

Winkleigh Primary School

Weekly Newsletter

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A note from the Head

Dear Parents and Carers,
What a lovely week we've had here at Winkleigh school with so much going on. A team of our Year 3 and 4 children went over to Hatherleigh Primary School for a football match on Wednesday, which they won quite convincingly! Thank you to parents for transporting your children to this event.

It was lovely to see Class 1 from Kings Nympton here on Wednesday when they joined Year 1 for their trip to the beach. They had a fantastic day rock-pooling, building sandcastles and just having fun together. The weather was not quite as hot as last year but this did not stop the fun.

It was also great to see all the Year 4s from the Federation get together for their Wildwood Escot residential, they were so excited yesterday morning. Seeing the pictures of them through the day and into the evening was great, so many exciting activities. It's really been a fun filled couple of days. Thank you to Miss McLean for organising the trip and to Mrs Blacker and Miss Parsons who have now accompanied us on every residential so far this year. Thank you so much for giving up your time.

Yesterday three teams of Year 6s took part in football and netball matches against Hatherleigh Primary. The girls' football team won 1-0, the boys' football team won 9-0 and our netballers won 2 games and lost 2 games. Well done to all involved, it was lovely to see so many parents here supporting their children. Thanks to FOWS for providing refreshments.

Today, a team from Year 6 is off to Bow Primary School for a cricket match, good luck. And, Year 3 went to Monkleigh Primary School to take part in joint rounders and orienteering with them.

Well done to Year 3 who won the FOWS copper coin collection challenge, they will be having a non-uniform day next Friday along with a special treat on the day.

Year 6 were given their Leavers' Hoodies yesterday and they look brilliant, a sea of sapphire blue around the school!

We have a "move up" day on Tuesday when all children will spend the day in their new class. Year 6s who are going to Chulmleigh College in September will spend the day there.

There is no change to the current teaching structure for September, so teachers will be as follows:

Nursery—Mrs Stapley

Year 3—Mr Slocombe

Reception (Owls) - Mrs Bourner

Year 4—Miss McLean

Year 1—Mrs Rowcliffe & Mrs Keast

Year 5—Mr Walter

Year 2—Miss Jones

Year 6—Mr Davis

Teaching Assistant support will be arranged in September, based on the needs within each class.

Have a lovely weekend!



Mrs V Fenemore, Executive Headteacher

DIARY DATES

W/C 10TH JULY 2023



Monday 10th July	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ♦ PE kit today: Year 5, Year 6 vs. Staff Football Match (optional) ♦ 12.30pm Squirrels Parents Lunch ♦ 1.15pm Squirrels Welcome Meeting with Mrs Bourner ♦ 3.30pm-4.30pm Crochet/Sewing Club (final session)
Tuesday 11th July	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ♦ Transition “Move Up” Day—children should come to school/ Nursery as normal and will be released at the end of the day by their current teacher ♦ Year 5 reports out ♦ PE kit today: Year 4, Year 6 ♦ 12.30pm-1.30pm Gardening Club (final session) ♦ 3.30pm-4.30pm Bat & Racket Sports Club (Year 4, 5, & 6)
Wednesday 12th July	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ♦ Year 6 SATS results and Year 6 reports out ♦ 12.00pm-5.30pm Year 5 Parents Evening ♦ PE kit today: Owls, Year 1, Year 3, Year 4 ♦ 3.15pm—3.30pm Key Stage 2 cake sale—donations of cakes gratefully received! ♦ 3.30pm-4.30pm Girls Football Club (final session) ♦ 3.30pm-4.30pm Year 6 Water Fun (optional)
Thursday 13th July	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ♦ Year 6—Surfing Residential ♦ PE kit today: Owls, Year 2, Year 3, Year 6 ♦ 3.30pm-4.30pm Multi Sports Club (final session) ♦ 3.30pm-4.30pm Fine Art Club (final session) ♦ 3.30pm-4.30pm Rounders Club (final session)
Friday 14th July	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ♦ Year 3—FOWS Copper Coin Collection treat day! ♦ Year 6—Surfing Residential—parents to collect from Widemouth Bay at 2.00pm ♦ PE kit today: Year 2, Year 5, Year 6 ♦ No Nursery Stay & Play—to return in the Autumn term ♦ 3.30pm-4.30pm Team Sports Club (final session) ♦ 3.30pm-4.30pm Lego Coding & Animation Club (final session) ♦ 3.30pm-3.45pm FOWS After School Ice Creams

