



Templar Class Weekly Newsletter Friday 21st June 2024



'Building Lifelong Foundations Together'

Attendance



Attendance Matters!



Every Student, Every School, Every Day

Class	Weekly Attendance
Forde	90%
Courtenay	99% Amazing well done
Templar	95%

This week's whole school attendance: 94.3%

Last week's whole school attendance: 96.6%

RAG Rating		98% and above
		96.1%- 97.9%
		96% and below

Our whole school attendance target is 96%

Home Learning

All: spellings

Reading: This is the last chance this year to refresh and brighten our Reading Den. Please create a celebration of Reading in Templar class: you can choose how to present this.

Dear Parents and Carers,

It has been a really busy week this week with lots of wider curriculum activities. On Tuesday, Y6 went swimming and the progress across only one week is astonishing: the teacher tells me that one of the groups won't even be using one of the swimming aids at all next week because they're ready to move on to floats! The smiles on the children's faces as they jump into the water is such a joy a to see. Also on Tuesday, Templar Y4 joined Courtenay class to produce 'A play in a day,' with an actor from Konflux Theatre. The play was based on the Tudors (which links to a recent History unit) so it required some bold performances in roles such as Henry VIII, his wives and his courtiers. The rest of the school were lucky enough to watch the performance. Well done Templar Y4 😊

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Star of the Week

Bertie –
representing ASM
so brilliantly on
both trips this past
week! What a
wonderful member
of the class!

On Wednesday, every ASM child visited other Learning Academy Partnership schools for the day. For example, ASM Y6 spent the day at Ilsham. I have taught at Ilsham for many years: it is a very special school and we were welcomed so warmly. The children got stuck in straight away to a range of workshops and talks from speakers in a variety of different careers. For example, they explored 3D printing and a talk on Water Safety. ASM Y6 were in a different group to me but their lead adult informed me that they were a joy to have and represented our school brilliantly, with enthusiasm and excitement.

Mrs Mott and Miss Blakesley
Templar Class teachers

Please note:

PE days for Year 5 and Year 6 Templar are now Tuesday and Thursday.

Tuesday Y5: Gymnastics (normal school PE kit)

Tuesday Y6: Swimming (swimming kit and packed lunch)

Thursday Y5 and Y6: Athletics (normal school PE kit)

PE for Year 4: Thursday and Friday.

MESSAGE FROM MR O'SULLIVAN

We are stronger together


We are delighted to share that our value for this half-term is creativity. To introduce this theme, we began with the creation story from the Bible, emphasising how God's creative power is evident in the world around us. We also discussed how being made in God's image means that each of us possesses the ability to create and innovate in unique ways. In celebrating the creativity of our children, we will be recognising and appreciating the diverse talents and passions they bring. We look forward to celebrating and nurturing the creative spirit in all our students during this exciting half-term.

We all belong in our School Trust

We are thrilled to share the success of our Positive Futures Day that took place on Wednesday. The children had an absolutely brilliant time visiting our Hub schools across Torquay and participating in a range of exciting workshops. It was wonderful to see how enthusiastic and inspired they were upon returning to school, buzzing with stories and experiences from their day. This event not only provided valuable learning opportunities but also ignited a sense of excitement and curiosity about their futures.

In removing barriers for all

We are thrilled to celebrate the fantastic attendance we have had this academic year, and we owe this success to your dedication and hard work in ensuring your children are present and engaged in school. The benefits of consistent attendance are profound, contributing not only to

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academic achievements but also to social and emotional growth. As we approach the end of the academic year, let's continue this momentum, working together to maintain and build upon this. Thank you for your ongoing support and partnership in your children's education.

In realising the possible so that all children can flourish....


We are thrilled to announce that the published work of our talented Year 1-2 students has finally arrived! While we thoroughly enjoyed celebrating their poetry successes at the time, seeing their creative efforts beautifully presented in this format is truly wonderful. We are confident that you will love reading their work as much as we do. Thank you for your support and encouragement.



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY 2024

2024

- 24.6.24 Reception visit to I-Town
- 27.6.24 Sports Day
- 28.6.24 Year 1 / 2 to Haldon – Details to follow.
- 28.6.24 – Non school uniform day – bring in sweets for the summer fete
- 28.6.24 PTFA Non School Uniform (please bring in chocolates or sweets)
- 3.7.24 Courtenay Trip to Newton Abbot Museum
- 5th July -PTFA Summer Fete
- 10th July – R Vision Screening (PM)
- 11.7.24 Sports Day (Reserve date)
- 12.7.24 year 6 – Reach Outdoors
- 19.7.24 Year 6 Cream Tea Event – please see email sent for the order form.
- 22.7.24 Leavers Assembly at St Paul's 1.30- 2.15
- 24.7.24 End of Term

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