

# FLORENCE MELLY COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

IF YOU CAN DREAM IT, YOU CAN DO IT!



## WEAR A SPLASH OF COLOUR WITH PRIDE DAY!

As part of our quest to being the most inclusive school in Liverpool, we have committed to achieving the Rainbow Flag Award this year. We have been engaging in lessons which have supported us in promoting positive LGBT+ inclusion across the school and through respectful and age-appropriate discussions during lessons, our pupils have had the opportunity to learn, understand, and empathise with different perspectives and experiences. Following on from this, today we dressed in our most colourful clothing and came together as a whole school to positively celebrate LGBT+ inclusion through a celebratory drop-down day. We explored the significance of Pride Month for the LGBT+ community by creating a safe and inclusive space for our children to ask questions and share their thoughts. Within classes, pupils researched the history of the Pride Flag, celebrated the colours of the rainbow, learned about inspirational members of the LGBT+ community, shared how diverse our families are, created colourful pieces of artwork and came together as a whole school to engage in our very own Pride Parade to celebrate the uniqueness of every child.



On Wednesday, our Year 6 pupils enjoyed another fantastic experience as they joined the Major League Baseball event with our friends at Liverpool School Sport Partnership (LSSP). The 'First Pitch' event was the very first time our pupils had played baseball and that's what we are all about at our school... providing memorable learning experiences.

#### **Reception Enrichment Trip to Speke Hall**

Our Reception kicked off the end of year trip proceedings with an exciting trip to the historic National Trust site of Speke Hall. Den building, zip wires, playground fun and exploring the beautiful grounds was the order of the day. The children enjoyed a sunshine and fun filled day - what an amazing way to cap off a brilliant first year at our school! Check back next week to see where the other year groups get out to!

#### This Week's Book Recommendation...

This week's book recommendation, <u>Pridey Searching for Colours by Vincent Stolk</u>, is the perfect read to continue our Pride Celebrations at home as a family. Pridey has lost its beautiful colours. But with a little bit of hope, a dash of courage and lots of love, everything will work out in the end! It's a lovely and uplifting story about finding your colours by overcoming fear, making friends and spreading love. Pridey had a thought out loud: "I wish everyone could be so proud. It doesn't matter if you're red, orange, green, yellow, purple or blue. The best colour will always be you!"



**01/07/24**The Nest Sports Day



**02/07/24**Enrichment trip to Van Gogh Experience



**03/07/24** Year 5 trip to

Gulliver's World

04/07/24





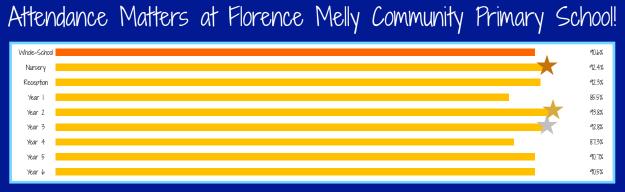
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### NEXT WEEK'S SCHOOL MENU



Next week, our kitchen will be cooking the Week 3 dinner menu for the children.





Be in school, on time, for 9:00am! That's when learning starts!

93.2% Whole-school attendance this year!

CLASSES ABOVE 97% THIS WEEK...

All Day Nursery 👍

100% ATTENDEES...

This week: 326 pupils

Year to date: 30 pupils



#### End of the Week Update for Parents/Carers - Friday 28th June 2024

#### Complete school closure for Election Day - Thursday 4th July 2024

Just a little reminder that we will be closed for the whole-school for the General Election on Thursday 4th July 2024. Our staff will provide comprehensive and exciting remote learning activities for the entire day just like they did during the lockdown periods. We have a brilliant system in place for remote learning and our dedicated year group teams will be on hand across the day to teach the children remotely. More information will follow shortly. Thank you for your support.

#### PARENTSAFE - Keeping your children safe: online & beyond

It's never easy to know how to keep our children safe when they aren't with us, and sometimes even when they are, we don't know what's happening in their lives or on their devices! Who are they talking to, what are they doing, are they okay? Don't despair though...scroll through this page for help or click a button to go straight to a particular topic: <a href="https://parentsafe.lgfl.net">https://parentsafe.lgfl.net</a>.

#### Important dates for your diary - the rundown to the Summer holidays!

- Monday 1<sup>st</sup> July Nest Sports Day
- Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> July 2024 Liverpool Y6-7 Transition Day
- Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> July 2024 School closed to all pupils for General Election
- Friday 5<sup>th</sup> July 2024 Break the Rules Day (further information to follow)
- Monday 8<sup>th</sup> July 2024 100% attendance winners' reward trip
- Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> July 2024 In-school Transition Day
- Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> July 2024 Athletics City Championships
- Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> July 2024 Y6 Graduation & Prom
- Monday 15<sup>th</sup> July 2024 EYFS Sports Day
- Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> July 2024 Nursery Graduation
- Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July 2024 Student of the Year reward trip

#### **Curriculum Visions - Login details**

'Curriculum Visions' is a brilliant education tool that we have access to through our new CUSP curriculum. This interactive and fun platform has lots of resources, activities, books and videos that will enhance your child's in-school learning. It is filled to the brim with information just waiting to be explored. The children have been introduced to the site in school and we are delighted to be able to offer an 'at home' login too. Please see the details below and enjoy exploring the platform.

#### https://www.curriculumvisions.com

Username: FlorenceMelly/1 Password: Newton

Have an amazing weekend and we look forward to seeing you all bright and early on Monday morning!

Mr Leach Headteacher