

Dear Parents and Carers,

This week I have spent valuable time in classes talking to the children about their learning and observing PE lessons outside. I am really impressed at how confident the children are to talk about their learning and give examples of how they can apply their new knowledge and skills.

The PE lessons were a joy to watch as they were so well prepared and well taught. It is very evident that the children love PE by the energy and effort they were all putting in and by how much their skills have developed this year.

It has been another week of sporting achievements with some of our swimmers going through to the Shropshire Swimming Gala. This is a first for us and shows that our swimming offer of providing lessons from Y2 onwards is having a positive impact. Our rounders team is also in the final at Market Drayton Junior School. Please look out for the date and time and come and cheer the children on.

All the children have spent time this week working with the storyteller Jake Evans. We always look forward to Jake's visits as he is so animated with the children and keeps them all captivated with his stories complete with sound effects and actions. Making stories come to life for children helps to inspire them to write their own stories back in class. I am really looking forward to reading these. Rehearsals are now well underway for this year's L-Factor and it promises to be a great show. It will be so good to see the Festival Drayton Theatre full of our parents in the audience again.

Hope you all have a good weekend.

Mrs Zillah Cope



What has been happening this week?

We have been awarded The School Games Platinum mark. This is truly an outstanding achievement for the school. Well done to all the staff and children and a special mention to George Hounsell, Emma Holding and Luke Mason for their hard work and dedication organizing clubs, training and competitions to ensure that our PE and sports offer is extensive and varied.



Jake Evans Storyteller



Our Rounders Finalists



Please remember

Now that we are well into the summer term, please remember to send your child to school each day with a water bottle, hat and ensure that they have sun cream applied first thing in the morning. Children may bring spare sun-cream to reapply in a named bottle / tube.





Congratulations to this week's **Star of the Week winners** who are:


Fir Class: William
Willow Class: Amelia
Maple Class: Sally
Elm Class: Joseph
Rowan Class: Olly
Beech Class: Leo
Oak Class: Summer




What is coming up?

 28th Jun 2022
Art Workshop Key Stage 2

 29th Jun 2022
The Marches Academy Trust Poetry Event

 4th Jul 2022
The Marches Academy Trust Art Competition

 7th Jul 2022
L Factor Rehearsals