



William MacGregor Primary School Weekly Newsletter

Week ending 12th May 2023

News.....

Last week we ended on Friday with an amazing **Coronation event**. I was so proud of the children's artwork and it was lovely to see so many of you in school joining in the celebrations. Miss Marsh announced the winners of the art competition on Tuesday in assembly and they were: Mason Y1, Olivia Y3 and Aida Y6. Their work will be joined with similar winners from Coton Green and Two Gates Primary School to display in all three schools and local businesses. I hope you had a great time celebrating at the weekend whatever you did.

Year 2 had a fabulous time today on their **school trip to Tamworth Castle**. The children had guided groups exploring the castle to enhance their learning in school where they have been learning all about castles. They will be able to compare this castle to Warwick Castle on the whole school trip day.

On Friday 23rd June, all year groups from LB-Y6 will be taking part in a **school trip**. Miss Fitzpatrick has reopened this on MCAS so if you have not booked your child on yet and want too then please go on and do so. It will remain open until next Friday. All the details for your child's class are on MCAS. A £10 deposit will guarantee their place. School **disco** booking and **Father's Day/special person breakfast** is also on MCAS for you to book on to if you wish to do so.

A huge well done to our **year 6** children this week who have undertaken their SAT tests. They have made us incredibly proud and I have been really struck by their determination and their confidence. Most children have been coming to school earlier for some weeks now for extra revision and staying for tutoring so they all deserve a very restful weekend. Well done year 6 - you smashed it! **Year 2** will begin their more informal SAT tests next week for the remainder of the half term. These are much more informal and completed in small groups.

Please can I ask that **dinner choices** are chosen for the children on MCAS. This week there have been many children without a chosen order and then the children are upset that they cannot choose the meal they want as there is not enough. Jo does always make extra hot option but no extra sandwiches or jackets which the children often want.

Have a lovely weekend.

Mrs Jones

Fundraising – School lottery fortnightly update

Congratulations Mrs E Taylor to who won £7.50 last week and has very kindly donated this back to the school. Thank you.

We have raised £2538.80 so far.

We have a new area we are fund raising for now and this is the area to the side of the trim trail.

This will be an area dedicated to reflection, one that reaches our senses and provides an area of calmness and sanctuary.

Birthday celebrations

Noor
Sameena
Olly
Mason S
Megan D





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LB - Sameena

YEAR 1 - Elsie

YEAR 2 - N/A

YEAR 3 - Emiliis

YEAR 4 - Livy

YEAR 5 - Jack

YEAR 6 - All of Y6



Congratulations to all badge winners this week!

Silver – Chloe, Isabel (Yr4) Beau (Yr5)

Gold – Ellison, Dixie, Lilly-May (Yr2) Charlie (Yr3) Ava,
Ella Ro (Yr4)

Emerald – Lottie, Martynas, Bella (Yr2) Lily, Evie, Euan (Yr3)
Freddie, Orson, Charlotte, Gabriel (Yr5)

Ruby – Alisha (Yr5)



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Key Dates –

May:

15th - 26th - Y2 SATs week
24th - School disco (LB/KS1 4pm KS2 5.15pm)
26th - Last day of half term

June:

5th - All children return to school.
7th - September 2023 new intake parents meeting
12th - 16th - Y1 phonic screener week
14th, 15th, 16th - Father's/special person breakfast 8am
20th - Sports day (KS2 am, KS1 pm)
23rd - Whole school trip day
28th - Children's University graduation

July:

4th - ATLP Student Awards
5th-7th - Y6 transition to QEMS
6th - Moving up morning (Ch. Meet new teachers)
7th - End of school reports sent out.
11th - Y6 Leavers production 6pm Coton Centre
15th- Summer Fair 12-3pm
21st - End of the school year

September:

4th & 5th - INSET DAYS (School closed for children)
6th - New school year begins for all children

Maths Shed

Leaderboard this week:

Year 6
Year 4
Year 1
Year 2
Year 5
Year 3

Top Mathstronauts:

🏆 Rosie H - Y6
🏆 Rebeca T- Y1
🏆 Brody H - Y4

Spelling Shed

Leaderboard this week:

Year 4
Year 3
Year 5
Year 1
Year 2
Year 6

Top Spellers:

🏆 Brody H - Y4
🏆 Sarah T - Y4
🏆 James B - Y4



HALL OF FAME



James B, Zack G



Livy P, Toby S, Brody H, Jai N, ~~Leah~~ G, Louis B



Evie F, Ella Ra, ~~Stefi~~ S, ~~Neveah~~ S, Alex B, ~~Grace~~ C



Ella Ra, Finn M, Jenson D, Ella Ro, Layton, Maya L, Eva C, Sylvia H



Seb H, Isabel G



Kurah H



Chloe J
Sophie H, Lexi H



Emmy P,
Layla M,
~~Koucee~~ P



Max W



Layla M, Ava O,



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This is next week's Talk Topic:

What's happening in the news this week?



Let's have a look at this week's poster!

15th - 21st May 2023



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ATTENDANCE AT WILLIAM MACGREGOR

THIS WEEK	8/5/23
WHOLE SCHOOL	96.5%
LADYBIRDS	96%
YEAR 1	96.7%
YEAR 2	98.3%
YEAR 3	97.3%
YEAR 4	94.6%
YEAR 5	93.1%
YEAR 6	99.6%

IT IS GOOD TO BE GREEN!

COME ON WMG, WE NEED
TO IMPROVE
ATTENDANCE
WE ARE AIMING FOR 97%

THE CLASS NEXT WEEK
WITH THE BEST
ATTENDANCE GETS AN
EXTRA PLAYTIME



Year 6 have the
best attendance
this week! 99.6%

Well done Year 6!

**Why is high attendance
important for your child's
education?**

As a parent/carer you want the best life chances for your child/children. Being in school every day gives them the very best chance of achieving this. GCSE'S may seem a long way off for your child but 90% of children with average attendance at primary school and into secondary school of around 85% fail to achieve 5 or more GCSEs and one third of children fail to gain any.

Poor attendance in school will limit children's ability to achieve their full potential and this will impact opportunities in life.



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