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SCHOOL
2024 - 2025



Plaxtol News

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It was wonderful to watch Class 4 perform 'What a Knight!' on Monday last week. Every single child put 100% into their performance, the acting was great and the singing and dancing were fab-u-lous!! Thank you to all the staff that made this happen and to Evie (a past pupil) for making all the props. It was a real team effort. Thanks also go to the Year 6 parents for their very generous gift to the school of six programmable robots. All the children will really enjoy using them next year.

Information about the Summer Reading Challenge is now also available at local train stations, so if you are at Tonbridge or Sevenoaks over the holidays please collect a 'Read to the Beat of the journey' pack. Remember if your child brings the completed certificate to school in September they will receive 10 house points, so please encourage your child to take part. The Year 6 reports are being sent out today. Please can parents across the school return your parent feedback sheets to class teachers tomorrow, as it is really helpful to read your comments.

Just a reminder that there is no after school care tomorrow Tuesday 21st July. Please can all library books also be returned by tomorrow. The PSA is organising an informal "Welcome Back Event" for parents and children on Friday 18th September - meet after school in Plaxtol play park. There is also an ice cream van coming at the end of school tomorrow.

Congratulations to Myla, Archie in Year 1 and Elliott for achieving 100% attendance this year, this is quite an amazing feat. Well done !

Thanks to everyone for all the gifts that have been given to staff at the end of term, it was very kind and generous of you all. Please have a lovely holiday and we look forward to seeing you in September. Please take care and be safe.

Coding Club

Jam Coding are running an after-school club to improve children's digital skills. It will run on Tuesdays for KS2 in Term 1 from 3.20-4.20pm and costs £8.50 a session. Please see the attachment for further details.

Attendance

The table below shows attendance from the last week.

Class 1 – 92.86%

Class 2 – 90.53%

Class 3 – 94.00%

Class 4 – 90.53%

Music Award

We awarded the annual Music Cup to Jess H in Year 4 for her increased confidence in Music this year. She also performed brilliantly at our Music event. Well done, Jess!

Key dates

Tuesday 21st July – Leavers assembly 9.15am

Tuesday 1st September – Inset day

Wed 2nd and Thurs 3rd September – Reception home visits

Thursday 10th September – 11+ for Year 6

Tuesday 22nd September – School individual photos

Thursday 24th September – MacMillan coffee morning
Thursday 24th September Class 3 Rocks, soils and fossils workshop for Class 3

Wednesday 30th September – Flu vaccinations

Thursday 1st and Friday 2nd October – Bikeability for Year 6.

Tuesday 6th October – Lifespace workshops for all classes.

Tuesday 20th October – Rochester Bridge Workshop for Class 3 and 4

Friday 23rd October – Inset day