Emails sent this week: HAF Programme—Summer Holidays. Owls—Missing Cardigan. Year 1 Summer Term Report. Year 3 Summer Term Report. Outstanding School Meal Balance. Cricket Match at Bow Primary. School Telephone Issues. School Telephones—Fixed. Squirrels Leavers’ Party—Tuesday 18th July. Owls—Superhero Day. Owls PSED Lessons—5th July. Year 6 End of Term Activities. REMINDER—School Meals for September.

THE LEARNING ZONE

SHARING OUR LEARNING AND A MESSAGE FROM THE TEACHERS



Nursery (Squirrels & Hedgehogs)—Mrs Stapley

Another wonderful week in the Nursery! This week we have been focusing our learning around the book 'Sharing a shell' by Julia Donaldson. The children have enjoyed exploring shells, drawing shells, making patterns in the play dough, counting shells and finding the correct numeral to match and they have created spiral shapes using coloured sand.

Other books we have enjoyed this week are 'Barry the fish with fingers' and 'What the ladybird heard at the seaside'.

Have a super weekend!

The Nursery Team



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Owls Class—Mrs Bourner

This week in Owls Class the children have had great fun learning all about money. They have looked at different coins and worked out ways to pay for amounts where multiple different coins must be used. They have sorted coins according to size and colour, have created rubbings using the coins and have had fun buying items from the toy shop. Once again there has been some great mathematical language used in class this week. ***It would be great if the children could practise using coins over the weekend to pay for real or pretend items.***

In literacy, the children have continued to work hard on learning their tricky words, playing games and looking for them within sentences. We enjoyed looking at different sized items of clothing as part of our PSED lesson on Thursday, linking this to the story 'You'll soon grow into them Titch.' The children loved showing the items they had brought in from home.

We have begun collecting in reading books and library books this week but would still encourage you to share books with your children as much as you can. The local libraries have a new summer challenge called 'Ready, Set, Read!' which is a great way of keeping the children interested in books over the summer break.

Have a lovely weekend Owls ready for a busy week next week where you will get to meet your new teachers on Tuesday.



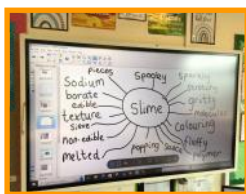
Year 1—Mrs Rowcliffe & Mrs Keast



In English this week we had great fun making slime! We have been reading recipes from the Slime book and have picked out some of the words we are unfamiliar with like 'polymer' and 'molecule' This has helped us to expand our vocabulary. We have also worked on some



In Maths we have been learning about time. We have been ordering events using the words 'before' and 'after' to help describe a typical day. We have been learning the days of the week and the months of the year using some fun interactive games and activities.



In PSHE we have learned to explain the difference between a secret and a nice surprise. We have read some story situations and identified them as being secrets or surprises. We have also discussed who we can talk to if we feel uncomfortable about any secret we are told, or told to keep.

Next week we are looking forward to spending Tuesday with Miss Jones for the transition day as we head towards Year 2!

Year 2—Miss Jones

Another busy week has flown by. In English we have started our poetry sequence and have explored different poems about our senses. We have been working on using descriptive language such as expanded noun phrases as we have structured our own poems, entitled I like and beach sounds.



In Maths we started our final sequence on position and direction. We have looked at using prepositional language like left, right, below and above when describing the movement of different objects.



In History we completed our assessment and recalled what we have learned during our food in the past sequence. We were able to describe the similarities and differences compared to the present day, such as the use of delivery bikes and vans and the fact that we can now get everything that we need from one supermarket.

In Science we also consolidated our learning about everyday materials and their uses during our assessment booklet. We thought about selecting the appropriate material for their uses and sorting materials into being man-made or natural, as well as whether certain materials are easier to change the shape of.



