



Welcome to our **Feel Good Friday assembly.**

Enjoy the music while we wait for the classes to join.

Please mute your microphone while you wait.





# Feel Good Friday Newsletter

15th July  
2022

UNLOCKING  POTENTIAL

LEARNING



OPPORTUNITY



COMMUNITY



PERSONAL  
BEST



LEADERSHIP



Whilst we are waiting for classes to join...

# How many animals do you see?





## From the Headteacher's Office...



### Message from Mrs McGonigle and Mr Fry

Dear Parent/ Carer,

This week we have seen an increase in temperature and hopefully you have some lovely plans over the weekend as a family. On Monday and Tuesday, temperatures are set to increase to mid-to high 30s Please ensure your children and babies and any vulnerable people, particularly those on certain medications are hydrated often, monitored and protected. Children and babies cannot regulate their own body temperature and can deteriorate very quickly if dehydrated. Please use sunscreen, sunhats and loose clothing. On Monday 18 and Tuesday 19 July, children can wear PE uniform, shorts and loose clothing. Please speak with your children about being safe around bodies of water such as rivers and lakes; there is serious risk to life!!

We sent our Year 5 children to the theatre to see Gangsta' Granny this week, and they absolutely loved it; this is a Year group key author and will support their love of reading, their writing and their vocabulary.

You will be aware that Ofsted visited Middleton this week and we were immensely proud of the incredible behaviour of our children – who are 'out of this world', this was despite the searing heat this week. We await a judgement and comments from Ofsted, and this will be quality assured by their HQ and issued over the summer to the Headteacher and then shared with staff, pupils and families, as soon as we are able to. Huge thanks to the continued positive support from our parents and carers.

We strive to have excellent relationships with our parents and carers as we consider this a partnership in supporting our wonderful children and we always appreciate feedback. Please speak to us on the playground or get in touch via the Main office if you would like to speak to a senior member of staff; we would love to hear from you. If you have positive experiences or something to share, we absolutely welcome hearing this. Please complete our surveys.

We continue to pray for all those families engaged in or threatened by war or conflict anywhere in the world.

Have a wonderful weekend and whatever you do, be kind.

#### Dates & Events for the Diary

Best wishes, Mrs McGonigle and Mr Fry

**Proud to serve the local & wider community.**

**Term:** Monday 6 June - Thursday 21 July @ 1.00pm - early finish  
Mon 11, Tues 12, Thurs 15/ Fri 15 July – **Open Classrooms for parents**  
Wednesday 20 July: **Year 6 top-up swimming @ 9.30AM**  
Book Swap – Friday 15 July – Straight after school in KS1 Hall  
Wednesday 20 July - **Year 6 Leavers evening @ 6.00-7.00PM**  
**Thursday 21 July – Last day of term. Finish at 1.00pm.**

# IMPORTANT INFORMATION

## PUPIL DETAILS

It is essential that we have up to date records for every child in school, particularly home address, email and mobile phone numbers. If you have moved or changed phone numbers, please call 01733 262696 or email [office@mps.pkat.co.uk](mailto:office@mps.pkat.co.uk)



## Medication

If your child requires prescribed medication during the school day, you must complete a Medication form.

## Head Injuries

We have introduced a new system for minor head bumps/ injuries. Instead of calling parents, we are contacting parents/ carers via email when a child has a minor bump to the head. This system occurs successfully in other schools and does not expect parents to 'drop everything' to come into school if our qualified First Aiders have assessed them.

## FREE SCHOOL MEALS

Applying for free school meals is quick and simple to do using the online application form at [Click Here](#)

## Injuries (outside of school)

If your child has an injury, such as a broken bone, please do let us know as soon as possible. We will need to put a care plan in place before they return to school.

## Illness/Other Absences

If your child is ill, please email or call the school office on 01733 262696 and select option 1 to leave a message. The absence line is available 24/7.



## Healthy snacks & water bottles

Children can bring in a healthy snack to have at break time. This **MUST NOT** be chocolate or nuts – we are a nut free school. Children **must** bring in a named water bottle.

