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Emerson Valley School weekly newsletter for children, parents, staff and Governors.
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Dear Parents / Guardians

I would like to start by thanking all of you who that have supported us throughout the year. Our collaboration has been successful.

It is that time of year that we say goodbye to our wonderful year six cohort. They have been an absolute joy and pleasure to teach, they have set a very high standard of behaviour and academic achievement and they will be sadly missed by both children and staff.

I tried to summarise all the key events of 2017/18 academic year, by asking a group of year 3 children. Here is are some of their highlights: Ben W said that he really enjoyed all the AR treats, especially the Polar Express day and working alongside a published illustrator, as well as the in-house art/sports day activities to celebrate all those children who have met their reading targets. Abirman G's favourite day was the RAF's 100th year celebration and the flypast by the Spitfire. Alfie M said that he really enjoyed the Times Table Rock Star (TT Rock Star) competition and continued to say that he was very nervous for his best friend Abirman as he was in the finals of the spelling Bee competition. Lily P loved the Pet Day and Zain MS said he will always remember the Royal wedding celebration!

We try to offer a rich and varied curriculum to our pupils and we are delighted that the children appreciate and enjoy them.

At this point, I would like to invite the parents of next year's Year 6 pupils to a late afternoon information gathering event on Thursday 13th September at 5.00pm.

I would like to wish you all a safe, happy and relaxing summer holidays and see you on Tuesday 4th September.

Mrs. Mathison

Gold for EVS

We have been awarded the Sainsbury's School Games Mark in GOLD mark award for the third year running so will be trying for platinum next year!

Our sporting achievements this year include:

New bike initiative - Year 4 curriculum lessons and Year 6 Bikeability level 1 and 2

Swimming programme - Year 4 and 6 curriculum swimming and two after school swimming clubs. We have 64% from Year 4 and 73% from Year 6 who have achieved their 25m badge this year.

98% participation throughout the whole school of children representing Emerson Valley School in different sporting events, competitive and non-competitive.

Young Leader programme - We launched our programme this year focusing on the Year 6 children and have managed to run large festivals inviting 9 other schools to attend. Thank you for your continued support .

Dates for your diary

Tuesday 4th September

Autumn term begins
Children return to school

Thursday 13th September

Year 6 information evening 5pm

Friday 21st September

Year 6 visit to Bletchley Park

Friday 28th September

World's biggest coffee morning

Afterschool wrap-around care

From September if you wish for your child to be looked after in our afterschool wrap-around care you must fill out a booking form at least a week in advance. In the case of emergencies please call the school office on 01908 507914.

Bookings must be made via the parent /carer (not your child). Thank you.

Change of Inset day date:

Please be aware that Monday 25th February 2019 is no longer an Inset day.

Inset day will now be Monday 3rd June 2019.

**In line with Government
Guidelines our aim is 100%
attendance**

**July 9th – 13th July
Whole school attendance
95.1%**

Class of the week 5MS 100%

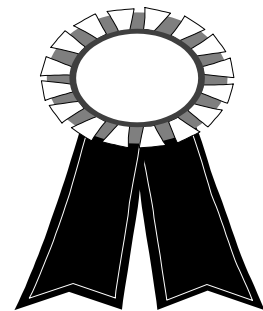
Awards Ceremony 2018

We held our awards ceremony yesterday to celebrate some of our school successes and achievements. Each class teacher selected one child as 'Child of the Year' for all round contribution to class life. They also selected two children to receive certificates for 'consistent good behaviour and attitude to school life'. The Governors selected two children from each year group to receive certificates for working hard and their reliability. The class awards were as follows:

3KW	Class award: Tierney D	Certificates: Alex Z and Charlotte V
3SM	Class award: Rihanna U	Certificates: Stacey MB and Alexander M
3AR	Class award: Olivia O	Certificates: Holly A and Emma G
3AV	Class award: Zac J	Certificates: Jessica M and Gabriela S
4JT	Class award: Ella P	Certificates: Bravinth B and Salman H
4JP	Class award: Jathurana R	Certificates: Girish B and Arkida G
4SB	Class award: Phillip G	Certificates: Rhiannon H and Joshua H
4NB	Class award: Zackery M	Certificates: Manal F and Charlie S
5MS	Class award: Natalia R	Certificates: Harinee S and Bright OW
5JAP	Class award: Katie T	Certificates: Darcie B and Pavan S
5BM	Class award: Nuala D	Certificates: Athviga S and Abigail D
5LT	Class award: Jessica P	Certificates: Elizabeth M and Rumeth L
6DC	Class award: Mercedes S	Certificates: Corey H and Kayla A
6RR	Class award: Meenakshi S	Certificates: Matthew G and Charlotte C
6KF	Class award: Julia T	Certificates: Lewis P and Paulina B
6AM	Class award: Silvia I	Certificates: Freya C and Devon T

Awards were also presented as follows:

Young Musician of the Year	Ewan A 6DC
Young Leader Award	Corey H 6DC and Devon T 6AM
Sports Achievers	Noah W 6KF and Millie C 6DC
The Art Award	Grace A 4JP
The ICT Award	Jay Greenidge 6AM
The Numeracy Award	Ihsan Jeffery 6RR
The Literacy Award	Magdalena SB 6RR
The Science Award	Cameron C 6DC
The Citizenship Award	Maisy H 6AM
The Headteacher's Award	Billie C 6DC
Special Governors Award	Nicole L 5JAP
The House Award	Saturn



Governors Certificates were awarded to:

Year 3	Libby G 3AV and Kayden H 3AR
Year 4:	Martyna S 4NB and Miguel D 4JT
Year 5:	Borte J 5MS and Minas S 5JAP
Year 6:	Lucy B 6RR and Jathurshan S 6KF

The Emerson Valley staff award for 'outstanding contribution and commitment to school life' was awarded to Miss Harron in the School Office.

CONGRATULATIONS EVERYONE!

Friends of EVS

On Saturday Friends held the Summer Fayre. Everyone had a fantastic day and they raised over £1000 for the school. Then on Thursday they hosted the Year 6 VIP night and gave the children a great evening to remember. We would like to say massive thank you for all your hard work and continuing support.



Good luck to all our Year 6 children we wish you every happiness and success for the future.