On Wednesday we thought about what it means to be a special friend and what qualities they may have. We had a fun competition during DT to see who could design the most creative piece of animal toast. There were some great entries! Have a good weekend everyone.

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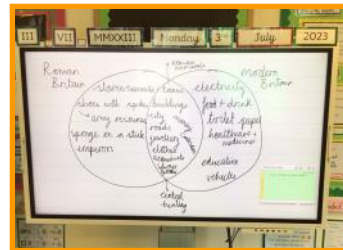


Year 3—Mr Slocombe

Year 3 have had a brilliant week! Lots of excitement around our residential at the start of the week, which fed into our writing! We have also focused on similes, metaphors and alliteration as part of our poetry sequence.

In maths, we have rounded off our statistics unit and we are now revisiting some of our prior learning and consolidating it. In science, we have learnt about how shadows form and change throughout the day due to the Earth's rotation.

History saw us compare modern Britain with Roman Britain, using this knowledge to complete our assessment task. Today, we have visited Monkleigh Primary School and had an excellent day learning more about rounders and orienteering as part of our PE curriculum.



Year 4—Miss McLean

The highlight of this week has been our residential to Wildwood Escot.

More to follow next week, here are some photos of our time away.



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Year 5—Mr Walter

It has been fantastic to be back with Year 5s this week! The whole class were excited to talk me through everything they have done in the last two weeks. On a personal note I would like to thank you all for your kind words and gifts, it means a lot to us all.

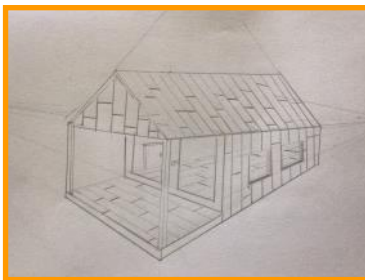
In the classroom this week, we have finished our independent writes on our own adaptations of *The Tear Thief*. There have been some well thought out examples of thieves who steal screams, dreams and frowns amongst many others. Similarly, our maths sequence of converting units came to an end with us reinforcing our understanding of the conversions between metric and imperial measurements as well as comparing mm and cm.



In history, we worked on creating our own timeline of the events in World War II, we had to think what were key events with the war and highlight some major events that occurred locally with Plymouth, Exeter and Winkleigh airfield all being added to our completed timelines. Science this week involved us conducting an experiment on the levels of friction different surfaces have on a toy car. We used different levels of force to test our hypothesis.

On Thursday, we have a garden day so please have wellies and appropriate clothing. I hope you all have a fantastic weekend, I look forward to talking with you at parents evening on Wednesday. Well done Year 5!

Year 6—Mr Davis



That is the end of the final 'full week' at school for Year 6! We have been finishing off all of the lessons that we had remaining. In English, the children's final sequence is based on a book called *Human 2.0* which looks into how bionics are becoming more prevalent and what the ethical considerations are for us as a species. The children have learnt a lot of new, technical vocabulary and had a go at presenting their own bionic device to a reader. It has prompted some fascinating discussions.

In maths, we have been looking at some practical applications of some of the techniques we have been learning in the context of planning a holiday. The children have been converting units, interpreting statistics and calculating the mean in order to make their decisions.

In Art, the children have been building their technical drawing skills by practising creating art with two-points of perspective. This is a really challenging skill and some of the results were fantastic!

In History, the children learnt about the first Greek Olympics and compared them to the modern ones. There were a surprising amount of similarities! We have also had four major sporting fixtures this week: girls football, boys football, netball and cricket. I was so impressed by the children's attitude and the way they supported and encouraged each other. I hope you all have a lovely weekend.



YEAR 1—BEACH TRIP

BUDE, 5TH JULY 2023



SPORTS ROUND UP

FIXTURES W/C 3RD JULY 2023



Year 3&4—Football—Hatherleigh 1—5 Winkleigh



Year 6—Boys' Football—Winkleigh 9—0 Hatherleigh



Year 6—Girls' Football—Winkleigh 1—0 Hatherleigh



Year 6—Netball—Winkleigh 2—2 Hatherleigh



YEAR 3—MONKLEIGH

ROUNDERS & ORIENTEERING—7TH JULY 2023



We visited Monkleigh Primary School and had an excellent day working together, and learning more about rounders and orienteering as part of our PE curriculum.

