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TERM DATES School Year 2022-23

Summer Term
INSET Day:
Monday 17th April 2023
First day of Term:
Tuesday 18th April 2023
Bank Holiday:
Monday 1st May 2023
Half Term:
Monday 29th May to
Friday 2nd June 2023
Last Day of Term:
Thursday 20th July 2023
INSET Day:
Friday 21st July 2023

Whole School Attendance 2022-23	
TARGET	97.0%
Autumn	95.2%
Spring	95.0%
Week Beginning	%
17/04	94.2%
24/04	97.3%
01/05	94.2%
08/05	95.1%
15/05	95.8%
22/05	
Total:	95.1%

Family	Points
576	436
566	534



IN TOUCH

Friday 19th May 2023

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VISION: Delivering excellence, allowing all to flourish
MISSION: Creating a culture of wonder, guided by Christian Faith
VALUES: COMPASSION - ENDURANCE - THANKFULNESS

We raised a grand total of £879.98 for Christian Aid this week. Huge thanks to all of the parents and carers who supported their children to run a stall and especially to all of the children who gave up time after school to raise money for the charity. Eight out of the twelve groups achieved their goal of turning £5 to £50 with the remaining groups coming very close. The group who raised the most money will be announced in next week's celebration assembly. Many thanks to all of the families who supported the fundraising by giving generously over the course of the four days.

Also this week was Walk to School Week. We all made an effort to reduce our carbon footprint travelling to and from school. Thank you and well done to all the classes. As you will know we are working towards the Eco Schools award and the efforts made by families last week will have gained us some more points! A big thank you from Mrs Bishop and the Eco Committee.

We were very lucky to have both Reverends Jane and Helena in school this week supporting our worship sessions in school. Both were in school on Wednesday leading sessions of reflection on Ascension before Ascension Day on Thursday.

One of our foci in our school vision is to make the most of the surrounding area by extending our outdoor learning provision. As part of this work all of the classes are due to visit Holly Lodge in Richmond Park. Year Two were the first class to visit and engaged with a session on plants linked to their Science work in school. Also out making the most of the local area was Year Three who had their fourth swimming session at Putney Leisure Centre this week. Many thanks to Mrs Bishop, the Year Two and Three teams for making these experiences happen for the children!

Next week is the last week of the half term! It seems to have come around very quickly! School will finish at the usual time of 3.20pm. Please join us, if you can, for celebration worship in the morning from 9.15am. Please enter via the Charlwood Gate.

Let's hope it's a nice sunny weekend and that we can all enjoy fun and rest before the final busy week at school begins. We look forward to seeing you at the usual time on Monday.

Very best wishes, Cheryl Payne

