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NEWSLETTER

Important Messages

Whilst the weather is hot please ensure your child/ children are wearing sun cream, have a hat and have a refillable bottle of water with them. If your child cannot apply suncream themselves, we recommend parents invest in long lasting (8 hour +) high factor sun lotion and apply before school as we are not able to apply lotion in school.

Also, a reminder to pay attention to water safety when in and around open waters. See below for some safety advise.

[Water Safety Education Resources](#) | [Royal Life Saving Society UK \(RLSS UK \)](#)



School closed for Public holiday - 5th May

F2 Balance Bikeability—6th May

AM session for children signed up.

Y3/Y4 Bikeability—6th May

PM session for children signed up.

Y1 Parents Phonics Info Meeting—8th May

Meeting will take place at 3.30pm in the 1HO classroom. See ParentMail for further details.

Y6 SATs Week—12th May to 15th May

Y6 SATs testing in school.

Y2 Talking Points Assembly—20th May

Details to follow on ParentMail

Careers Week—Week Commencing 2nd June

Careers week across school—promoting Aspirations and Diversity through links with the community. Look out on ParentMail and Facebook for details.

Whole Class and Y6 Leavers Photos—2nd June

Class photograph day—more details to follow.



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HERE'S THE NEWS

Nursery have continued their vehicle this week by learning all about hospitals. We spoke about the emergency number we would phone for an ambulance and the different ways doctors and nurses help us. We even practised our fine motor skills by making our very own first aid kits.



This week in **F2** we have launched our new aeroplane role play area in complete with captains and flight attendants. All aboard with your passport and tickets to your fabulous destination.



EYFS

Years 1 and 2

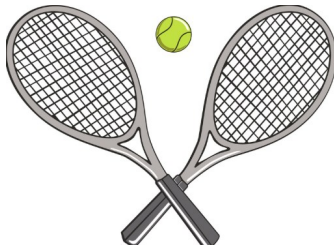
Y1 and **Y2** had a fabulous day learning all about why we celebrate VE Day. We did lots of research and learnt who Winston Churchill was! We even listened to the speech he made in 1945.



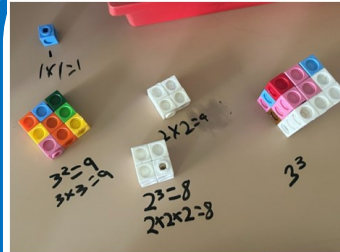
HERE'S THE NEWS

Years 3 and 4

Y3 have started their new summer PE unit – Tennis and Athletics. We have been throwing, catching, jumping in different ways and running for stamina. We are looking forward to more lovely sunny weather to practice our skills.

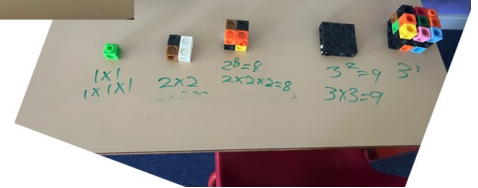


Y4 have begun exploring electricity, we looked at the components of an electrical circuit. Over the next few weeks we will be engaging in a range of science investigations.



This week year five have been learning maths in a very active fashion. We have looked at prime numbers and breaking numbers down into their prime factors.

We have also been looking at, making and understanding square and cubed numbers.



SATs are approaching fast and **Y6** are loving practising their grammar skills on Rollama. Today's tasks were adverbs of possibility and suffixes. Remember to log in at home anytime you have a few spare minutes.



Years 5 and 6

Message from the Children's Parliament and Children's Forums

The Parliamentarians met via zoom earlier this week - we discussed ideas for Community Action Week and look forward to considering ways for our school to support our community.



Celebrate

This week at Holgate we are celebrating ...

PRIDE AWARDS

This week we are very proud of the following children who have received **PRIDE** awards from Mrs Sheridan for demonstrating that they are taking **Personal Responsibility In Delivering Excellence**:

Daisy G, Y6	Milan MP, Y3	Jack H, Y6	Oliva U, Y2
Blessing N, Y4	Suzanna C, Y3	Daniel M, Y3	
Karson-Jak M, Y6	Ruby W, Y5	Nancy C, Y3	
Otis M, Y6	Preston-Joe B, Y4	Sydney S, Y4	
Jenson H, Y6	Jackson P, F2	Shakita B,	
Shannon W, Y5	Francesca C, F2	Charles R, Y3	
Madison-Rose B, Y3	Tiffany P, F2	Antonia B, Y2	

Whole School
Attendance:
95.14%

F2SB—98.38%

3JB—98.61%

Special Mentions

This week our assembly special mention is for: **Someone who generates lots of creative ideas.**

We are pleased to announce that the following children received a nomination from their year group team in assembly this week:

Nursery: Jadon S, Elisama F.

Reception: Jude A, Jayden M, Oliver F, Ovie M.

Year 1: Lola B, Halima G.

Year 2: Kray G, Joshua A, Ollie T, Archie WL.

Year 3: Felicity B, Menula G, Colt W, Immanuel N.

Year 4: Alanna E, Daisy F, Layla Sa, Archie B.

Year 5: Milli D, Jake T, Izzy W, Ruby W.

Year 6: Emily W, Mila N, Charlotte N, Roman S.



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Holgate Heroes

Holgate Heroes has replaced Golden Table and is for children who always make the right choices, always follow our school rules and uphold the Transform Trust Values of **Respect, Kindness, Equity and Creativity**. Chosen children will receive an invite in Friday assembly to come to the Holgate hero session at the Wellbeing Cafe on the following Monday lunchtime to receive a treat bag and complete a small craft activity, if they wish to do so. This week's Holgate

There are no Holgate Heroes this week due to school being closed on Monday.

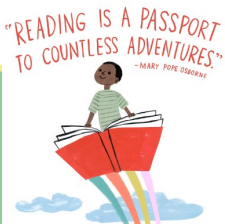
Please look out here for future Heroes!



Reading is such an important life skill and as a school we actively encourage regular reading alone and with others. Using our Boom Reader Records we can see which children are recording their reading regularly.

Most reads downstairs in school this week— Nursery

Most reads upstairs in school this week— 3JB





Signs of the Week

This week our school signs of the week



Spring



Lamb



Shoulders hunched
show baby sheep

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9TzjeWav2VE>

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2--N_PFKWc8

Musician of the Month

This month's Musician of the Month is:

Musician
of the Month

Gamelan
gong kebyar



More information can be found on the school's website: [Holgate Primary and Nursery - Musician of the month](#)

After-school Enrichment

Clubs for Summer Term 1 are as follows. Please contact the school office for details and to sign up:

Monday: Dance/Drama Y2-Y6, Football Y3-Y6.

Tuesday: Craft Club F2-Y2

Wednesday: Gymnastics Y1-Y2, Girls Football Y3-Y6, Cinema Club F2-Y6.

Thursday: Glee/Choir Y1-Y6.

Friday:

Time 2 Chat

Speaking and listening card

Do aliens exist? What are they like if they do?





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School Holidays
 Public Holidays
 Administration Day

Autumn Term

2 September - 18 October **7 weeks**

4 November - 20 December **7 weeks**

Spring Term

6 January - 14 February **6 weeks**

24 February - 4 April **6 weeks**

Summer Term

22 April - 23 May **4 weeks 3 days**

2 June - 29 July **8 weeks 2 days**