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Weekly Newsletter

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CENSUS DAY – Thursday, October 4

The school will be holding an autumn party day lunch on the above date at a reduced cost of £1.00.

Packed Lunch Pupils

If you would like your child to receive a filled finger roll, baked crisps, sausage roll, cookie or muffin and a fruit drink, **please inform the school office and send in payment of £1.00 unless you are eligible for free school meals.**

Payers: ParentPay has been set up as a £1.00 lunch.

- **Snack:** Please send in £1 each week to contribute to the cost of providing a nutritious snack which includes fresh fruit along with the option of breakfast club each morning.
- We are starting a supervised Tooth brushing Programme across school. If you do **NOT** want your child to participate please let class teacher or school know by Monday. Please note that this should not replace your child's toothbrush routine at home. Further information is attached.
- Parent questionnaires have been issued this week, please complete and return to school. It is very important that we receive your comments.
- Reminder that all footwear must be black. Please also ensure that your child's items are labelled.
- **Great news!!!** The school telephone number will no longer show up as 'unknown' and you will be able to identify that it's school calling! Please make a note and answer all calls 0151 477 8450 Many thanks.



Welcome to our Speech and Language Therapist Kate.

Kate has experience working with a wide range of children who have speech, language and communication needs. She particularly enjoys working with children who have Autism Spectrum Conditions, and more significant Speech Sound Disorders and Developmental Language Disorders .



Sophie will still be in school on a Friday.

Activities week commencing 1st October		Class
Mon	Swimming am	Sycamore & Chestnut
	Soft Play	Blossom
	Badminton	Redwood
Tues	Soft Play	Apple
Wed	Soft Play	Willow
Fri	Badminton	Rowan

After School Clubs

Clubs are as follows:

KS 1&2

Tuesday Baking
Tuesday Lego
Wednesday Football
Wednesday Art

KS3

Tuesday Gym
Wednesday Games

There will also be no clubs in the last week of half term (week commencing 15th October) instead there is going to be a Halloween disco / film night on 16th. School Council will be selling tickets for £1.50 more details to follow.

All clubs are now full.

Class Mulberry have continued with their baking sessions this week. The children really enjoyed baking fairy cakes and making chocolate Cornflake cakes! They enjoyed eating them even more!
We have been completing our daily mile challenge and the children are getting faster and quicker as each week passes... The teachers are struggling to keep up!
Well done Mulberry class



Some of the children have been working really hard learning to tie their shoe laces! A special well done to Dylan who is almost there!



This Weeks Awards

Head Teachers Lunch

Children who have shown exceptional behaviour all week will receive a treat and have lunch on a Friday with Mr McConnell or Mr Lambert. This week winners are:

Bobby Kirwan
Robert Murphy
Kaiden Ferguson
Mirame Beech

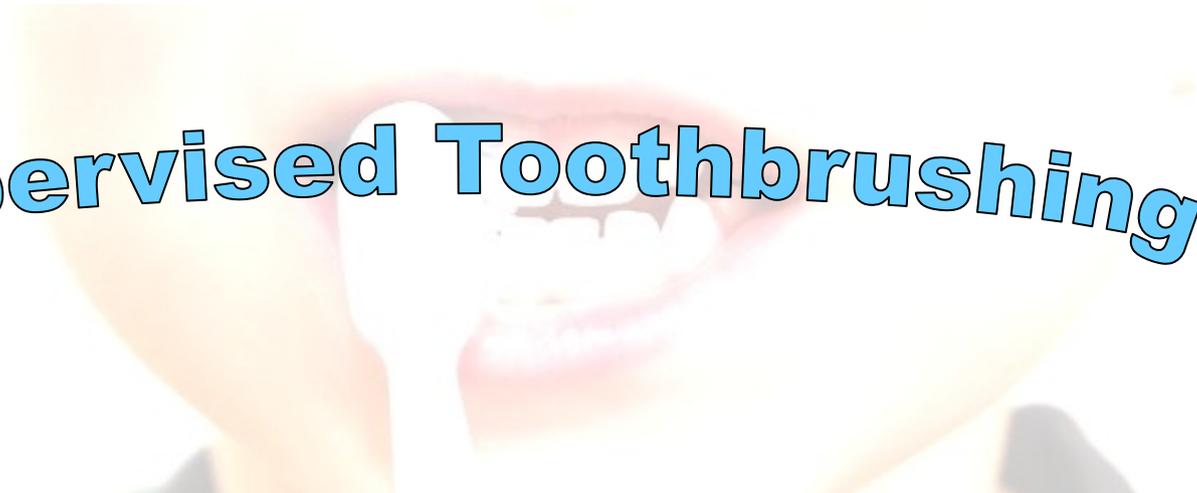
Friendship Award

The pupils and staff are identifying acts of kindness throughout the school.

This weeks award goes to:

Blossom: Jamie
Apple: James
Maple: Kaiden
Juniper: Morgan
Willow: George
Holly: TJ
Chestnut: Miramme
Sycamore: Ava
Mulberry: Sharna
Redwood: Aaron
Rowan: Lois

Well done to all. We are so proud of your achievement



Supervised Toothbrushing

What is a supervised tooth brushing programme?

All children will be given the chance to brush their teeth with a family fluoride toothpaste every day in school.

Where will the programme take place?

This will take place on a daily basis within the school your child attends.

Why offer a supervised tooth brushing programme?

In general, children's dental health in Knowsley is poor; over half of all five year old children have had some tooth decay. It is important that children learn to brush their teeth at an early age. Keeping the mouth healthy can avoid future problems.

How will this happen?

Your child will be given their own toothbrush and toothpaste; brushes will be safely stored in a toothbrush container.

Supervised toothbrushing

This toothbrushing activity is just the same as you would do at home. Staff will lace the correct amount of toothpaste on your child's toothbrush. Your child will brush their own teeth, with encouragement and supervision from staff.

How will this programme help my child?

Research has shown that children who start tooth brushing early in life are less likely to develop dental decay.

For more information see:

<https://www.nhs.uk/live-well/healthy-body/taking-care-of-childrens-teeth/>