



The Infant Informative



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What a fabulous Coronation Picnic we held today - the children loved every aspect of the afternoon and thoroughly involved themselves. We hope you enjoyed their singing and a chance to spend some time at our school. The rain will have to do a better job next time to hold us back. A massive thank you to the staff and PTA for their help in organising this event.

Next week I have the pleasure of joining Year 2 for their school trip to the zoo. Please check your ParentMail which will detail everything the children will need with them for the day.

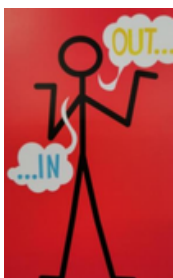
I am excited to let you know that for the first time in a number of years, Reception class will be full from September 2023. We also have a waiting list. With the ever dwindling funds given to the education sector, this will really help allow us to bring those added extras to the school, which the children really enjoy.

Please continue to use our 'tricks' illustrated below. The children at school comment on how helpful they find them when they are feeling anxious, frustrated or not quite themselves.

Enjoy the long weekend and everything that it has to offer - we look forward to welcoming the children back on Tuesday 9th May.

Mr O'Shea :)

TRICK BOX

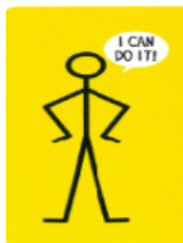


Breathing Colour

Helps us to breathe correctly through the nose to achieve a more relaxed state

Stand Tall

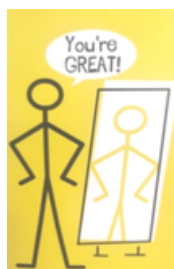
If we feel worried, nervous or scared, we can Stand Tall and say 'I can do it'



Big voice

Use your 'big voice' and believe in yourself

Mirror mirror
Speak about the positive things you can say or do



Sunny side

When something seems bad, find a sunny side

Floating cloud

Tense your body and then release, so that you can feel the difference in your body



A message from our Assistant Headteacher
Miss Saunders

This week's recommended read is the hilarious story of the King's pants by Nicholas Allen! Our children will love looking at all the designs and perhaps creating one of their own at home!



DIARY DATES

- Bank Holiday 8th May
- Year 2 School Trip 9th May
- New Reception 2023 Parent Meeting 17th May @ 19:30
- Reception School Trip 23rd May
- Special surprise in school for all children 25th May
- Class photos 6th June
- Reception Pirate's Day 16th June

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This week we have been celebrating all things royal, in honour of the upcoming coronation of our new King. The children have been making royal wreaths and lots of bunting to decorate our classroom. We also, of course, have created our very own jewelled crowns. The children have also learnt the Makaton sign language for 'king', 'coronation' and 'celebrate', maybe they could show you at home!

Outside, the children have loved painting big balloons using red, white and blue. Some of the children even managed to make their own new colour purple from mixing the red and blue together – what super learning! We have also learnt our own coronation song, which we will upload onto Tapestry very soon 😊



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Our book of the week has been ***The King's Pants***, this has linked in with our Coronation celebrations, where we have learnt all about King Charles and his coronation. We have painted portraits, written about The King, made and decorated biscuits, created crowns and bunting and lots more!

We linked our book in with ***The Pantosaurus*** again, discussing that pants are private and that we should always say 'no' if someone asks to see or touch them.

We were welcomed into our classroom on Tuesday with some new visitors – tadpoles. We have looked at their lifecycle, drawn them and have loved seeing them swimming around every day. Our Caterpillars have grown hugely and are awaiting the start of chrysalis any day now.





This week in KS1 we have...

YEAR 1

Year 1 have been busy this week with excitement of the forthcoming King Charles III Coronation making crowns to celebrate the event. The children have been working in groups to record facts they have learnt from our new class texts related to the King. Individually, the children have been making booklets using their knowledge of the features of non-fiction books. During maths, this week the children have continued their learning to make equal groups, recognise how to make groups and share objects into groups of 2, 5 and 10. During science the learning has been taken outside to find a variety of wild flowers in the woods and on the field, recording in a tally and making observational drawings of the flowers they found. The learning about the United Kingdom has continued with a focus on Wales, using a map to identify its location, Cardiff as the capital city, the surrounding seas and key landmarks. Well done Year 1!



YEAR 2

This week Year 2 have enthusiastically been preparing for the King's coronation and are looking forward to this weekend. The children have loved reading more of Franchessca Simons '**Horrid Henry**' books. This week they wrote wonderful character descriptions of Horrid Henry's younger brother 'Perfect Peter' using comparative adjectives. In DT we explored product packaging and then surveyed our peers as part of our market research using a tally chart. During geography the children looked at maps of the local area. They used map symbols to identify places of interest and then designed their own route. The children used geographical language to explain their route to their partner. In Science we continued our observations over time by recording the growth of our sunflower seeds. We also checked on our pumpkin seeds – they have grown so well! We are so looking forward to our trip to the zoo on Tuesday. As normal, send your child to school in school uniform (and weather appropriate outerwear) with a refillable water bottle. Please make sure they are wearing suitable shoes for walking around a large site.



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PTA news, events & clubs

Summer Fair - Saturday 1st July, 12-3pm

Early Bird tickets go on sale on Tuesday!

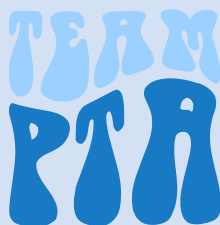
Family Camping - Saturday 15th July

Tickets go on sale next week!

Please book your tickets here: <https://www.pta-events.co.uk/cris/>

Need name stickers for your child's clothes and school items?

Purchase through Stikins and the PTA can earn some commission at no extra cost to you! Please enter 5249 when ordering, in the "School Fundraising Number" box
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CLUBS

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Playball Reception, Year 1 & 2 3pm - 3.45pm	Playball Year 1 & 2 3pm - 3.45pm	Hotsteppers Dance Year 1 & 2 3pm - 3.45pm	Ultimate Coaching Year 1 & 2 Dodgeball 3pm - 4.15pm	Ultimate Coaching Year 1 & 2 Football 3pm - 4.15pm
Jam Coding Year 1 & 2 3.05pm – 4.00pm	Yoga Reception, Year 1 & 2 3pm – 4pm	Playball Reception 3pm-3.45pm	Boogie Pumps Drama Reception, Year 1 & 2 3pm – 4pm	

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Get going every day. Being active every day helps us to all to stay healthy. Every 10 minutes counted.

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Find out more about safe drinking guidelines and how you can reduce your alcohol intake.

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Face to Face Session with Children With Disabilities Team Tuesday 27th June 2023

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