



Selwyn Primary School Newsletter

Friday 15th June
2018



Dear Parents & Carers,

I hope you've had a good week.

We have just held our annual Father's Day breakfast and assemblies and it was so nice to see so many dads, grandfathers and other significant males come and support their children as they celebrate and show gratitude for the contribution that they make. Seeing the children with their special 'someone's' made me think of the impact that my own Father had on the person I am today. A no nonsense Jamaican father, growing up I was sure of what he stood for, what was important to him and his non negotiables. The very first being education, second- giving your best and never giving up and thirdly- honesty and standing up for what is right. As we work together to shape the characters of our pupils at Selwyn, are you sure your children know what you stand for, your non negotiables? How do these align with our values as British citizens, our community values and even the school's values? Do we spend enough time communicating these to our children so that they can continue to grow into happy, resilient, high achieving learners? Our non-negotiables will not only determine what kind of adults our children will be but will also shape their adult habits. The child who is late for school every day will find it hard to be on time for work. The child who is taught attendance is not important will not get up and go to work when it is snowing or the trains are not running. However, the child who is taught to be the very best they can be, will always give their best, have a sense of achievement, be content and confident. This is the kind of adult we want our children to be and if we work together giving the same messages, this what we will be able to achieve.

Enjoy your weekend and I hope that fathers, firstly, but that all of you are spoilt this and every weekend!

Kind regards,

Ms L Bogle

Head teacher

Diary Dates

19 TH JUNE	Year 2 Colchester Zoo
21 ST JUNE	Year 3 Suntrap
22 ND JUNE	Coffee Morning Year 1, 2 and 3
22 ND JUNE	Year 6 Osmington Bay trip
26 TH JUNE	Sports Day Year 1 9.30am Sports Day Year 2, 3 1.15pm
27 TH JUNE	Sports Day Nursery AM/PM
28 TH JUNE	Sports Day Year 4, 5 and 6 1.15pm
29 TH JUNE	Coffee Morning Year 4, 5 and 6
3 RD JULY	Parent Council Meeting
4 TH JULY	Parent's Evening 3.30 – 7.30pm
6 TH JULY	Year 6 Fairlop Waters Trip
19 TH JULY	Year 6 Leavers assembly 11 am
19 TH JULY	School closes at 2pm

Attendance

The classes with the highest and lowest attendance for the week ending 11.5.18 were:

Highest	Percentage
CHESTNUT	100%
OLIVE	100%
ASPEN	100%
Lowest	Percentage
JUNIPER	90%
CYPRESS	91%
ROWAN	94%

Once again, we are delighted to be congratulating the classes for their perfect attendance.

Well done, Chestnut, Olive and Aspen Class

Pictures from Today's Father's Day breakfast and assembly



Writer of the Week

Finley – Hawthorn
Cody - Hornbeam



Mathematician of the Week

Louiza – Aspen
Ruby – Rae - Hornbeam

