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The newsletter from Mundford C of E Primary School - Your school, your news!

Friday 18th May

Wear red, white & blue to celebrate the Royal Wedding

In order to celebrate the royal wedding, special art, craft and learning activities will be planned for each class on Friday 18th May. The children are invited to attend school that day wearing red, white & blue. If they do not have suitable clothing, then their school uniform covers the white & blue and teachers will provide paper for them to make red accessories!

Summer Term Improvement Focus – Maths

This term the Federation is focussing on ways of developing children's confidence in and enthusiasm for Maths. Every class has started 'Maths Meetings' which give them daily practice of key mathematical skills and facts. Further information will be sent home later in the term about the specific skills each class is learning.

Telling the time, reading measuring scales and using money can be easily practised at home. Cooking, playing games and going shopping all give children opportunities to see the real work importance of Maths and practise their skills in a fun way. This website gives more ideas suitable for each age group:

https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/for-home/advice-for-parents/maths-at-home/#

Your child also has log-in details for Maths Garden and Purple Mash websites (which includes a section of Maths games). If they have forgotten their log-in, please speak to the class teacher.

We hope you will join us in showing the children that Maths really can be fun!

Goodbyes

We are very sad to be saying goodbye to both Mrs Christina Galletly, our executive Head, and Mrs Pam Allen, midday superviser, at the end of term. Both have been a part of the Mundford school community for more years than they will let us count! Should anyone wish to contribute to retirement gifts for either, then please drop these in to the school office.

PTA News

A big thank you to all those who helped with or supported the recent Easter Bingo and School Disco events organised by our Parent-Teacher Association. If any parents would like to get involved with the PTA, please speak to someone at the school. We are always grateful for more volunteers. This term the PTA have again given each class a £150 donation to spend on resources to improve their class and enrich the curriculum.

Upcoming Events

 $14^{th} - 17^{th}$ May – National Tests (SATs) for Year 6 Fri 22^{nd} June – 1:30pm KS2 Sports Day Half Term Holiday: 28^{th} May – 1^{st} June 4^{th} – 8^{th} June: Y6 Residential to Lakeside, Cumbria

Diary Dates

Dates for Mundford Junctions, as well as all other school events can all be found on our school website:

http://www.churchsidefederation.norfolk.sch. uk/mundford/

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