



BURMAN'S BULLETIN - 02.05.2025



A - Attitude; always trying our best, succeed and Smile!
(Summer 1)



Golden Certificates



Well done to:-

Nursery - Yunus and Freya T

Reception - Shrida Class 1, Aurora Class 2

Year 1 – Will be awarded next week due to Warwick Castle Trip

Year 2 - Casper Class 5, Aaron Class 6

Golden Lunchtime Behaviour:-

Well done to:- Aurora Class 2 for settling into a lovely lunchtime routine.

Bertie's Bonus

Winners

Class 6 - Well done!



Next Week....

- ♦ 05.05.2025 - Bank Holiday - School Closed
- ♦ 06.05.2025 - Special May Day Menu



Upcoming dates for your diary :-

- 12.05.25 - Year 1- Bikeability starts
- 14.05.2025 - Twycross Zoo Trip for Nursery Children
- 15.05.2025 - Class Photographs
- 16.05.2025 - Class 5 Forest School
- 19.05.2025 - Year 2 Assessment week



Weekly Attendance



Well done to Class 2 this week For being Attendance Superstars, with an amazing 98.9%

Nursery	Class 1	Class 2	Class 3	Class 4	Class 5	Class 6
90.5%	93.9%	98.9%	94.4%	96.8%	93.3%	95.8%

Nursery

In PE this week we have become jugglers and have started to practise catching and throwing a ball-of different sizes. Please continue to practise this at home! On Thursday, we had our Super Starter. We came into Nursery to find a letter from someone explaining all their animals had escaped. We had to find them to return them. Everyone worked so well to find them all! After looking at them, we thought about who could have written the letter and where the animals have come from; The Zoo! In our new topic we will be reading 'Dear Zoo' and learning about a wide range of Zoo animals! **Phonics** next week 'v' and **Rhyme of the Week**—Baa Baa Black Sheep.

Reception

Our Super Starter on Wednesday provided a wonderful introduction to our Growing topic. Mr Cottrell sent us a letter asking for our help to get the Burman Garden ready for Summer. We got straight to work with digging, tidying, weeding, planting and watering and we are looking forward to continuing this over the rest of the half term.

In Maths we revisited take away number stories and represented them on a tens frame. We also started exploring the concept of time. We explored how long it takes to do different activities and had a go at completing different challenges. The children challenged ourselves to see how tall we could build a tower in 30 seconds.

In **Phonics** next week, we will be reviewing our Phase 3 phonics learning. We will also be assessing your child on their Spring 2 learning before we start Phase 4.

Year 1 - This week, the children have settled brilliantly back into their learning after the Easter break. They were excited to find out that our new English text for this half term is 'Katie in London'. They explored the setting of the opening pages—Trafalgar Square, and learnt lots of facts to help them to start exploring our new genre; Information Texts. In Maths, the children have been learning about fractions. They explored recognising half of a shape or object and then progressed to finding half of a quantity. On Thursday afternoon the children had great fun exploring and identifying common plants and completed some detailed observational drawings. The week will finish with a fabulous trip to Warwick Castle as our Creative Curriculum Super Starter, which the children will be excited to tell you all about!

Next week in **Phonics**, we will be reviewing the graphemes in **ea, ir, ou, oy**. We will be reviewing the tricky words: **any, many, who, whole**.

Year 2 - The children have settled back into school really well after the Easter break and have had a great start to the new term. In Maths, they have been learning all about time and have enjoyed using their new skills to work out when playtime and lunch begin—a very useful skill indeed! In Science, we started our new topic on plants and the children impressed us with their knowledge, confidently identifying different parts of a plant.

The week also brought an unexpected adventure when the children discovered that Miss Saxty had mysteriously disappeared—and might have fallen through time! Following a series of clues, they found themselves in a time machine and travelled back hundreds of years. Thankfully, Miss Saxty was safely found and the children were full of questions about her exciting journey. It was a fantastic and memorable way to launch our new Creative Curriculum topic, Everlasting Events! Year 2 were so immersed in the mystery, they didn't even realise it was our Super Starter!

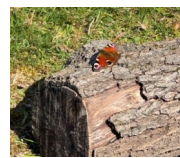
Weekly Phonics focus: ea, ir, ou, oy

Weekly Spelling focus: Adding suffixes –ment, -ness, -ful, -less and -ly to root words.

Forest School Update



Before the Easter holidays, Class 1 had a lovely Forest School session in the sunshine. We spent our time hunting for and identifying insects! We had some very interesting finds and were even lucky enough to watch a Peacock butterfly at the fire square. It must have known we were on the look out for creatures!



Other School News!



Our afterschool Spring Disco this week was a fantastic success! We want to extend a heartfelt *thank you* to all the parents who supported this event. Thanks to your generosity and enthusiasm, we raised an incredible **£310.00!** These funds will go directly towards purchasing a much-needed sound/speaker system for the school. We're so grateful for your continued support—it truly makes a difference!



As the warm weather continues, please remember to apply sun cream to your child before school and ensure they bring a sun hat to stay protected during outdoor activities. Thank you for helping us keep everyone safe in the sun!



Thank you to all parents and carers for your support with our drop off and collection door arrangements. These are running smoothly and the children have helped too! Please do remember that all classes now enter school and are dismissed from doors at the front of school (on the playground).

Parent links

Little Wandle

<https://www.littlewandlelettersandsounds.org.uk/resources/for-parents/>



Join the PTA!



If you can spare any time to help with any PTA events please contact the office! We really appreciate any help. Thank you.