**NOW OPEN**

# BEFORE & AFTER SCHOOL

**PLEASE READ FOR MORE INFORMATION**

## Breakfast & After School Club



**Monday – Friday**

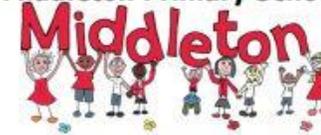
**7.30am – 9.00am**

**3:15-5:45pm**

**Contracted and 'Ad hoc' Sessions Welcome**

**After School club operating at South Bretton Family and Community Centre for children attending**

**Middleton Primary School.**



We have a wide range of equipment such as daily craft, dolls, football table, games consoles, cars, trains, role play and much more.



**Breakfast/Snack and Refreshments Included**

(Allergies and Preferences welcome)

Emergency / One off bookings welcome.



Cross Keys Homes are generously funding 50% of the cost per child, which has greatly reduced the price for Middleton families.

Prices: **Breakfast Club** Full session - Contract £2.50 'Ad hoc' session £3.00

Prices: **After School club** Full session - Contract £4.00 'Ad hoc' session £5.00

The maximum capacity is 16 children – book now to avoid disappointment!

**For further information regarding registration please contact us direct at Simply Out of School.**



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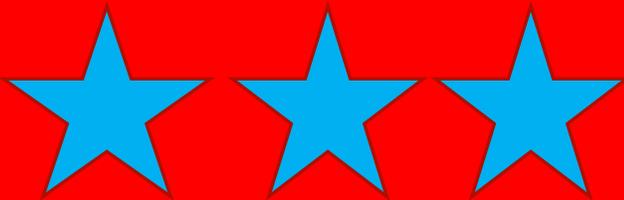
# Celebration Assemblies with parents

From Monday June 20, Celebration Assemblies will be starting again in school. These will be alongside our Feelgood Friday Assemblies and our weekly singing assemblies.

Celebration Assemblies will be an opportunity for parents to come into school and share in their children's successes.

If your child has received an award, you will be notified by the class teacher. Please come to the main office at 2.40 to sign in and you will be taken to either the KS1 or KS2 hall. Please collect your child from their classroom as usual at the end of the day.

These assemblies are much loved by the children, and we are thrilled to see them return.



Welcome to the  
Owls and Robins classes.

We have been looking at back over  
our first year at school and  
remembering all the exciting things  
that we have experienced and  
learnt.

# September... a new start!

We have been remembering how we felt in when we started school.

I was happy.  
*Vito*

I was shy.  
*Marley*

I was excited to see  
my new teachers.  
*Sienna*

I was scared  
because I didn't  
know what to do.  
*Blake*

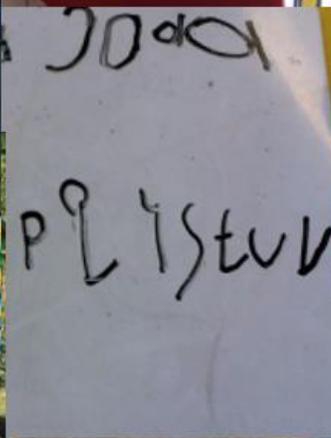
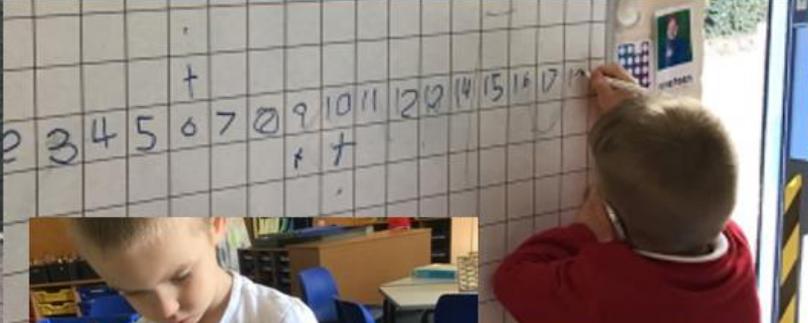
I liked my  
classroom.  
*Albie*

I was worried, but it  
was ok because the  
teachers were kind.  
*Maya*

I was excited  
to meet my  
new teachers.  
*Diana*

I was happy.  
*Olivia (Owls)*

We enjoyed exploring the Learning Labs and learning how to play with our friends, taking turns and sharing fairly....



# November...

We wore odd socks on Monday  
14<sup>th</sup> November to celebrate  
the fact we are all unique!



We wore our pajamas to  
school and filled Pudsey Bear  
with coins to raise money for  
BBC Children in Need.

# December...



We loved wearing our Christmas jumpers to school!

It was very exciting to play in the snow and visit Santa in his grotto!



