

## Newsletter 15 – 5th May 2023

Honesty

Friendship

Kindness

Love

Perseverance

Respect

*'Grow and Learn together with God by our side'*



### Worship Theme for the half term

#### **Friendship**

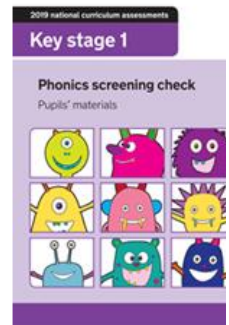
#### Thought for the Week

*'A real friend is one who walks in when the rest of the world walks out.'* Walter Winchell

### **What is the Year 1 phonics screening check?**

The phonics screening check is taken individually by all children in Year 1 in England, and is usually taken in June. It is designed to give teachers and parents information on how your child is progressing in phonics. It will help to identify whether your child needs additional support at this stage so that they do not fall behind in this vital early reading skill.

There are two sections in this 40-word check and it assesses phonics skills and knowledge learned through Reception and Year 1. Your child will read up to four words per page and will do the check in one sitting of about 5–10 minutes



If you would like any further information regarding Phonic Screening please speak to Mrs McHale.

You can download a copy of the [2018 Phonics screening check](#) and [2019 Phonics screening check](#) from the gov.uk website, [here](#).

### **Parent PE Taster Sessions**



During June Soccer 2000 sports coaches will be running parent sessions in school. These mornings are always well attended by parents and lots of fun. You will be invited to work alongside your child and get the opportunity to try some of the activities and see first-hand how the children develop core skills in physical development.

It would be great to see as many parents as possible. Please put the date in your diary!

**Monday 19<sup>th</sup> June: Year 2    Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> June: Reception    Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> June: Year 1**

Sessions will run during the morning between 9am and 11am. 1hour per class.

## Coronation Celebrations Friday 5<sup>th</sup> May

What a fabulous day we have all had celebrating the King's coronation.

The children all looked amazing in their Union Jack colours and dressed as kings and queens.





## After School Club Celebrates the King's Coronation

What a fantastic time was had at After School Club on Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> May. The sun was shining on the children and staff as they celebrated with a garden party in the Nursery playground. The pupils learnt all about street parties and staff shared their memories of the late Queen Elizabeth's Jubilees as they celebrated the crowning of King Charles. Everyone enjoyed the party food and playing games with their friends in the sun. Lots of smiles and laughter all round!



## Number Day

Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> May

On Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> May we shall be holding our annual Number Day. During the day each year group will be taking part in mathematical puzzles, games and challenges. Children are asked to come dressed as a number. You can be as inventive as you like! £1 voluntary contributions to be collected for NCPC.





👑 King's Coronation Celebration 👑

and  
Open Day

The Institute, Tettenhall Wood  
Junction School Road/Wood Road  
WV6 8NF

**1pm to 4pm**

**Monday 8<sup>th</sup> May 2023**

Come along and see the activities that happen here,  
enjoy entertainment and refreshments available. Free  
entry!

Win prizes kindly donated by local businesses!

All proceeds to charity – Compton Care, CRUK and Air  
Ambulance



**DOCTOR  
PARKING  
ONLY**

## Polite Reminder re Parking

### Wood Rd Shopper's Car Park

Please be mindful when parking on the shopper's  
car park near the doctor's surgery. The doctors  
need access to their designated parking spaces to  
enable them to be on time to surgery and to be  
able to leave in an emergency when necessary.

<b>Dates for Diary</b>	
Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> May	<b>Bank Holiday Monday</b> (King's Coronation)
Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> May	Year 2 SATs week begins
Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup> May	Number Day
Thursday 18 <sup>th</sup> May	Year 2 walk to Junior School Copse
Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> May	Animal Man visit- Nursery & Year 2
Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> May	Reception walk to Junior School Copse. Forest School Session.
Wednesday 24 <sup>th</sup> May	Class Photographs – <b>Rec &amp; Year 2 School Uniform</b>
Friday 26 <sup>th</sup> May	Gold Awards
<b>Monday 29<sup>th</sup> May-Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> June</b>	<b>Half Term Week</b>
Monday 12 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 1 Phonic Screening Week
Monday 19 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 2 P.E parent sessions am
Tuesday 20 <sup>th</sup> June	Sports Day at Juniors am
Wednesday 21 <sup>st</sup> June	Reception P.E parent sessions am
Thursday 22 <sup>nd</sup> June	Year 1 P.E parent sessions am
Saturday 24 <sup>th</sup> June	Summer Fayre
Tuesday 4 <sup>th</sup> July	Reception trip to Hoo Zoo
Tuesday 11 <sup>th</sup> July	End of year reports
Wednesday 12 <sup>th</sup> July	3.15-5.00 Parent drop in's
Monday 17 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 2 Leavers Disco
Wednesday 19 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 2 Leaver Service @ Christ Church 6pm
Friday 21 <sup>st</sup> July	<b>Children break up for Summer Holidays</b>
Monday 24 <sup>th</sup> July	<b>INSET Day</b>
Tuesday 25 <sup>th</sup> July	<b>INSET DAY</b>