



Weekly Newsletter Friday May 6th 2022

Message from the Headteacher

Our staff and children reported very happy Eid Family gatherings over the weekend - special after two covid years! Celebrations have continued in school this week. Our parent group would also like to organise a celebration together at school on the afternoon of Wednesday 18th May. We hope you will come!

Stars of the Week



Two children were chosen to be **Star of the Week**

Yr 1 Yasreeba for her positive attitude to learning and the amazing progress she's made since starting.

Important dates

May Yr 2 SATs
May 6th Dental visit for Rec + Yr 1 and Eid parties pm
May 9th-12th Yr 6 SATs
Fri May 13th Pyjamarama dress up reading day
Wed May 18th 2 pm Eid party for parents - bring a dish
Wed 18th & 25th May 9:00 am Managing Behaviour for parents
May 23rd -27th Gorsefield Yr 6
Wed 22nd June 9:00 am Communication for parents
July 6th 3:40-4:40- Parents Art show
July 8th 2 pm Summer Fayre
July 9th/10th Eid ul Adha tbc
July 12th Reports to parents pm; school closes 2 pm
July 14th Yr 6 performance
July 18th sports morning tbc
Wed July 20th last day of term* *subject to change depending on when Eid falls*
Mon 5th Sept term begins for children.
 Please check the website for further information
<http://www.williamdavis.org.uk/>
 or speak to the school office.

Covid Reminders Updated

If your child is **symptomatic** please keep them at home and get a PCR/LFT test for them as soon as possible.

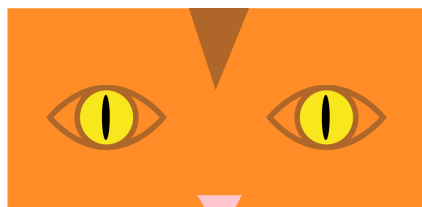
Pyjamarama Dress-up Reading Day
Friday 13th May

Attendance

N- 84%
 R- 92%
 1- 95%
 2- 90%
 3- 94%
 4- 98%
 5- 96%
 6- 97%

Well done to Yr 4 they achieved 98% attendance

POETRY BY
 HEART
The Language of Cat
 by Rachel Rooney



Teach me the language of Cat;
 the slow-motion blink, that crystal stare,
 a tight-lipped purr and a wide-mouthed hiss.
 Let me walk with a saunter, nose in the air.

Teach my ears the way to ignore
 names that I'm called. May they only twitch
 to the distant shake of a boxful of biscuits,
 the clink of a fork on a china dish.

Teach me that vanishing trick
 where dents in cushions appear, and I'm
 missed.
 Show me the high-wire trip along fences
 to hideaway places, that no-one but me
 knows exist.

Parent Sessions

Coffee Morning on Wednesdays 9-10 am in the Parents Rm run by Yasmin
Toy Library Thursdays 9-10 am run by Rubina and Amina. **All are welcome!**

Maths Family Homework Drop In Session for Parents

Siobhan is running a family homework drop-in session on **Mondays after school** if you are unsure about the activities. Let us know if you want help!

Meet Sophie Session

Thank you to all parents and carers who attended the session with Sophie (parent worker) this Wednesday. You did a great job at explaining what you would find helpful as parents. As a result we have three sessions booked for parents:

-Wednesday 18th & 25th May 9:00 am Managing Behaviour

-Wednesday 22nd June 9:00 am Communication- Opening up Conversations
 See below.

Sophie is also seeing parents on a 1-1 basis if they self refer for support with children with anxiety.

Digital Photography and Consent

Please can parents respect the agreement made with the school. If parents take photographs of a school event, they should not be posted on public social media sites if they include children from other families.

Yr 6 SATS Next Week

Next Monday (9th May) the Year 6 children will start their week of SATs tests. We will be working hard to support them though this week. Children will be invited for a SATs



Don't teach me Dog,
all eager to please, that slobbers, yaps and
begs for a pat,
that sits when told by its owner, that's led
on a lead.

No, not that. Teach me the language of
Cat.



WD Wrap Around Care

Wrap -around Care is available for all children. Contact Florida on the admin email if you want to book sessions. All information is on the website: [William Davis' Wraparound Care](https://www.williamdavispsps.com/parents/parents-wrap-around-care)

breakfast; staff will be off timetable; and additional rooms will be prioritised for Yr 6 tests. We will work together to help the Yr 6 children have a successful week.

Please can parents ensure children have a good night's sleep and that they are in school on time, ready to participate.

Parents Sessions PSHE and RHE

Thank you to all the parents who attend these meetings. We will run them again in the autumn term for the year ahead.

Pay £1 for the BookTrust Easy Fundraising

We've registered William Davis Primary School with easyfundraising, which means over 6,000 shops and sites will now donate to us for FREE every time you use easy-fundraising to shop with them. These donations will help SO MUCH, so please sign up to support us – it's completely FREE and doesn't take long.

https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/williamdavispsps/?utm_campaign=raise-more&utm_source=social&utm_medium=whatsapp&utm_content=gs-w1

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STEP FORWARD

MANAGING BEHAVIOUR

PARENTING STRATEGIES FOR PRIMARY AGE CHILDREN

A FREE WORKSHOP FOR PARENTS OF WILLIAM DAVIS PRIMARY SCHOOL

THIS WORKSHOP IS BASED ON THE 'INCREDIBLE YEARS' PROGRAM AND AIMS TO HELP PARENTS CONSIDER HOW PARENTING STRATEGIES CAN INFLUENCE THEIR CHILD(REN)'S BEHAVIOUR.

This workshop is delivered across 2 parts:
1) Wednesday 18th May 09:00-10:00am
2) Wednesday 25th May 09:00-10:00am

Please come along to both sessions!

Delivered in English but Bengali interpreter will be present