We learned about the Nativity story and then dressed up to create class Nativity scenes.

# January...

We learned about how to look after our teeth. We were even given a goody bag, including a toothbrush, to take home.



We had a visit from a dentist.

Mrs Webb brought in some musical instruments to show us.

We learnt what the instruments are called, how they are played, and what sounds they can make.



# March...



We loved dressing up and sharing our favourite books for World Book Day.

# We had a visit from the police.

We asked lots of questions to find out how the police can help us.



We looked at the police car and all the equipment that the police use.



# We had great fun celebrating being in school for 100 days.



We played lots of party games.

We made a poster of all of our hand prints.



We made our own party hats.



We made our own bunting and decorated our classroom.



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We had some yummy party food.



# Easter



SJ, from Bretton Baptist Church, told us the Easter story and brought some fun activities to help us to learn more about it.

# April... Farm in a Box experience.

We met Jenny and Farmer George during our virtual trip around the farm.

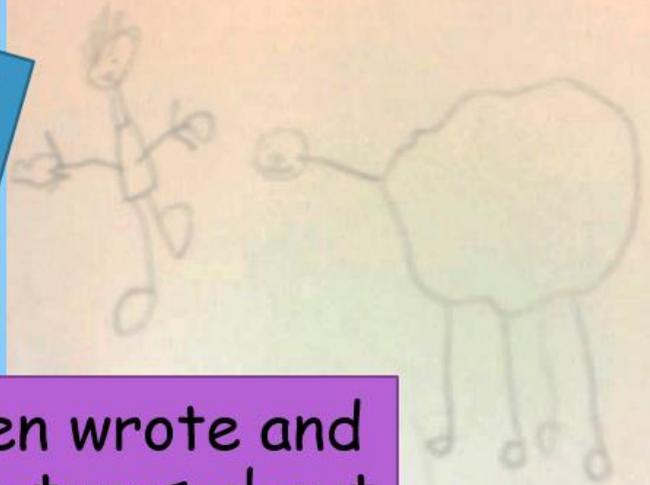


We saw and found out about the cows, sheep and chickens, including seeing some lambs and calves.

We all dressed up as farmers for the day.



I like the lamb.



We then wrote and drew pictures about what we liked and what we learned.

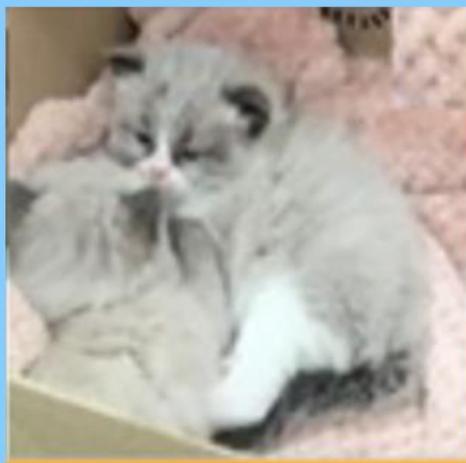
May...



Fang has a hard shell to protect her soft body.



We enjoyed learning about pets, talking about and sharing pictures of our own pets and meeting Mrs Hudsons tortoise and Mrs Day's kittens.



# June...



We enjoyed meeting some ducklings and learning about how to look after them and how they grow.





We enjoyed celebrating the Platinum Jubilee.



# July...

We enjoyed competing in our Extended PE Day!



We have had a fantastic year and we have learnt a so much since we started school.

Our teachers are very proud of us.

We are looking forward to learning even more in Year 1!

We have been learning a song which we would like to sing to you now. It is called  
'It's Good To Be Me.'

