

JENYNS FIRST SCHOOL AND NURSERY

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Our Values - Ambitious - Positive - Respectful

Useful Dates:

23/6/24—Volunteer Day

25/6/24—Class 1 trip to Standalone Farm

27/6/24 – Little Recyclers (Bag2School)
Collection by 9:30 a.m.

28/6/24 - Non-Uniform Day

1/7/24—Volunteer Appreciation morning
(9:00-10:00am)

5/7/24 – Jenyns Got Talent Final

5/7/24 – Reports out

11/7/24 – Transition Day

12/7/24 – Year 4 Leavers experience

13/7/24 – Braughing Wheelbarrow Race

15/7/24—SEN Parent Coffee Morning

15/7/24—Class 3 Bastille Day

17/7/24—Class 3 Charity Bake sale after
school

18/7/24 – Rocksteady Music concert 10
a.m.

18/7/24—Water fight (Class 2 and 3 only)

19/7/24 – Year 4 Leavers Assembly

19/7/24 – Term Ends 12.15 p.m.

You can also keep up-to-date by regularly
viewing the school calendar on the
school website.

Attendance Matters

Congratulations to **Class 3** who
won the attendance trophy this
week. Please find the attendance
figures for this week below:

1st Class 3 — 95.94%

2nd Class 2 — 95.37%

3rd Class 1 — 93.62%



Headteacher message:

Dear Parents and Carers,

What a wonderful week we have had at Jenyns!

I must start the newsletter off by saying a huge “Thankyou!” to everyone who attended Sports Day on Wednesday. Your presence and enthusiasm contributed greatly to the festive atmosphere and motivated our young athletes to perform their best.

Well done to all the students who took part - their energy, enthusiasm, and sportsmanship were truly inspiring. Each pupil demonstrated exceptional athleticism, teamwork, and perseverance—I am immensely proud of how well they did.

A huge thank you goes out to our dedicated staff and parent volunteers who worked tirelessly behind the scenes to organise and run this event smoothly. Your hard work and careful planning ensured that everything ran like clockwork, and your support and encouragement were invaluable to the children. I have included some photos taken by FOJ on page 2!

During my assembly at the start of the week, we talked about the importance of gratitude. We discussed how being thankful is really important and how it links to our school value: being respectful. Following the assembly, it has been lovely to hear the children saying ‘Thankyou’ to their peers as they hold their classroom doors open whilst going through the corridor to the hall for lunch and assembly.

Throughout the week, the staff have been completing various assessments with the children in preparation for their end of year reports and transition. In assembly this morning, I had the pleasure of presenting many ‘Professor Proud’ and ‘Incredible Improver’ Learning Power Certificates to the children across the school for how well they have done. All of the children have shown great effort, dedication and resilience throughout the week—well done!

As the weather continues to improve, it looks like it is going to be rather hot next week (Monday and Tuesday in particular) Please make sure children come in to school with a water bottle, sun hat and sun cream applied before school when necessary.

Finally, thank you to everyone who has signed up for the Volunteer Day this Sunday. I’ll send out a reminder of the jobs that we will be completing and the equipment needed—gardening gloves will be a must!

Best wishes and have a lovely weekend,

Mr Sadler



Class 1

As the weather has warmed up this week, the children have made the most of all of the learning opportunities both inside and outside.

We have had some amazing writers in Class 1, using their phonic knowledge to great effect and recalling many tricky words too! They have enjoyed exploring together in our newly set up outdoor construction area and using the big blocks to build a train.



A big well done to our stars of the week who are Nancy, Aubin and Maisie.

CLASS 2

In Science we have been learning about the environment and how we need to care for it, we sorted some items that we could recycle and discussed ways that we could reduce and reuse some items. We will be looking at sources of energy and which are renewable and talking about how we can reduce the amount of energy we use.



In Forest school, we have linked our learning in Art and Design by creating bird nests, we discussed where would be the best place for our nest and thought about how we could make our nest strong using different natural materials.



We all had great fun taking part in Sports day this week and we are very proud of all the children for showing great sportsmanship towards their peers.

Congratulations to our stars of the week who are Finn, Penelope and Molly.

SEN Coffee Morning—Monday 15th July

A coffee morning for parents/carers of children with SEN will be held on Monday 15th July in the school hall. This will be taking place between 9:00am -10:00am and led by the school's SENCO—Mr Sadler.

The aims of the coffee morning are:

- To provide you with some useful information regarding the SEN provision at Jenyns
- Signposting to information and support from the county's local offer
- A chance to network with other parents of SEN children

We look forward to seeing you there!



Class 3

This week, class 3 have been working hard to complete our summer assessments. We also had great fun during sports day and all showed super sportsmanship throughout.



In seed club, we have been very busy – growing a variety of plants, including nasturtiums, wildflowers, lettuce, peas and rainbow chard.



Congratulations to our stars of the week who are Caelan and Emily.



Volunteer Appreciation Morning

Since starting at Jenyns, I have been blown away by the amount of parental support and adults who volunteer within our school community. Your selfless contributions, whether it has been helping listening to children read, volunteering on a class trip, helping out with any of the 'Friends of Jenyns' events or planning to give up your time for the upcoming Volunteer Day, have made a profound impact on the school's environment and educational offer to our pupils.



As a small token of our appreciation, we are inviting all of the volunteers who have helped **this academic year** into school for a hot drink and some cake/biscuits. We may also have a surprise visit from some of the children also!

The Volunteer Appreciation morning will be taking place on Monday 1st July from 9:00am–10:00am in the school hall.

I hope to see all of you there.

Thank you for being a part of our school family, your willingness to donate your time and talents makes a significant difference, and we are immensely grateful for your unwavering support.

Bag2School

Our Next bags to school collection will be on **Thursday 27th June** please start getting all your unwanted clothes together. We will start accepting bags from Monday 20th June. Please see the noticeboard by the main entrance for a list of items that can be collected.



SCHOOL FUNDRAISING

More clothes -
more funds for
your organisation.
1 kg = £0.55

YOUR COLLECTION IS
ARRANGED ON:

27th June

FILL ANY BAGS WITH CLOTHING AND
BRING THEM TO SCHOOL/ORGANISATION
WE WILL COLLECT AND WEIGH THEM

WE ACCEPT

- Good quality clean clothing (adult's, children's, baby)
- Shoes (paired)
- Bags
- Hats & scarves
- Belts
- Fashion accessories
- Swimwear, lingerie
- Jewellery
- Perfumes

WE DON'T ACCEPT

- Uniforms
- Dirty, wet, ripped, damaged clothing
- Traditional clothing
- Duvets & pillows
- Single shoes
- Toys, stationery
- Bric-a-brac & electrical items
- Books, CDs, DVDs
- Workwear
- Carpets, rugs, mats, curtains
- Hygiene items, diapers
- Linen & towels

PLEASE NO UNIFORMS & DUVETS!

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