

D'EYNCOURT

PRIMARY SCHOOL

Be Kind and Caring



Friday 16th June 2023

At D'Eyncourt, we aim to be a

Class Dojo



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Well done everyone!

<u>Attendance</u>

The winning class last week was **3/4RB** with 96.8%

The winning class for the term was 1/2PM with 98.1%

Well done to them!

<u>Celebrating Success Outside of</u> <u>School</u>

Edward, Kanvar, Georgia C, Zafiyah - Swimming

Amelia C - Scouts

Grace G-Girl Guide Award

Reuben, Laurie, Theo, Sehaj, Milah -Rose, Lucas Hu, Kaylem - Foot-

Saint, Noah, Kian - Martial Arts

Jude - Blue Peter Badge

Shola, Maddy D - Gymnastics

Welcome back everyone! I hope that you all had an enjoyable half term break although that seems like ages ago now! The final half term has got off to a flying start with lots of fabulous learning taking place across the school. A huge well done and congratulations to all of our Year 4 pupils who last week have completed their statutory Multiplication Tables Check, the purpose of which is to determine whether the children can recall their times tables fluently. All pupils who took the check should be very proud of themselves and their achievements; your Times Tables Rockstar practice has really paid off so well done to each and every one of you! Well done also to our Year 1 children who have undertaken their statutory Phonics Screening Check - everyone is so proud of you for learning your sounds!

A huge well done to the children in years 5 and 6 who attended a cricket tournament this week. It is always wonderful to represent the school at events outside of school. Today saw the welcome return of our 'Donuts for Dads' day, a celebration for Father's Day. There was a real buzz across the school during the afternoon as the children took part in games and activities with their parents. Check out the photos on Class Dojo!

As the weather is getting warmer, please ensure that children have their water bottles in school and a hat and that they have sun cream applied. Have a wonderful weekend and a Happy Father's Day to you all!

Mrs D Darby, Headteacher



<u>June 2023</u>

<u>Dates for your diary</u>

19th - Reception Sports Day 9.30-10.30 (Parents/Carers welcome)

19th - Year 1/2 Sports Day 1.30- 2.30 (Parents/Carers welcome)

20th - Year 3/4 Sports Day 9.30-10.30 (Parents/Carers welcome)

20th - Year 5/6 Sports Day 1.30- 2.30 (Parents/Carers welcome)

21st - World Music Day - activities in classes

22nd - Year1 visit to Sandwell Valley

23rd - Year 2 visit to Sandwell Valley

July 2023

3rd - Year 5/6 School Nurse Visit

5th – Whole school Transition Day – children to visit their new classes for the day

7th - Year 6 Leavers Party 3.30-5.30pm - More details to follow

13th - Year 5/6 Performance of the Lion King- 9.30am and 1.45pm

19th - Rock Steady Concert - 1.30pm

20th - Year 6 Leavers' Assembly - 9.30am

21st - Break up for summer **at 1.15pm**













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<u>Sun Safety</u>

Summer has finally arrived and with warmer days here it is imperative that children have sun hats and water bottles with them every day. Please send children into school wearing sun lotion. If you wish to send them in with the lotion, we are unable to apply it but we can direct them.

There are many benefits to children having water throughout the day - a hydrated child is a happier child! These include:

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1.SLIP 2.SLOP 3.SLAP 4.SLIDE 5.SHADE

- It boosts learning
- It's healthy
- It keeps you hydrated
- It encourages good drinking habits
- It improves attention.

All children need to bring a named water bottle to school every day. children can refill their bottles throughout the day and encourage them to drink regularly, particularly in the hot weather.



Training



Last week, a group of year 4 children had a visit from Wider Learning who completed some Peer Mentor Training with them. We are so lucky that DEyncourt has wonderful pupils who are all eager to support each other. Our future Year 5 children worked intensively for two days to receive professional training that will help their fellow pupils at D'Eyncourt. This is an important role where the children help and engage with pupils during playtime and lunchtime.

We know that these children will be a success and that our school will benefit from their experience so well done to the children involved. We look forward to them developing their role as they move into year 5.

Year 4 Multiplication Check

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<u>Year 1 Phonics Screening</u>

A big well done to all of the Year 1 children who have completed the Year 1 Phonics Screening Check this week. Miss Murphy has completed all of the assessments and everyone is so proud of all of the children! Well done Year 1!

<u>Year 5/6 Cricket Tournaments</u>

This week, a group of children in Year 5/6 went off to compete in mini cricket tournaments. During the session, the children had the chance to play mini cricket tournaments against other schools. There were three games in the morning and one in the afternoon. Each game lasted about half hour and during that time, all of the children had a go at fielding and then batting. They all loved participating and working as a team. Each game was lead by a cricket coach. Well done to all involved!

<u>Sports Days</u>

Sports Days will be taking place next week for each phase and will last for approximately 1 hour. During Sports Day, parents



and carers are welcome to attend. When arriving at school for Sports Day, you will enter through the grey gate that is normally open at the start of the school day.

We kindly ask that no photos are taken during the event due to safeguarding reasons. We will be taking plenty of photos and will upload these after the event! On this day, children will need to come to school in their P.E. kits, bringing plenty of water as well as sun cream and a sun hat as well. If you have any questions regarding Sports Day, please feel free to contact us.

<u>Transition</u>

Over the next few weeks, a number of our year 6 children will be completing their transition days at their new high schools. We hope they enjoy their experience and feel prepared for their journey to secondary education. In the next few weeks, will also be holding our in-school transition day where children will be able to visit their new class and meet their new teacher. We hope this will help any anxiety and worry about the next academic year.