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Well-Being Week in School

Well-Being Week started with lots of excitement on Monday as children were welcomed by bubbles on the gate. On Tuesday, children were each given a card which had a positive affirmation on it and spent some time in classes celebrating what makes them unique and awesome! On Wednesday, classes engaged in a variety of mindfulness and breathing exercises to learn different techniques that can be used to improve well-being and Thursday included story time with the lovely Well-Being Ministry in the 'Ows, Wows and Nows' Garden. What a fantastic week we have had, thank you to all children and staff for their involvement and enthusiasm this week.



New clubs for September 2024

We are currently finalising our extra-curricular club offer for September 2024. We will continue to offer a variety of clubs including our long-standing clubs such as French, Andy Tucker Football, Cycle Stars and Street Dance to name but a few.

We are also excited to announce that we have some new clubs starting in the Autumn Term. Please find below the details of the new club:

Jam Coding – will run each half-term in blocks of a set number of weeks (depending on the length of the half-term)

Autumn 1

Mondays:

Year 2: Game-building (limit of 16 spaces)

Tuesdays:

Years 3-6: Mixed Game-building (limit of 24 spaces)

Wednesdays:

Years 3-6: Mixed Game-building (limit of 24 spaces)

Thursdays:

Years 3-6: Mixed Game-building (limit of 24 spaces)

The Jam Coding Team are visiting our school Worship on **Monday 24th June** to talk to the children about the club. Please find below the link to their website should you wish to find more about the workshops.

[Jam Coding - Computing and coding workshops in the UK.](#)

Magical Maths – will run each full-term in blocks of 11 weeks (the first sessions will be in the week beginning 19th September).

Autumn Term

Mondays: Years 1-2: Limit of 60 spaces

Wednesdays: Years 3-6: Limit of 60 spaces

The Magical Maths team will be visiting our school over the next few weeks to talk to the children from Reception to Year 5 about the club. These children will be in Years 1 to 6 in September which are the year groups that the club will be open to. Please find below the link to their website should you wish to find out more about the workshops.

[Magical Maths - Fun maths learning for kids \(magicalmathsclub.com\)](#)

Young Voices – will be a teacher-led club run in the Autumn term to prepare the choir for a performance in Birmingham (January or February 2025).

"We're the heartbeat of music for primary schools across the UK, where children and teachers unite in an electrifying choir experience. Through our unforgettable concerts, children discover their voices, gain confidence and create lasting memories." Young Voices.

This club will be available for pupils in Years 2 to 6. Children will learn a set list of songs during the club and will be invited to practise them at home (if possible). Parents of the children attending the club will be invited to purchase tickets to see our choir perform alongside thousands of other pupils from across the country.

Please find below the link to the Young Voices website should you wish to find more:
[Frontpage | Young Voices](#)

Our full list of extra-curricular clubs will be shared with parents before the summer holidays.

We will send out further information in due course and will notify families when bookings are open for the new term.

Reception to Year 1 Parent Information Meeting

Mrs Hession (EYFS Lead) and Miss Thomas (KS1 Lead) invite parents of children who are currently in Reception to a presentation about the transition from Reception to Year 1. At this meeting, they will be sharing some information regarding routines, curriculum and approaches to learning. This meeting will take place on **Wednesday 19th June from 9am to 9.30am** in the school hall. Please access the school hall via the car park entrance.

FOLPS News

KS2 Sports day refreshments:

FoLPS are sorry that KS2 Sports day was cancelled but the croissants are still in the freezer and ready to come out on the 18th July to be served freshly baked with tea, coffee, hot chocolate or squash (if the sun finally shows up). Don't forget your reusable mug for a discount.

Upcoming dates

- *Reception to Year 1 Parent Information Meeting - Wednesday 19th June 9am to 9.30am*
- *Larch Class Worship - Thursday 20th June*
- *New Intake Days for Reception Starters 2024 - Tuesday 25th and Wednesday 26th June*
- *Hazel Class Worship - Thursday 27th June*
- *Birch Class Worship - Wednesday 3rd July*
- *General Election Polling Day – Hall school out of use – Thursday 4th July*
- *Transition Morning - Thursday 11th July*
- *Informal Open Evening for our families to meet children's next teacher - Thursday 11th July 4.15pm to 5.00pm*