



FRIDAY FOCUS

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1. THIS WEEK'S HIGHLIGHTS:

Let's talk about Wednesday...

On Wednesday we welcomed a host of visitors to chat with our Year 6 pupils all about their jobs. Back in Autumn, every child had chosen, researched and written a letter to someone inviting them to come and share their experiences in their line of work. Emails, letters and phone calls were sent far and wide - even to YouTubers in USA - and we waited patiently, expectantly in anticipation of a reply. Thanks to the generosity and kindness of many busy people, we welcomed Police, Nurses, NHS workers, acting schools, LEGO designers, CBT therapists and occupational therapists as well as Southampton FC legend, Matt Le Tissier who all spent time sharing their journeys to where they are today. It was fantastic! By the time the children had finished meeting with each and every professional, there was a genuine buzz amongst the pupils; excited at what they had found out and inspired about the possibilities of tomorrow. A truly inspirational event - thanks to each and everyone who gave their time to help inspire the pupils of today and generation of tomorrow.

Meanwhile, Year 3 parents, grandparents and even older brothers came to taste the sandwiches that the children had been busy designing and constructing in DT! The hall was packed full with happy customers as they tucked into the various tasty treats. Compliments to the chefs!

At the Year 4 Exit point, children welcomed parents in to share their 'light up scenes' following their electricity learning in science. They have had to design and connect their electrical circuits to ensure their bulbs lit up to illuminate their story scene related to The Lion, The Witch and The Wardrobe.



2. IMPORTANT DATE REMINDERS

A few key dates to highlight for your diary:

- **Tues 10th Feb, 6pm:** Smart Phone Free talk at Abbotswood School
- **Thurs 12th Feb:** Non-uniform Day (£2) and Valentine's Disco
- **Fri 13th Feb:** INSET day

- **Mon 23rd Feb:** Back to school

PE Swap: Due to Y5 being away on residential, **Y4 will have PE on Monday** instead of Thursday next week.

CELEBRATION AND AWARDS

Headteacher Awards

Congratulations to this week's Headteacher Award winners!

Y3 - Jenson, Harry J & 3SJ **Y4 - Robyn M & Dexter**
Y5 - Sienna & Luke **Y6 - Callum & Oscar**

ACTIVE Awards

Well done to these children who have been demonstrating one or more of our learning behaviours

Y3 - Andrew, Henry & Charlie D **Y4 - Summer & Lilly-Anne**

Y5 - Elyse & Lily N **Y6 - Harrison & Leo G**

Golden Tokens!

The lucky 8 whose names were plucked from the hat as reward for being on the golden zone this week.

Y3 - Luse & Charlie D **Y4 - Darcy & Emma**
Y5 - Elsie & Thomas **Y6 - Summer & William**

KEY DATES

Y3 **Y4** **Y5** **Y6** **ALL**

Mon 9th Feb - Y4 PE (instead of Thursday)

Mon 9th - Weds 11th Feb - Y5 Leeson House

Tues 10th Feb, 6pm - Smart Phone Free talk at Abbotswood School

Thurs 12th Feb - Non-Uniform Day (£2 towards CJSA)

Thurs 12th Feb, 4-5pm - Valentines Disco

Mon 23rd (5JF) Tues 24th Feb (5LD) - Y5 swimming starts

Thurs 5th Mar, 8:45-9:15am - Come & Do reading with your child

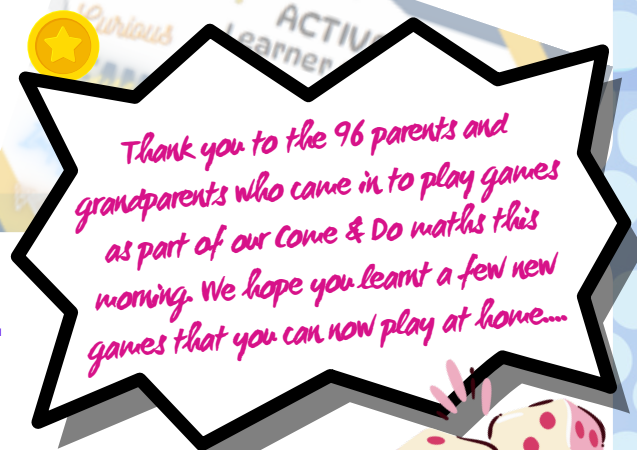
Fri 24th Apr, 4:30-6:30pm - Chocolate Bingo

2025/26 INSET days: 13th Feb 2026 & 19th Jun 2026

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Thank you to the 96 parents and grandparents who came in to play games as part of our Come & Do maths this morning. We hope you learnt a few new games that you can now play at home...

