

Fenstanton and Hilton Primary School and Pre-school

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Message from the Head...

Dear parents and carers,

Our Year 6 children completed their Statutory Assessment Tests this week. All of the children conducted themselves very positively and showed great determination throughout the tests. It was a pleasure to welcome the children into school early each morning for their SATs breakfast and I was grateful for the respectful behaviour of the children in that environment. We also extend our thanks to the team of volunteers who supported the administration of the tests and gave their time to support the children and our school. Thank you!!

For our year 6 children, the delivery of the curriculum will continue as we prepare them for their transition to secondary education. There is still lots of progress to be made over the next eight weeks, which will also include the residential trip to PGL; the Year 6 production; and the BBQ and games afternoon at the end of term. I hope the children will enjoy their last half term as primary school pupils!

To end this week, we have welcomed Thomas from The Royal Institution to school. Thomas has delivered his *Fuel the Future* shows to all of our children and is preparing for the community show this afternoon. We are very grateful to our PTA, who have funded this opportunity for us, at a cost of approximately £3.50 per pupil.

Lots of our children have been very engaged with our ducklings this week. Our partners at Incredible Eggs delivered ten eggs on Monday and we now have ten ducklings. Five of our feathered friends are with our Reception children, with the others in Upper Key Stage 2. It has been a pleasure to see all the children so interested in the progress of the ducklings.

Next week is the last week of this half term, which seems to have flown past. We are looking forward to next Friday's PTA Colour Run. The weather is due to improve significantly and we are keeping fingers crossed for a warm and sunny evening. This event is a real highlight of our year and we are looking forward to seeing many of you there.

With best wishes, from Richard Martin and all of the team in school.

Diary Dates

Fri 22nd May, PTA Colour Run.

Mon 25th – Fri 29th May, Half-term. *School Closed.*

Mon 1st June, Staff Inset Day. *School closed.*

Tues 2nd June, Back to School.

Mon 8th June, Class Photos.

Fri 12th June, Father's & Others Present Room 1

Wed 17th June, Father's & Others Present Room 2

Reminders & Other Info...

Reminder – Year 6 Swimming payments for the cost of the weekly return coach transfer would be very gratefully received, to ensure these weekly visits to the St Ivo pool can go ahead for all Year6 children. Please access the payment via School Comms Gateway app.