

Newsletter - Summer Term 6 Week 6

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Message from the Headteacher



Dear Parents and Carers

We are very nearly at the end of another eventful year and are preparing to celebrate today with an assembly on each site. It has been so good to see the nominations come in for Head Teacher's and Captain Tom awards, sharing all the wonderful qualities, efforts and achievements of our students.

I would really like to say a huge thank you to you all for your support for the school over the past year. We have tried our best to make the right decisions to keep everyone safe and provide as much education as we possibly can through this complex situation. I would also like to thank those of you who delivered home education to your sons and daughters who weren't in school. It was not an easy task, and we saw some really good work.

It just remains for me to wish you all the best for a lovely summer and we very much look forward to seeing students back on September 2nd, when we hope to have a full, uninterrupted year in school.

With all good wishes

Lucy

Headteachers Awards

Khamas Trey Paige Jake Marwa Reuben Zack Zahra Anesu

Alex Mo Nedka Zoya Amara Kian Damian Mason Jacob

Inaaya Cindy Peyton Riley Keren Jayke Lucas Marcel Raphael

Jack H Riya

Captain Tom Awards



Mariana



Kirk

Red Class

Red class have really enjoyed learning about the legend, David Attenborough. Did you know his inspiration to love nature came from when a friend sent him a dried up seahorse when he was a young boy? Tanya has a dried up seahorse and she brought it into school for us to do some observational drawing. They were amazing. We have also answered questions about David Attenborough, and we now know so much about him. He loved trekking the mountain gorillas in Africa, just like Tanya, so we made our handprints into those of gorillas. We continued our nature theme by pressing flowers into clay and are going to make them into pictures.



Titanium Class



This term, and year, is rapidly coming to an end.

Six of our students are leaving Post 16 and will be starting at either Abingdon and Witney College or City of Oxford College in September. Many have made transitional visits to their new college settings, particularly those who are going to the Witney campus. City of Oxford College has been more reluctant to host such visits due to the COVID situation but student places have been confirmed. I am also pleased to announce that four of our Post 16 students achieved the Entry Level 1 Diploma, two the Certificate and one the Award.

I am retiring at the end of this term having had a career that has spanned almost 40 years in

education. I have particularly enjoyed my time working at Mabel Prichard and have always valued the supportive nature of the staff team and wonderful students in the school. They are all quite remarkable and will be missed.



