



### Dates for your diary:

5.05.23 In school coronation event **12.15pm** in school – all welcome, children to dress in red, white or blue or Kings or Queens' dress.

8.05.23 School closed – bank holiday for King's coronation

9.05.23 SATS for Year 6 children

15.05.23 Bikeability begins for Year 6 children.

22-23.05.23 Year 5 and 6 children visiting Edinburgh

26.05.23 Tuck shop on school yard.

### CAREERS' WEEK – 12<sup>th</sup> – 16<sup>th</sup> June 2023

In the summer term, we will be launching our first careers' week. We will be inviting many passionate people to come into school to talk about their jobs and careers to inspire our youngsters. We would like all types of roles to be shared, if you have any family members who would like to speak to our children please let us know. This will be a wonderful week!

### KING'S CORONATION

We will be having an in-school event for the King's coronation on Friday 5<sup>th</sup> May. This will take place in the afternoon. There will be a picnic style lunch event and traditional English games on the field. Red, white and blue dress or Kings or Queens! This will begin at **12.15pm** so that everyone can eat their lunch together on the field. **\*\* note change of time.**

Families will eat together on the field, so please bring picnic blankets, there will then be activities to complete around school such as make a crown, time capsule, party hats. The PTA also have stalls and refreshments. **Cake donations would be very welcome for this event.**

**If it rains, there will have to be changes to this plan, I will let you know plan B later this week.**

### Attendance

Following on from my email about the importance of attendance, going forward we will publish the weekly class attendance figures. We don't want poorly children in school, but are always keen to encourage excellent attendance from our pupils. (Data is from last week)

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| Reception | 99%  |
| Year 1    | 100% |
| Year 2    | 99%  |
| Year 3    | 92%  |
| Year 4    | 99%  |
| Year 5    | 100% |
| Year 6    | 98%  |

### Reading at home.

When we were visited recently, it was commented on how books and reading is one of our highest priorities in school. It will always continue to be so. We invest heavily in new and exciting texts for children to read.

Readers are writers and learners. Reading is the basis of any form of education and children who can't read well struggle with all aspects of their learning.

If you can continue to encourage your child to read for 20 minutes each day that will help them become an interested and curious learner.

Thank you for all of your continued to support.

### FRUIT TREES

We are working hard at making our school a bee friendly school to help our hard working insects. If you able to buy a fruit tree, we will buy a plum, pear or apple tree and plant it in our school grounds.

We will also add a plaque with your family name attached to the tree - so it's there for generations to come.

If you able to support us with this – we will be most grateful. The PTA are organising this so please contact Hannah Gildroy or let us know in the office.