



SOUTH BOROUGH PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

Celebrating our amazing school!



Telephone: 01622 752161

E-mail: sbps_office@swale.at

Website: www.southboroughprimary.org.uk

Twitter: @sbpsmaidstone



Friday 14th May 2021

Exec. Headteacher: Mrs J Olivier

Head of School: Mr M Currie

Deputy Headteacher: Mr L Clarke

As a result of your purchases of class photographs, we have raised an amazing £87 for Cancer Research UK - well done and thank you to everyone!

P is for PERSEVERANCE

This week I would like to pay tribute to our children for showing our core value of PERSEVERANCE. I have witnessed countless examples of children never giving up in classrooms, on the playground and especially in their work. Many children have visited school leaders to show off their fabulous work and should be proud of the progress they have made. Children in Year 3 (and some in Year 2) have certainly persevered over recent weeks by taking a leap of faith to write in pen. Year 1 children have been persevered with their maths skills and are dividing numbers and children in Year 6 have produced some excellent abstract paintings in art. These are just a few examples of perseverance being shown this week. Well done to all concerned!

Year Group News

To find out what's been going on in your child's year group and to get a flavour of what they have been learning, parents are invited to visit the [Year Group Pages](#) on the school website by following the link. Here teachers write frequent blogs about what classes have been up to and post photographs for you all to see.

Easing of restrictions

As the Government continues to proceed with their roadmap of easing lockdown restrictions, we hope that you have enjoyed spending more time with family and friends. Monday 17th May will see us progress to stage 3 of the roadmap (all being well!). Having reviewed the latest Government guidance, I can confirm that COVID-19 measures in school will remain unchanged. The only major change at this stage is applicable to secondary school pupils no longer being required to wear face masks, which isn't applicable to us. We will continue to keep you updated with any changes to the current measures at South Borough.

Online Safety

As technology advances and becomes an ever increasing feature in young people's lives, we want to keep families as informed as possible about how to keep their children safe online. The Safeguarding Team will therefore be producing a termly Online Safety Newsletter for parents, which will include useful information about online platforms and how to ensure your child is safe on the internet. We will also be welcoming in OpenView Education on 24th May to lead Online Safety Workshops with children in Years 5 and 6. More information to follow.

My Dad - don't read this bit dads/grandads!!

Normally at this time of year, children are asked to draw pictures of their dads or a male relative to go into a special edition of the KM Messenger. As with the Mother's Day entry in March, the KM is asking for children to draw a picture of a male relative and submit drawings directly via their website (www.kmmydad.co.uk). This is opened to all primary school aged children. Pictures must be submitted by close of business May 24th 2021.

Thanks as ever for the incredible support you show your children and the school. Have a great weekend - hopefully the weather will be kind to us!

Mr M Currie
Head of School



KEY DATES

17/05/2021

Whole School Maths Week

24/05/2021

Y5/6 Online Safety workshops

27/05/2021

Reception vision, height and weight screening

28/05/2021

School closes for the May Half Term

07/06/2021

Children return from the May Half Term

21/07/2021

School closes for the summer holidays

1st, 2nd, 3rd

September INSET Days - school closed

06/09/2021

Children return to the new school year



Learning Ladder for Life



SOUTH BOROUGH PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Celebrating our amazing school! 7th May 2021

SOUTH BOROUGH SUCCESS!



WEEKLY ATTENDANCE

Year 2W - 98.6%
Year 5W - 98%



ARTISTS OF THE WEEK



Maja (1B)

for her application of split complementary colours

Elle-Mae (3H)

for her amazing concentration on her Art

Inaaya (6P)

for her ability to use a tjanting tool when creating a batik



Have you reached the class target?

Class Target:
2000 Dojos



Class	Dojo Points Total
Nursery	1774
Year R Green	1101
Year R Red	1085
Year 1B	1518
Year 1S	2148
Year 2F	2685
Year 2W	1851
Year 3B	2098

Class	Dojo Points Total
Year 3H	1403
Year 3W	1993
Year 4B	2375
Year 4C	1868
Year 4N	1841
Year 5S	1462
Year 5W	1595
Year 6P	1510

MATHLETICS WINNERS (Top 3)

EYFS/KS1
1S - 11,700
2W - 11,458
2F - 5,844

KS2
5S - 17,260
4N - 13,055
5W - 11,756

Mathletics

TIMES TABLE ROCK STAR WINNERS

(Top 3)



KS1
Dominic (2F) 12,445
Kaya (2F) 11,050
Ella (2W) 7,944

KS2
Yunam (3W) 38,669
Teddy-Joe (5W) 31,689
Ellison (4B) 12,445

CORE VALUE CERTIFICATE WINNERS

Self-Reflection (S), Bravery (B), Perseverance (P), Support (Su)



R Green Ayman (B) improved self confidence & communication, Alexandru (S) reflecting on the rainbow rules

R Red Lexi (Su) always being kind and willing, Joseph (B) settling into your new classroom really quickly

1B Maryam (P) not giving up with her division, Joey (S) challenging himself using more exciting vocabulary
Jax (Su) being kind at playtime and including others thoughtfully

1S George (Su) being a really good team player, Ridhush (P) not giving up with his division

2F Ami-Leigh (P) working hard to understand fractions, Antonia (P) her steadfast determination to succeed

2W Owen (B) challenging himself with Maths, Reece (P) working hard on sounding out his words

3B Kyle (S) being reflective when editing his newspaper report, Kamile (B) settling well into class

3H Lexi-Rose (P) better effort in lessons, Eduard (S) improved focus in class

3W Chonatay (3W) always being ready to help a friend, William (P) trying hard to master equivalent fractions

4A Musawaer (P) working hard to produce an excellent play script, Paige (B) remaining calm when receiving first aid

4C Keida (Su) always considering others & their feelings, Maryam (P) trying really to write his play script

4N Sandisha (P) writing an excellent play script, William (S) showing a mature attitude towards his learning

5S Tulisa (P) trying hard to produce fantastic handwriting, Franky-Joe (S) being honest and open in all situations

5W Fatemhe (Su) always being ready to share her learning, Alan (S) showing a mature approach to his learning

6P Matthew (P) his attention to detail on his written work, Bobbi (S) improving her attitude towards learning