# Sports

Basketball - Y5



Accuracy skills - Y2



Swimming - Y6

Multi-skills - EYFS



Sprinting - Y3



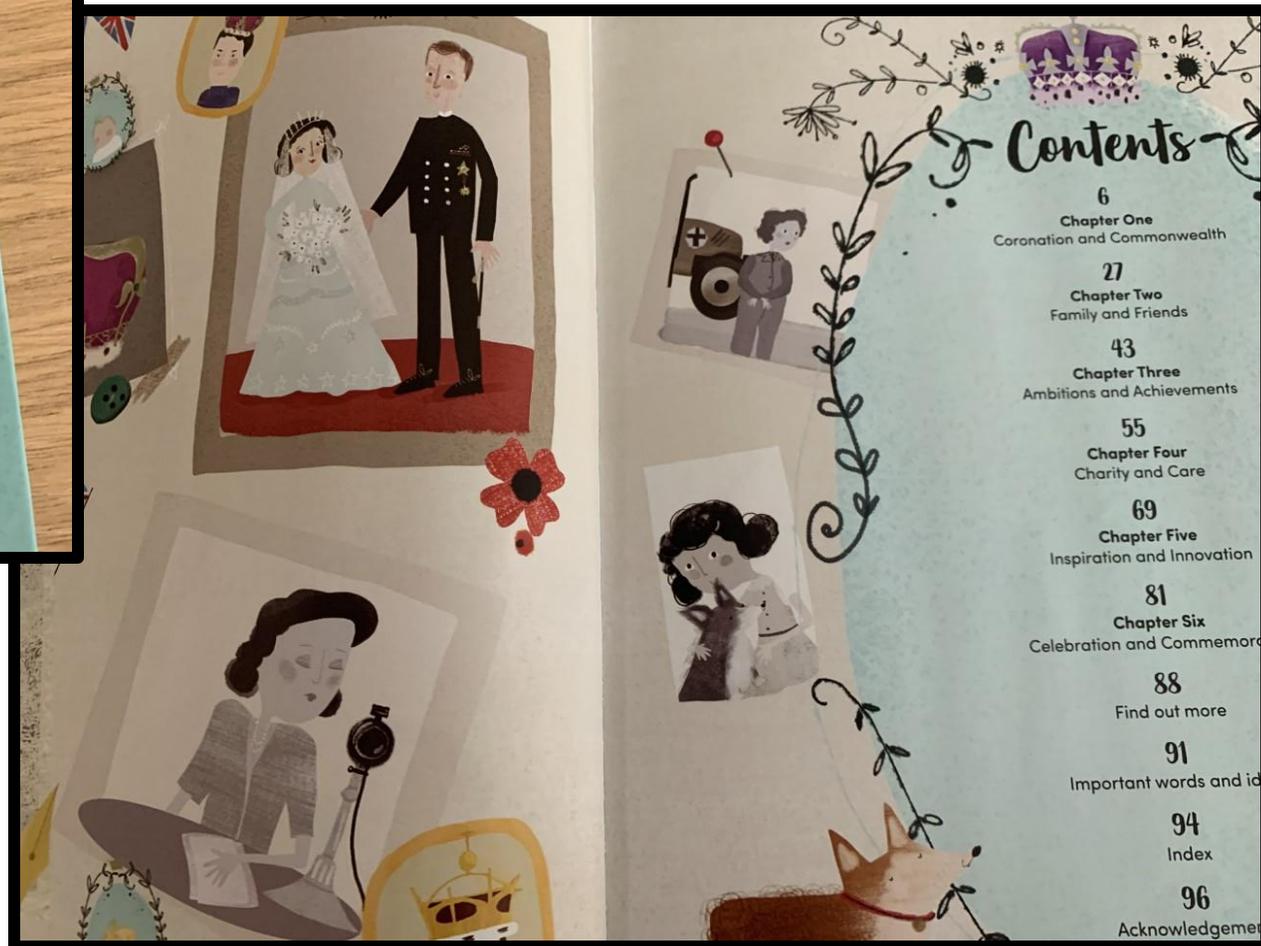
Hurdles - Y4





# A Book for every child

The Government have produced a beautiful book to celebrate the Queen's Platinum Jubilee. Your child will bring theirs home today.



