



Newsletter

Head Teacher Message

Another year has come to an end and I can't really believe how quickly it has passed. We have collectively achieved so much this year and the school continues to go from strength to strength. We have many new plans and ideas in place for the academic year 2018-19 and I'm sure it will be another year to celebrate. I would like to take this opportunity to thank all the children, staff, parents, carers and Governors for their much needed and appreciated support. We wish our year 6 pupils every success at their new Secondary School and we know that they will continue to do themselves proud and be a great success at their new school. We are looking forward to greeting our new year 3 children, along with our other pupils on Thursday 30th August. Have a great summer break and we will see you soon!

Dates for your Diary



School starts



Autumn Half Term

The Last Month:

Y3 Africa Day

Y3 had their very own African Drummer visit the school to teach them how to play the African Drums. They had a fabulous time and the sounds they made from the drums was inspiring. Music plays an important part in the life of the school and we have lots more musical enrichment activities planned for next year.

Staff leaving and Joining us

Sadly we will be losing Mrs Brown, Miss Millsop, Mr King and Mr Patel this year who will all be taking on new roles at different schools. We will be sad to see them go and we wish them all the best for the future. Mrs Ravat will be joining our Y3 team next year and I'm sure you will make her very welcome when she arrives.

Y6 Residential to Govilon

24 pupils from years five and six visited the Govilon Outdoor Education Centre last month. I attended the weekend visit and can safely say we had the most fantastic time. We went caving, gorge walking, mountain walking and did lots of team building exercises. We will be taking another group next year and we hope to increase the numbers to at least 30. The cost of the trip is £120 pounds for a two night stay which is fantastic value for money. We will be sending more information early next term so please look out for this.

Quotes from Parent that attended the Reading and Maths Cafe

-I think the Golden Ticket idea was great. My daughter and I really enjoyed it. We did different activities, it was fun.

Its really good to come for activity and play and spend time with my daughter. Really helpful and felt relaxed. Teachers are really helpful. Thank you.

This is a very good program for both parents and kids. It helps the kids improve in their English and maths knowledge.

Really enjoyed this session, many fun games to play. Spent time with the children which is most important.

Student Voice

The new CPG books really helped us with our SATs –
Sana Malamji Y6

Important Notices

SATs Results 2017-18

Once again our Y6 pupils have achieved highly in their end of Key Stage 2 SATs Tests. The last two years has seen a huge improvement in our results and we are now consistently in line with or above national averages. This is testament to all the staff, children, parent and carers and shows that when a community unites anything is possible. Attached to this newsletter is the 3 year trend for our results which clearly shows the progress we have made in the last two years since LEAD Academy Trust took over the school.

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Attendance Figures

Winning Year group for this year: Year 6

- Year 3 – 96.61%
- Year 4 – 96.40%
- Year 5 – 95.96%
- Year 6 – 97.15%



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We value **your voice** and would like you to join us on our journey of improvement.

SATs Summary 2016-2018

		2016	2017	2018
Reading	Expected Standard	39%	68% ↑	72%↑
	Higher Score	10%	18% ↑	22%↑
Writing	Expected Standard	82%	83% ↑	88%↑
	Higher Score	9%	13% ↑	35%↑
GPVS	Expected Standard	63%	88%↑	90%↑
	Higher Score	13%	54% ↑	43%↓
Maths	Expected Standard	59%	89% ↑	84%↓
	Higher Score	12%	38% ↑	32%↓
RWM Combined		35%	66% ↑	67%↑
RWM – GD			8%	13%↑
Average scaled score for Reading			103	103
Average scaled score for Maths			110	106↓
Average scaled score for GPVS			108	108
Progress Reading		-6.5	-3.4 ↑	
Progress Writing		-0.5	-1.3 ↑	
Progress Maths		-3.3	+1.05 ↑	

National Results 2018

2018	Reading And Writing And Maths	Reading	Writing	Mathematics	Grammar, Punctuation And Spelling	Reading	Mathematics	Grammar, Punctuation And Spelling	Comments
National	64%	75%	78%	76%	78%	105	104	106	