



St. Benedict's Primary School

Newsletter 05/05/23



Every child should have the right and means to fulfil their dreams.

Messages from Mrs Nott

What a busy week! Even with a Bank Holiday we have managed to fit so much in this week.

Thank you to all the Year 5 parents who came along to their Maths Workshop on Thursday. Your support is really valued!

There are no workshops or special events next week as Year 6 are completing their SATs tests all week and we need to ensure the school is calm for them to concentrate.

Pupil Job Opportunities

As a school we are committed to improving our local environment and school grounds. We have roles for children to apply for if they wish to support our school's environmental work. This is a great opportunity to take on an additional responsibility.

- **Gardening Team** (lunchtime job)
- **Litter Picking Team** (lunchtimes job)
- **Environmental Monitoring Team** (classroom job)

Parents, please support your child if they are interested in one of these roles.

To apply for any of the above roles please hand in a written application by May 15th, stating:

- Which role you are applying for
- Why you want to be considered for the role
- What skills you have to offer

Attendance

This week's Attendance : **91.3%**



Last week we celebrated Attendance Week. Huge CONGRATULATIONS to **3B** and the **HUB** for the best attending class during Attendance week !

Well done to classes **6A**, **4M** and **3B** for reaching our whole school target of **96%**.

Congratulations to all our individual winners across the school who won a £10 voucher for attending school every day, on time, Well done!

Diary Dates

8th May	Bank holiday – School closed
9th May	Year 6 SATS tests
17th May	<u>Year 4</u> Family Maths Workshop
18th May	<u>Year 6</u> Trip to Safari Park
18th May	Parent 'Drop-in' with Mrs Nott
24th May	Inclusion Hub trip to Black Country Museum
24th May	<u>Year 4</u> Performance Assembly 8:50am
29th May	Half Term Holiday
5th June	INSET day – school closed
6th June	Pupils return 8:45am
6th June	Year 6 Police Workshop (drugs)
7th June	Year 3 and Hub Maths Family Workshop
8/9th June	Esafety workshops
12th June	Attendance Week
12th June	Police Parents Workshop (local crime)

Celebrating the Coronation



Today, to celebrate the Coronation of King Charles III, children have taken part in a special coronation theme day. As well as completing a range of coronation themed activities, linked to the curriculum, pupils enjoyed a picnic on the playground and proudly displayed their writing in an exhibition.



We were also very pleased to welcome to St. Benedict's a representative of the King! King Charles is a little busy preparing for his Coronation so he sent along his Deputy Lord Lieutenant, Sir Paul Scott-Lee and his wife, Lady Scott-Lee, who were both very impressed with St. Ben's, the children and their work.



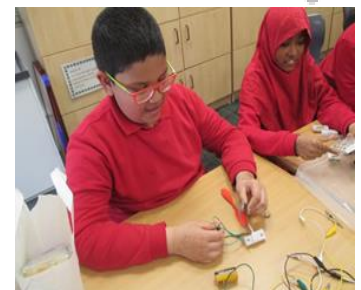
Curriculum



We are scientists!

Pupils have been really enjoying our new curriculum, particularly our Science lessons.

Year 4 have used components to investigate electrical circuits and Year 2 have been exploring invertebrates and sorting them into categories



We Read Challenge

The '**We Read challenge**' is aimed at encouraging more of our children to read at home and develop their love of reading. Please sign your child's bookmark each day if they have read at home and return the bookmark the following Monday.

This week's winners are:

Year Group	Name
Reception, Year 1	Zakariya, 1M
Year 2 and IH	Wahida, 2P
Year 3, Year 4	Mesk, 3B
Year 5, Year 6	Ayaz, 5A



Here are last week's winners with their new books!