



FRIDAY FLYER

12 September 2025

w/c 15 September

Moment of the Week:

Year six children have been EYFS buddies and helping the children during lunchtime. The children have really demonstrated the learning power of responsibility. A fantastic way to start the year. At MPA, we say the first day of Year 6 is preparation for Year 7.



Celebration Assembly

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Maeve	Small Blues	For being such a kind friend and always trying her hardest to make sure everyone is happy.		
Zachary	Holly Blues	For his fantastic start at MPA and showing all of the learning powers.		
Savannah	Adonis Blues	For showing the learning powers across the curriculum. Great learning attitude!		
Teddy	Royal Blues	For being aspirational so far in Year 5. Keep it up!		
Divine	Silver Studded Blues	For showing all of the learning powers and having a fantastic learning attitude.		
Mr Overett	Kindness Award	For always helping me and being kind in class.		
Charlie	Sporting Star	For showing all the learning powers in PE and football club		
House	Andromeda	Orion	Pegasus	Phoenix
Points	340	378	311	342

Attendance 3 - 5 September

Small Blues	Holly Blues	Adonis Blues	Royal Blues	Silver Studded Blues
100.00%	95.21%	91.92%	95%	95.00%

Small Blues will receive a class reward next week for having the highest attendance in the first week of term. Due to holidays, attendance last week was low.

Stunning Starts - introduce the children to learning this term in a fun way.

Small Blues To begin our theme 'All about me', Small Blues created self portraits using paint and printing. These will be displayed on our 'Welcome to Small Blues' wall in the classroom.

Holly Blues became detectives for their stunning start. We went around the school looking for clues that led us to more information about the history of our school. We found out important dates, the old school name, looked at pictures of our school building from over 15 years ago, and photos of students from more than 30 years ago!

Adonis Blues Adonis Blues naturally dyed sheep's wool, weaved and baked honey, oat and spice Anglo-Saxon cakes for their stunning start. They tasted delicious!

Royal Blues played Top Trumps (Ancient Civilisations edition!) We had great fun playing against friends in the class!

Silver Studded Blue learnt about Africa on Monday, before looking closely at the patterns and colours used in African art. They created their own powerful artwork inspired by these using watercolours. Finally, they tried pomegranate juice, butternut squash, sweet potato and avocado with some children surprising themselves in what they liked!

Library

We have been reviewing the time in the library and the logistics. For this half term, we are going to offer the library service to Y6, Y5 and EYFS. If your child would like access to a library book and are outside of these year groups, please email the office and they will inform the class teacher who will make the necessary arrangements.

Vacancy

We have a vacancy for a cleaner on a Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday night. If you would be interested in this post please speak to Mrs Woods in the office.

Marketing Video

We have the REach2 Marketing team at MPA on Thursday 18 September. We would love two parents who would share their experiences of MPA, we would really like a male and female. If you would be available and would like to support us please speak to Miss Churchman. The team will be filming all day. We look forward to sharing the video with you all.

Playground Equipment

We are delighted that we have secured £5k of funding from East Suffolk Council for play equipment for the children. We have also put in a bid with the Parish Council for an additional £3k. The PTFA and school will add an additional £3k. So we hope to be in a position to complete part one of the plan. We will of course keep you updated. Once this is complete we will then focus on the planned zoned areas for the rest of the field.

PTFA Parents Lottery

Last term we set up our Parents Lottery. Not only can parents win prizes, for every £1 ticket bought 60p will go to our PTFA. To join in visit theparentslottery.org and search for Martlesham Primary Academy. Good luck!

Pens

All children in Y4, Y5 and Y6 have been given a handwriting pen for the start of the year. These have been really positive and presentation and handwriting have already improved. The children have a real sense of pride. Great start to the year.

Menu Week 1

Monday

Guitar Lessons
Royal Blues PE

Tuesday

Adonis Blues PE.
Library Session for Small Blues.

Wednesday

Small Blues PE
Holly Blues PE
Y5 Wilder Schools (Forest School Clothes).
SEND Parent Coffee Afternoon @ 2.30pm.

Thursday

Silver Studded Blues PE
MPA Marketing Video.

Friday

Small Blues, Holly Blues and Royal Blues Forest School.

Upcoming Dates

26 September

Macmillan Coffee Morning for Parents @ 9.30am.
Cake Donations Please.