



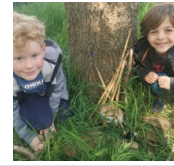
FRIDAY FLYER

3 May 2024

w/c 6 May 2024

Moment of the Week:

Each week Mrs Dodwell carefully plans activities for the children in Forest School. They have the opportunity to learn together outside exploring and valuing nature. They really do enjoy these sessions and you can see this from how the children beam. They also collaborate, share ideas and get very creative. Thanks to Mrs Dodwell and the staff who deliver these sessions to the children.



Butterfly Book Assembly

Blooca	Small Blues	For a great first week in Small Blues.
Archie	Holly Blues	For showing great work in maths this week and showing a fantastic attitude towards learning.
Alessandra	Adonis Blues	For a super first week in Adonis Blues. Settled really well.
Solomon	Chalk Hill Blues	For showing all of the learning powers this week. Superb reading too.
Lily	Silver Studded Blues	For taking responsibility for her learning and always showing resilience.
Felix	Kindness Award	For being a kind friend and making playtimes fun.
Torah	Sporting Star	For showing respect and aspiration in PE.
Ollie B	School Ed Shed Spelling Champion	
Anya	School Ed Shed Maths Champion	

House	Andromeda	Orion	Pegasus	Phoenix
Points	582	485	620	602

Attendance 22 - 26 April

Small Blues	Holly Blues	Adonis Blues	Chalk Hill Blues	Silver Studded Blues
98.33%	98.67%	99.44%	95.17%	93.21%

Adonis Blues will receive a class reward next week for having the highest attendance.

Summer Term Uniform

The feedback from the children is that they really appreciate not wearing ties. They have said they are more comfortable and less hot. Thank you Parent Council for your feedback.

Vacancies

We currently have 2 posts at school for September. A teaching post for Key Stage 2 and an LSA post to work one to one. If you know anyone who would be interested please ask them to make contact and visit our school.

Collection and Drop Off

Thank you for working with us this week and making drop off and collection work smoothly. There is limited space for collection but it has worked well. As always any feedback on how we could further improve this would be valued.

Pro-Strike fundraising

School Council are talking to children about what they would like the money spent on. We are so very thankful to our parents for helping us to raise such a significant amount of money. We will keep you posted.

Gardening Club

Mrs Garrod and her team will be proudly presenting our garden box at the Suffolk Show on Wednesday 29 May. We are very excited that our school will be at such a prestigious event. If visiting, make sure you find the MPA Gardeners and wish them luck. We can't wait to show you our garden box entry.

Year 6 SATs

On Monday 13 May our Y6 children begin their SATs. The children can come to school at 8.15am and have breakfast with their friends. A nice relaxed way to start their day with friends and staff. Y6 parents, can you please send the reply slip back to school so we can order enough food and drinks for them.

KS2 Swimming

This begins after the half term break. All families will have received a letter with the dates and details. Children will need a swimming hat. If you would be free to volunteer and walk the children over to the swimming pool, can you let the office know. Your support is appreciated.

Parking

Thank you, parking has been a lot better this week. We have had clear access opposite the school. With increased traffic down the road this does make crossing safer for families.

Pupil Numbers

We have recently had a lot of enquiries to join our school. This is fantastic. When families come and visit, they share they have heard about our school from parents speaking so highly. We now have 121 children at MPA. We started the year with 110. We are MPA and we are proud!

Backing the Blues

We just want to wish Ipswich Town all the best for their game on Saturday. I know a lot of families are supporters and it's been wonderful to hear how many children will be watching the game on Saturday. It's great to hear the children talk about their local team with such passion.

Menu Week 1

Monday

May Day Bank Holiday - School Closed.

Tuesday

Small Blues PE.
Adonis Blues PE.
Chalk Hill Blues PE.
Silver Studded Blues PE.
Library Session Week 2 - Adonis Blues, Chalk Hill Blues and Silver Studded Blues.

Wednesday

Holly Blues PE.
Year 4 Wilder Schools.

Thursday

AM - Small Blues Outdoor Learning.
PM - Holly Blues Outdoor Learning.
Silver Studded Blues PE.

Friday

Chalk Hill Blues PE.

Upcoming Dates

w/c 13 May

Year 6 SATs Week.

16 May

Census

17 May

Year 6 Non-Uniform Day.