

Weekly Newsletter

Friday 9th June

Message from Miss Anderson

There's been a real buzz around school this week our youngest children came back and couldn't wait to share all their stories about the animals they saw. As always, the summer term is jam packed with exciting end of year events - we look forward to welcoming parents/carers into school to celebrate and join in the fun. We are hoping that our summer fayre will be bigger and better this year but for us to be able to run all the stalls we have planned we need your help - please contact Miss Bennett on Class Dojo if you are able to help! Enjoy the sunshine this weekend.

Our week at Rivers

What a fantastic start to the final summer term we have had! Children in reception and year one have kick started the term with their trips to the farm. Reception had a buzzing time at Hatton Country World. The children enjoyed feeding the animals and the tractor ride which was very bumpy!

The trips show how much children enjoy first hand experiences and how much they learn from visits. As always, all the children made us proud with their excellent behaviour and impeccable manners. It is great to hear members of the public comment on how well behaved children from Rivers are.

In year one, we enjoyed Ash End Children's Farm. They had an amazing time, feeding the animals, singing to them and bringing back an egg home.

This week, the children have had a brilliant start to their last half term in Year 2. The children have explored and investigated litter in our local environment and were shocked at the findings. Children then created posters to encourage people to look after our beautiful world.

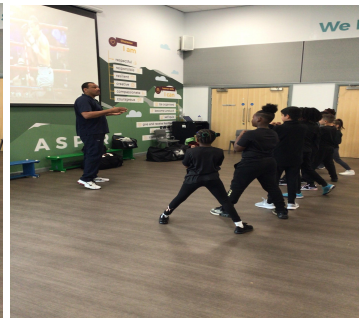
Year 3 have had a busy week, in RE they have been looking at special and sacred places - the River Ganges. In Maths, they have been securing their multiplication and division facts.

Year 4 had an exciting visitor this week - Courtney Fry a boxing champion who has represented GB in the Olympics and the Commonwealth Games. The children listened intently as he shared how hard work, resilience and being disciplined has helped him through his career.

Year 6 have enjoyed a busy first week back to school. They have started rehearsals for a dance performance, which will be held in Walsall and rehearsals for the Year 6 production. This week, the children have started to learn about agriculture in geography. The children are excited about their final half term at Rivers!

In Year 5, children have been learning about the properties of different materials in science. They were fascinated by the fact that some solids dissolve in liquids and that others do not and are looking forward to learning more about the different properties of materials found in the world.

Rivers Gallery



Attendance

This week's Golden Classes: **Severn, Kuma and Tocantins**

This Term's Attendance Award: Inflatable Fun!



Pastoral

The age rating for Whats App is 16+ years.



Please click on the link below for further information and advice for parents/carers regarding Whats App.

<https://www.internetmatters.org/resources/whatsapp-safety-a-how-to-guide-for-parents/>

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This Week at Rivers

12 June 2023	Y1 Phonics Screening Y4 MTC
13 June 2023	Y1 Phonics Screening Y4 MTC
14 June 2023	Y1 Phonics Screening Y4 MTC
15 June 2023	Y1 Phonics Screening Y4 MTC Y3 Arts Connect Music Celebration Event
16 June 2023	Y1 Phonics Screening Y4 MTC 0900: Celebration Assembly - Invitation Only

Next Week at Rivers

19 June 2023	
20 June 2023	Y4 Trip to Sea Life Centre
21 June 2023	Y5 Trip to London- The Lion King
22 June 2023	
23 June 2023	0900: Celebration Assembly - Invitation Only

PE Days

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Year 2	Nursery Year 1 Year 5 Year 6	Year 3 Year 4	Year 1 Year 2 Year 5	Reception Year 3 Year 4 Year 5 Year 6