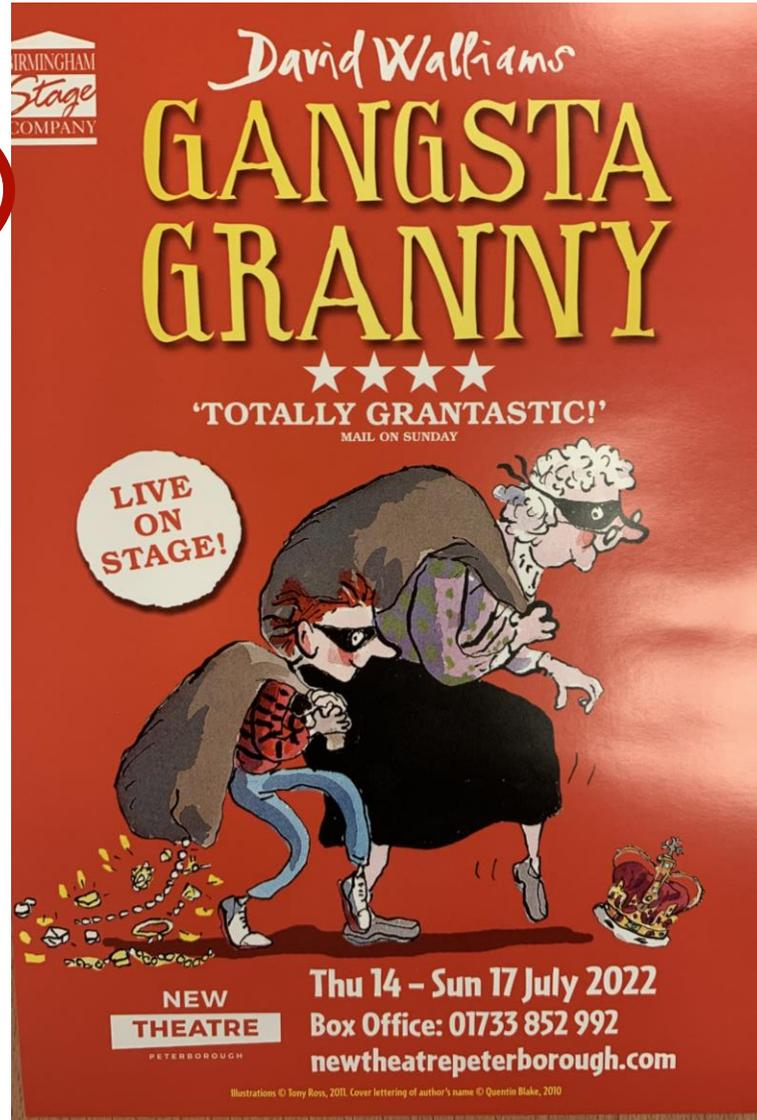
# Year 5 trip to the theatre

**It was amazing because  
it was funny with the  
Granny trumping with  
the cabbage soup!**

Jack J

**It was an amazing  
experience and we  
were lucky to have  
it.**

Takara



**There were great  
actors!**

Lena

**It was an  
extraordinary  
sight!**

Raymond

# Class Champions EYFS and Lower School

Learning with our head, heart and hands

All who  
remained at  
school,  
instead of  
camping  
3ET

Izza  
Owls

All  
campers  
3ET

All who  
remained at  
school,  
instead of  
camping  
3OW

Butterf  
lies  
Class

Malak  
Robins

All  
campers  
3OW

Ladybirds  
Class

All of  
Year 2!

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# Class Champions Upper School

Learning with our head, heart and hands

Eva  
Y6

Paighton  
4NB

Raitis  
5AA

Aiden  
4NB

Dominik  
Y6

Loki  
Y6

Sandra  
Y6

Olly  
5AH/MS

Logan  
5AH/MS

Liam  
4CP

Harmonie  
4CP

Eva  
5AA

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## Nail Art



Maya Year 6 attended the bearded villains meet in Leeds painting nails to raise money for Elliotts Arm charity and made over £60.

## Gymnastics



# PERSONAL BEST



Achievements and success inside AND outside of school.



If your child achieves a 'Personal Best' out of school, please email a photo to [office@mps.pkat.co.uk](mailto:office@mps.pkat.co.uk) so we can share their wonderful achievements on this page every week.

## Fishing

## Football

## Art



## Dance

Lilliebeth Year 4 has created this beautiful picture and it is lots of squares with letters and symbols

## Swimming

# Birthdays this week



Mrs Sumajit

Majesty  
5  
Aaron  
7  
Skyla  
8  
Caleb  
5  
Isabelle  
9

Rhesa  
6  
Arthur  
10  
Lily  
10  
Jiya  
9  
Riley  
10



Happy Birthday from everyone at Middleton!

# Year 3 Camping trip – Tuesday 5th July



Forest school



Farm to fork session



Animals

# Toasting marshmallows



Everyone  
around the  
world,  
come on!

[Kool & The Gang -  
Celebration \(Official Music  
Video\) - YouTube](#)

[Heather Small - Proud  
\(Official video\) - YouTube](#)

Celebrate  
everything  
you have  
achieved this  
week.

You are all  
**AMAZING!**