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Early Years have enjoyed their transition sessions. We have had lots of fun making new friends. We are looking forward to September.



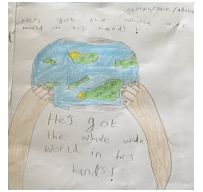
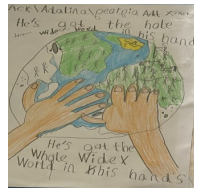
Year 1 have settled in great this week and have made a brilliant start to their new journey. We have completed lots of different activities in class and have had a chance to explore the different areas. One thing we really enjoyed doing this week was completing our paintings for the Spirited Arts Competition. We chose the theme 'All God's Creatures' and created our masterpieces using paints, pencils and card.



We have had a lovely week in Year 2. We have enjoyed getting to know each other. We have created our own resilience superheroes who will encourage us to keep on trying next year and we have met our class 'pet' Vinny who will help us feel safe and secure. Have a lovely summer Year 2, Miss Stewart and Mrs Walsh look forward to seeing you in September!



The children have settled brilliantly into Year 3. We learnt a song all about being confident and performed it in front of the whole school. We also produced some wonderful artwork around the theme 'God's Good Earth'. Miss Lawless, Miss Thomas and Miss Rivers look forward to welcoming you back in September.

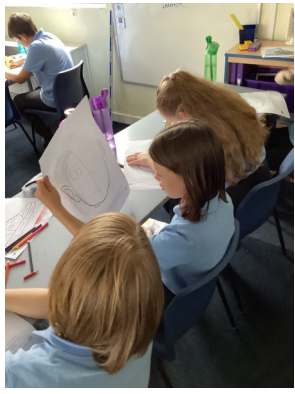


Year 4 have had a fantastic transition week. We have shared a book called The Barnabus Project and explored how we don't need to be perfect. We recognise we are great just the way we are. We have created some art work, completed some maths activities and shown off our best writing. We are ready to hit the ground running in September and make lots of progress with our learning!

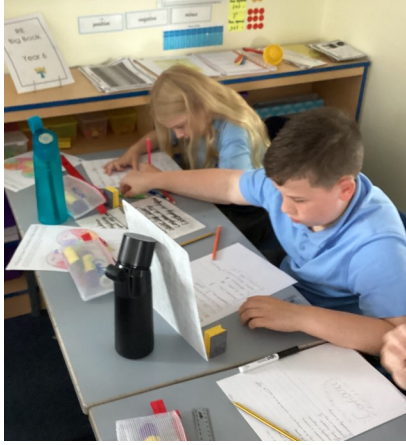
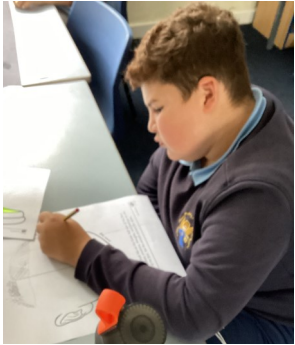


Year 5 have had a fun transition week focusing on confidence. We have identified individuals who we believe have shown confidence in their lives, reflected on how we have shown confidence in the last year and predicted how we will be confident in the future. Roll on next year!





Year 6 have worked incredibly hard this week completing different transition activities about themselves and our school value of the term. Firstly, we created some amazing poems based on confidence that were shared proudly in worship. Then we created a self portrait of ourselves about what we look like on the outside and inside. Our inside portrait used pictures that represented us. Great week!



We have thoroughly enjoyed our first settled year since the pandemic. The children and staff have welcomed visitors once again into school and have ventured out again on educational visits.

School celebrated the Year 6 achievements this morning in church with loved ones. We are grateful for the hospitality of St Michaels church and Reverend Chris reminded us at the service today that the church is always open to all who may need it. Mrs Berry also reminded everyone that school is always a safe haven for children when they have left and they are welcome back if they need support.

As a Senior Leadership Team we would like to say thank you to every single member of staff for the care and nurture they provide to the children. We are all very lucky to have such a dedicated team and wish everybody a restful summer break having fun and making lots of memories.

*Mrs Berry, Miss Lawless and Miss Thomas*

The governors met for the final time of the year last night. We have welcomed four new governors over the course of the year and now have a full compliment of members on the body.

We reflected on another successful year which began back in September with a fantastic Ofsted result. We have had many successful events through the year supported by the PTFA.

As reported in the news, schools continue to struggle with their budgets and we are grateful for the supportive and understanding staff who are being flexible during this time.

We say goodbye to the Year 6 children who have worked hard during the year to achieve their personal best in their SATs and have enjoyed celebrating with a fantastic trip. We wish you all the best in your transition to high school.

I hope you enjoy the summer holidays and look forward to welcoming you all back to school in September.

Best wishes  
*Joanne Feltham*