The children all worked collaboratively with their peers from Monkleigh and we were really proud of the children's resilience and teamwork. Well done Year 3!

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Dates of Camp 2023

WEEK 1: 20th - 21st July
WEEK 2: 24th - 25th July
WEEK 3: 7th - 8th August
WEEK 4: 14th - 15th August
WEEK 5: 21st - 24th August

Winkleigh Primary School

Famer Frank's Lane
Winkleigh, EX19 8JQ

Booking Link

tinyurl.com/winkleigh-summer

Contact: ross.emery@primary-sports.co.uk / 07443457646



ALL SORTS AFTER SCHOOL CLUB

~ Sessions available between 3.30pm to 5.30pm, charged at £5.00 per hour ~

~ Every Monday to Friday during term time ~

~ Book on the Gateway in the Clubs section ~

Our programme of activities for this half term is shown below

Mondays—Fun & Games

Board and card games - children may also bring in their favourite board/card games from home to play with their friends.

+ SNACK (sandwich)



Tuesdays—Outdoor Play

Traditional playground games, parachute games, ball games.

+ SNACK (sandwich)

Wednesdays—Art & Craft

Creative mixed media art projects led by our talented in-house artist; Miss Parsons.

Summer themed art projects including; tissue paper ice cream collage, summer sun pointillism, wax and watercolour underwater scene, design a 2D sandcastle, beading and scratch art, sewing and flip-flop 3D design!



Thursdays—Cooking

Summer food items including; stir fry, summer fruits salad, chilli noodles, Eton mess, muffin pizzas and more!

We cook together, then eat together.

Fridays—Allsorts

Outside: Football/ ball games/ bikes / gardening

Inside: table games/ art/ construction /quiet time

+ SNACK (sandwich)



SPRING/SUMMER MENU

17TH APRIL TO 20TH OCTOBER 2023



Week One

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Option 1	Freshly Prepared Margarita Pizza	The Norse Beef Burger in a Bap with Homemade Salsa	Roast Chicken with Stuffing	Freshly Prepared Beef Bolognese	Battered Fish Fillet
Option 2 (v)	Quorn Burger in a Bap with Relish	Quorn Hot Dog in roll with Relish	Freshly Prepared Vegetable Lentil Loaf	Mediterranean Vegetable Bolognese	Vegetable Fingers
Sides	Baked Beans Herby Diced Potatoes	Sweetcorn, Jacket Potato Wedges	Fresh Carrots Roast Potatoes & Gravy	Peas Wholewheat Spaghetti & Crusty Bread	Crunchy Vegetable Sticks & Chips
And for pudding	Flapplejack	Apple & Cinnamon Muffin	Organic Pip Ice Lolly	Chocolate Surprise Brownie	Homemade Custard Biscuit
Packed lunch	Falafel, Spinach & Mango Chutney in a Wrap	Mini Ploughman's	Tuna Mayo & Cucumber Wrap	Cheese Sandwich	Ham Baguette
Available each day	Freshly Prepared Salad, Bread and Drinking Water. Fresh Fruit or Organic Yoghurt available as a pudding alternatives				
Week starting:	17/04/23—08/05/23— 05/06/23—26/06/23— 17/07/23— 18/09/23— 09/10/23				

