children.  
Suggested donation £1 per family.

21st June – Templar Class visit to South Devon College for 'Skills Build'

22nd June – Class Photos (AM)

24th June COURTENAY CLASS PTFA BAKE SALE 3pm in the playground

5th July – Animal Encounter to visit ASM

6th July SPORTS Day 12.30 – 2.30 (Reserve Sports Day in case of bad weather  
20th July)

6th July SUMMER FAYRE 2.30 – 4.30 (Reserve Summer Fayre in case of bad  
weather 20th July)

15th July TEMPLAR CLASS PTFA BAKE SALE 3pm in the playground

22nd July – PTFA School Disco

2nd November – Individual Photos (AM)

### **A note from Mrs Secker**