12TH MAY 2017

BEING DIFFERENT

Today in Worship we focused on 'being different' through the story 'The Sneetches by Dr Seuss'



https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qPhOZzsi_6Q

After the video, children expressed their understanding of the video as 'We may all be different in ways but we are all the same and should be treated fairly'. This will be then followed up in classrooms next week during PSHE lessons.

As an Academy this is something we feel strongly about and believe all children and unique and special. Please support us in sharing the same message at home.

Newsletter



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TOYS

Over the last few weeks it has come to our attention that there have been a number of toys bought into the Academy. Can we please point out that toys (including spinners) should not be brought in. Toys will be taken from the children and given back to the adult picking them up at the end of the day. Your support in this is appreciated.

PARK AND STRIDE

It has been great to see so many Parents/Carers getting involved with our 'Pride and Stride' initiative. We still have booklets left so if you have not got one and want one, please ask.

We really appreciate the support with this and hope that this is something that will continue once the initiative ends

to ensure that children continue to stay safe as they come to and from the Academy.

SPORT AT THE ACADEMY

Fun @Telford Tennis Centre for 8 of our YR2's. A super 2nd for one team and a fabulous 5th for the other. Well done to you all.

Well done to Chloe, who set a new school record, previously held by Tegan Stoddart, for finishing the highest placed cross country runner for Dawley C of E.



Some of our YR5 play leaders hard at work at break times with EYFS, reading and making fairy houses.



Wednesday YR's 3 & 4 swimming, so don't forget your kit

Swimming is a fun, family activity and is easily accessible at our local sports centre. By the end of KS2 all children are expected to be able to swim at least 25m, so now is the perfect time to improve your skills or learn to swim with holidays coming up and the warmer weather. Why not check out the local facilities? http://www.telfordandwrekinleisure.co.uk/leisureservices/homepage/8/swimming

SPACES AVAILABLE—TELL A FRIEND!

We need your help!

The Academy currently has spaces for children in different year groups. If you know people who are moving into the area or wanting to move school, then please point them in our direction and tell them about some of the fantastic things we do!

We will be more than happy to show them around our fantastic setting.

Please spread the word about Dawley C of E Primary Academy.

CAKE SALE

On Friday 24th May, during break and lunch time, we are holding a bake sale which has been organised by the children to raise money to put towards our Academy Summer Fayre.

Any donations of cakes would be welcomed to help support us with the successful running of this event.



LOVE PEACE HOPE TRUST

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Website: www.dawley.academy

THIS WEEK'S ATTENDANCE

Well done to the **Year 6** children who have had the best attendance this week.

Reception - Mrs Astill-Evans - 94.78%

Year I - Mr Johnson - 95.33%

Year 2 - Miss Ferris - 93.75%

Year 3 - Mrs Brocklehurst- 94..40%

Year 4 - Ms Palmer - 98.00%

Year 5 - Ms Strachan - 93.57%

Year 6 - Mr Bridgwater - 99.61%

CLUBS - Summer Term. Clubs running next week are;

Tuesday: YR3/4 Volleyball (Lunchtime - Top Playground)

KSI Multisports (After school 3.30pm – 4.15pm - Hall)

Wednesday: KSI Volleyball (Lunchtime—Top Playground)

Thursday: KSI Dodgeball Lunchtime – Top Playground Play Leaders)

Friday: YR5/6 Volleyball (Lunchtime - Top Playground)

SCHOOL DINNERS

Please note that Telford and Wrekin Council Catering Services has increased the cost of a school meal from £2.00 to £2.10. This is from the 1st April 2017.

Pre order lunches will still continue this term. Please ensure that you return slips to the Academy by Wednesday the week before those lunches are due. Any slips received later than this will not be processed and your child will only have the option of a hot dinner. Thank you for your continued support with this.

THEMED LUNCH

Please be aware that on Thursday 18th May we will be hosting a themed lunch of 'Hot wraps'. Children will be offered the choice of BBQ pork, chicken or fish goujons to fill their wrap. This will be served with salad and a selection of puddings such as ice cream and waffles.

BREAKFAST CLUB

On Friday 26th May breakfast club will be trialling selling bacon rolls and tea or coffee to any parents/carers. Prices to follow so watch this space!

INCREASE IN PRICE

Unfortunately, as of June 2017 will be increasing the price of admission to breakfast club to £1.50 for free school meal and £2.50 for non free school meals. Please keep an eye out for a letter regarding these changes.

Dates for your Diary

| DATE | EVENT |
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| EVENTS | |
| Wednesday 28th June | Year 2 Camping Trip to Bala Lake |
| Tuesday 4th July | Parents Evening and pupil reports issued to parents |
| Friday 4th July | Summer Fayre |
| Tuesday 18th July | Year 6 Leaver Service @ |
| TERM DATES | |
| Monday 24th April-Friday 26th May 2017 | Summer Term- 1st Half Term |
| Monday 29th May– Friday 2nd June 2017 | Holiday—School closed. |
| Monday 5th June—Friday 21st July | Summer Term2nd Half Term |
| Monday 4th September | Autumn Term—1st Half Term |

FILM CLUB

The film showing on Thursday 18th May is 'Beauty and the Beast'. Film club is every Thursday 3.30pm to 4.45pm for all the children from Reception to Year 6. There will be a charge of £1.50 which includes a

glass of orange squash and a biscuit.



SMOKING

in this matter.

Can we please remind parents/carers not to smoke outside the Academy gates during drop off and pick up times. We have a duty to the welfare of the children and would appreciate your support

DRINKS

As the weather gets hotter we need to ensure that the children are kept hydrated. Please remember as an Academy we promote healthy eating and therefore can we please make sure all students bring water only to the Academy.