

# WHITMINSTER ENDOWED C OF E SCHOOL

## NEWS



# May 2025



### Welcome

We would like to welcome back Miss Chadderton who will be working with Class 4 while she is on her teaching placement.

### Morfa Bay

We had an amazing time away; the children were amazing and enjoyed all the activities. Please see Facebook for photos.

### SATS

Year 6 pupils will be sitting the national end of Key Stage 2 SATS from Monday 12<sup>th</sup> May to Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> May. We wish them lots of luck and know they will all do their best and shine!

### Lateness

## Every Minute Counts!

Being late for school reduces learning time.

5 minutes late every day = 3 days of learning missed per year.

15 minutes late every day = 9 days of learning missed per year.

Arriving late can be very disruptive for your child, the teacher, and the other children in the class.



If your child is later than 8.55am please ensure they come to the school office. This is ensure that their name can be added to the register (very important as we need to know who is on site in case of a fire) and to ensure they have ordered a hot lunch if needed.

### On-line Safety for Parents

Please find attached April's on-line safety newsletter. This month it provides more information about children the use of social media.

### Uniform

Summer order cut-off deadline is 1<sup>st</sup> August. This will allow uniform needed for September to be delivered to your home. Exclusive discount-10% off your next order valid until May 18<sup>th</sup>. Code is THANKS10.

### VE Day Celebrations – Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> May

As a school we will be celebrating VE day. On this day the children may wear red, white and/or blue to school. NO DONATION IS REQUIRED. During the day the children will be learning about VE day and celebrating with a tea party. The children will make the cakes in school. CLASS 4 will have their PE lesson on FRIDAY instead of Thursday for this week.

### FOW Cake Sale Challenge: Class Two Friday 16<sup>th</sup> May

Wow! The competition is extremely close so far! Thank you for getting behind the juniors! 🍰 Our third cake sale will take place on **Friday 16 May** and it's over to the infants!

**Class Two** it's your turn....please bring all donations to school on the morning of your cake sale.

FOW volunteers will run the cake sale after school for **everyone** to enjoy. 🍰

### The Church of Christ The King, Eastington

Please see below details of Messy Church.

### The children who have SHONE and were recognised in our celebration worship are:

Charlie R, Leo A, Nathan, Leah, Teddy, Alfie R. Katie, Orla, Mason, Jack, Ada-Rose, Hetty, Eileen, Mason, Teddy, Bella, Ellie-Mae, Adele, Ava, Amèlie, Jasper, Harper, Noah P, Lewis, Noah R, Kensa, Freddie, Kamil, Finn, Jack, Olivia, Taylor, Elaina, Jessica, Flynn, Tyler, Thomas, Corbin, Freddie, Edward and Elaina.  
*Well done!*

## Dignity and Respect

### Our values winners for this week are:

Ellie, Jacob, Jasper, Katie, Elaina, Edward, Harper, Finn, Liza and Leo A

### Our Termly Award Winners:

#### Star Award:



#### Courageous Advocate:



#### Sports Award:



### Value for this term:

Our value this term is Hope, please find attached the home school newsletter for you to share at home.

### Stroud District Council – Design a mascot

Please see the leaflet that will be sent home with your child today for more details.

### Study Smart

Please see below for more information.

## DATES

Mon 12<sup>th</sup>-15<sup>th</sup> May  
Fri 16<sup>th</sup> May  
Fri 23<sup>rd</sup> May  
Mon 2<sup>nd</sup> June  
Tues 3<sup>rd</sup> June  
Weds 4<sup>th</sup> June  
Fri 6<sup>th</sup> June  
Fri 20<sup>th</sup> June

SATS week  
Class 2 Cake Sale  
End of Term 5  
INSET  
Start of Term 6  
Sports Day  
Class and Y6 leaver photos  
Class 1 Cake Sale

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1, 2 & 3**

\*Please go to our website  
for more detailed  
information.



**6 Week  
Course**

**Mon - Fri**

**Daily sessions**

**1st session 9:30 - 11:30am**

**2nd session 12:30 - 2pm**

**[www.studysmartuk.online](http://www.studysmartuk.online)**



**The Church of  
Christ the King  
Eastington**

Invite Families to...

- Crafts
- Snacks
- Stories
- Activities
- For Parents
- For Children

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**First Sunday Each Month at 3pm**

**The Old Methodist Hall**

**Eastington**

**GL10 3AA**

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