Week Two

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Option 1	Freshly Prepared Mac & Cheese	NEW! BBQ Chicken & Rice	Honey Roast Gammon & Pineapple	Norse's Butchers Sausages	Fishtastic Wrap
Option 2 (v)	Freshly Prepared Roasted Vegetables Pasta Bake	Homity Pie	Homemade Cheese & Leek Parcels	Vegetarian Sausages	Halloumi Pizzola
Sides	Peas	New Potatoes & Corn on the cob	Fresh Carrots Roast Potatoes & Gravy	Baked Beans, Tomatoes & Hash Browns	Crunchy Vegetable Sticks & Chips
And for pudding	Honey Pancakes	Summer Fruit Salad (Apple, Melon, Banana)	Gelato (Arctic Roll)	Chocolate Mousse	Organic Pip Ice Lolly
Packed lunch	Egg Mayo & Cress Sandwich	Cheese Sandwich	Fish Finger Roll	BBQ Jackfruit & Lettuce Wrap	Ham Sandwich
Available each day	Freshly Prepared Salad, Bread and Drinking Water. Fresh Fruit or Organic Yoghurt available as a pudding alternatives				
Week starting:	24/04/23— 15/05/23— 12/06/23— 03/07/23— 04/09/23— 25/09/23— 16/10/23				

Week Three

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Option 1	Homemade Cheese Wheels	Meatballs in Tomato Sauce	Roast Loin of Pork & Apple Sauce	Bubble Salmon	Fish Fingers
Option 2 (v)	Quorn Sausages	Veggie Balls in Tomato Sauce	Veggie Roast	Vegetable Enchilada	Sweet Potato, Spinach & Feta Frittata
Sides	Peas & Herby Diced Potatoes	Carrots & Wholewheat Spaghetti	Fresh Carrots Roast Potatoes & Gravy	Mixed Vegetables & Potato Salad	Baked Beans & Chips
And for pudding	Orange & Sultana Oaty Cookie	Chocolate Cracknel	Fruit Jelly	Lemon Drizzle Cake	Organic Pip Ice Lolly
Packed lunch	Egg Mayo Sandwich	Cheese Roll	Tuna Mayo Sandwich	Jays Sausage Roll & Veggie Sticks	Ham Baguette
Available each day	Freshly Prepared Salad, Home Baked Bread and Drinking Water. Fresh Fruit or Organic Yoghurt available as a pudding alternatives				
Week starting:	01/05/23— 22/05/23 — 19/06/23— 10/07/23— 11/09/23— 02/10/23				

ADVICE FOR PARENTS



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Should I keep my child off school?

Yes

Until...

Chickenpox	at least 5 days from the onset of the rash and until all blisters have crusted over
Diarrhoea and Vomiting	48 hours after their last episode
Cold and Flu-like illness (including COVID-19)	they no longer have a high temperature and feel well enough to attend. Follow the national guidance if they've tested positive for COVID-19.
Impetigo	their sores have crusted and healed, or 48 hours after they started antibiotics
Measles	4 days after the rash first appeared
Mumps	5 days after the swelling started
Scabies	they've had their first treatment
Scarlet Fever	24 hours after they started taking antibiotics
Whooping Cough	48 hours after they started taking antibiotics

No

but make sure you let their school or nursery know about...

Hand, foot and mouth	Glandular fever
Head lice	Tonsillitis
Threadworms	Slapped cheek



Advice and guidance

To find out more, search for health protection in schools or scan the QR code or visit <https://qrco.de/minfec>.



Families with children in Key Stage 1 who are eligible are encouraged to apply as the funding is in addition to Universal Infant Free School Meals!

If your circumstances have changed and you are now in receipt of one or more of the following:

- Universal credit (provided you have a net income of £7400 or less)
- Income support
- Income-based jobseekers' allowance
- Income-related employment and support allowance
- Support under Part IV of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- The guaranteed element of state pension credit
- Child tax credit, provided that you are not also entitled to working tax credit and have an annual gross income of £16,190 or less

You may be eligible for pupil premium funding for Winkleigh Primary School, which entitles your child/ren to receive Free School Meals.

It takes less than a minute to apply.

Visit the following website:

<https://www.gov.uk/apply-free-school-meals>

or call the Education Helpline on 0345 155 1019.

If eligible, please send a screenshot of your confirmation to
admin@winkleigh.devon.sch.uk

Holiday Activities and Food (HAF) programme



The aim of the Holiday Activity and Food (HAF) programme is to support children to eat more healthily, be more active over the school holidays and have a greater knowledge of health and nutrition as well as be more engaged with school and other local services.

To help you find the guidance you need, please visit:

<https://www.devon.gov.uk/educationandfamilies/document/haf-providers-summer-2023/>

