

Flyford Flavell Primary School

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Diary Dates

09.10.26: Flu vaccines
R-Year 6
12.10.26: SENDco Parents appointments 1.00 pm—3.00 pm
16.10.26: PTA Halloween disco
16.10.26: Harvest Festival 9.15 am and 2.15 pm
19-20.10.26: Parents afternoon/evening 1.00 pm—6.00 pm
22.10.26: Year 6 Archive Workshop (in school)
22.10.26: Break up for half term
23.10.26: Staff training day.
Children not in school
31.10.26: Closing day for secondary school applications
02.11.26: Year 5 STEM workshop in school
02.11.26: SENDco Parent appointments 1.00 pm—3.00 pm
05.11.26: E-safety information for parents 2.45 pm
06.11.26 WMTC Swan Theatre visit, 9am-12pm
06.11.26: Macmillan Coffee afternoon 2.00 pm—4.00 pm
09.11.26: Tempest Photography, individual school photographs
11&13.11.26: WMTC performance Swan Theatre, Worcester, 7.30pm
13.11.26: PTA non uniform day
13.11.26: PTA doughnut sale

Cluster Singing Workshop

On Friday afternoon, our Year 5 children were delighted to host a Cluster Singing Workshop, welcoming pupils from local schools to Flyford for an afternoon of music and singing together.

Before the workshop began, the children enjoyed a cluster picnic on the school field. This provided a lovely opportunity for pupils from different schools to meet, chat and make new friends ahead of the singing activities.

Each school came prepared with a song to share before joining together as a choir to learn two new songs. It was wonderful to see the children singing alongside one another, growing in confidence and enjoying the opportunity to work with children from different schools.

A particular thank you goes to the students from Pershore High School, who led the workshop with such skill and enthusiasm. They taught the new songs brilliantly, encouraged the children throughout and helped to make the afternoon such a success.

We would also like to thank parents and carers for their flexibility at the end of the afternoon. We were very grateful to those who were able to arrive a little later for collection or make use of the bus arrangements, helping to ease traffic congestion.

A huge thank you also goes to our Year 5 team for all their hard work behind the scenes in organising the event. The afternoon provided a wonderful opportunity for our pupils to make new friends, strengthen links with children from other schools and, most importantly, enjoy making music together.

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New Eco Club

An enormous thank you to all the children who put themselves forward to join our Eco Club this year. The passion, enthusiasm and care for the environment demonstrated in each presentation was inspiring.

While not everyone could be appointed, every pupil who applied should feel incredibly proud of their commitment and willingness to serve our school community. We were delighted to welcome several new members to join our existing Eco Club team and we are excited to see the positive impact they will make as they work together to help our school become even more environmentally aware and sustainable.

Reception: Joey

Year 1: Esmé and Georgia

Year 2: Alana and Molly

Year 3: Beth and Freddie

Year 4: Penny and Elijah

Year 5: William and Lily

Year 6: Maeve and Max



Diary Continued
 14.11.26: WMTC performance
 Swan Theatre, Worcester, 2.30pm
 20.11.26: Children in Need, bake sale
 23-25.11.26 Year 5 Manor Residential trip
 30.11.26: Open afternoon, all welcome 3.30 pm
 04.12.26: PTA Christmas Fayre
 07.12.26: Year 1 and Reception Christmas production 3.30 pm
 08.12.26: KS2 trip to pantomime, Swan Theatre
 09.12.26: Reception and KS1 trip to see One Tiny Penguin, Birmingham
 10.12.26: Pippins Christmas production 2.00 pm
 11.12.26: Year 5 & 6 Christmas production 9.00 am
 11.12.26: PTA Movie Night
 14.12.26: Year 2,3,4 Christmas Production 2.00 pm and 3.30 pm
 17.12.26: Christmas Party Day
 18.12.26: Christmas jumper day, singing around the tree assembly 9.00 am, all welcome.
 18.12.26: Break up for Christmas holiday

Road Closure

You may have seen signs regarding a road closure on Monday 12th October. We have spoken with the Highways Department at the local authority, who have confirmed that a traffic management plan is in place.
 The work is scheduled to take place between 9.15am and approximately 2.15pm, which means it should not affect our busiest drop-off and collection times. Fingers crossed, everything will run smoothly and there will be minimal disruption to our school day. We will continue to monitor the situation closely and will keep parents informed should there be any changes or disruption to arrangements.
 Thank you for your understanding.

A Royal Gift for Year 6

Our Year 6 children were delighted to receive some very special news recently. As part of a national literacy initiative announced by Her Majesty the Queen to mark her birthday, every Year 6 pupil across the UK was gifted a special edition copy of the bestselling novel *Impossible Creatures* by award-winning author Katherine Rundell. Our children were thrilled to receive their book and we hope that they enjoy reading it!



Super Spellers!

Well done to Emily and Miles for being awarded Fuzzy and Buzzy this week. Emily has shown fantastic determination this week. She takes great pride in her learning and has been carefully applying her spelling knowledge across all areas of the curriculum.
 Miles has impressed us with his growing confidence and attention to detail. Well done to both of you.



A Journey Through Holidays Then and Now!

An enormous thank you to Mr Jones Senior, who came into school to share his experiences of holidays from years gone by. Drawing on his own memories of growing up, he brought history to life and helped the children understand how holidays, travel and transport have changed over time.
 Thank you also to Mr Jones Junior for facilitating this fantastic learning experience and helping to make the session so engaging and memorable for our children. They loved having the company of two Mr Joneses!

Year 6 Pitch Perfect

Our Year 6 pupils have been busy developing their musical skills by experimenting with pitch and dynamics. Through a range of practical activities, the children explored how music can be changed by varying the highness or lowness of notes, as well as the volume and intensity of sounds. Working collaboratively, they listened carefully to one another, tested different musical ideas and discovered how composers use pitch and dynamics to create mood, atmosphere and excitement.
 Thank you to our Year 6 team for this super learning!

