# Turves Green Primary School Newsletter

Dear Everyone,

Well we were lucky enough to see a bit of sunshine to remind us that we are in the Summer Term.

Aspiring from the start (one of Excelsior's core values) means that as ever we have started the term of full of activities. Our Reception children are getting ready for their Super Hero exhibition, Year 1 are being palaeontologists, whilst Year 2 are really honing their reading skills and maths skills.

Our eco council are busy collecting seeds and planting materials to brighten up our outdoor areas.

A team of year 3 and 4 children took part in the Excelsior MAT dodgeball tournament held at KES and they returned to school with a very respectable 4th Thanks go to Mr Nesbitt for organising and to King Edwards School for hosting the event.

Statutory Assessments happen in the Summer Term and below is a timetable of when they will be taking place. These are not for the children (or you ) to be concerned about as they take place as part of the normal classroom practises. However should you have any questions please speak your child's class teacher.

Year Group	Assessment	Date	
Reception	Baseline Screening	End of June	
Year 1	Phonics Screening	Wb 12th June	
Year 2	KS1 Assessment Period	Throughout May	
Year 4	Multiplication Tables Check	From 5th June	
Year 6	SATs	9th – 12th May	
	Writing Assessment Period	By the end of June	

Enjoy the extra Bank Holiday lie in, don't forget the industrial action on Tuesday too.

D.Holland Headteacher

#### Inclusion Corner Focus on ....Autism West Midlands

In the West Midlands there are an estimated 60,000 autistic people and Autism West Midlands is there to support them and their families. They also support individuals and families who are awaiting a diagnosis or querying if they may have Autism.

**About** - Taken directly from their website, this encapsulates the charity's purpose: **Our Vision** - A world where autistic people are universally understood and accepted as equal citizens.

**Our Mission** – To provide specialist support and advice to autistic people of all ages and their families living in the West Midlands, enabling them to meet their full potential. **Services** – Amongst the variety of excellent work, the charity does, they offer:

- community hubs: 'Our Community Hubs support children, families, and adults within their local communities to build resilience, confidence and skills to actively participate in society.' Community Support Services | Autism West Midlands
- A helpline for before and after a diagnosis: Autism Information Helpline | Autism West Midlands
- Information sheets: Information Resources | Autism West Midland

I hope this information will be useful to many members of our school community.

Have a great weekend.

Laura Allden (Inclusion Lead)





MONDAY 1ST MAY -SCHOOL CLOSED FOR BANK HOLIDAY

TUESDAY 2ND MAY -PLEASE CHECK LETTER RE CLASS CLOSURES DUE TO INDUSTRIAL ACTION

FRIDAY 5TH MAY - ROYAL CORONATION THEME LUNCH

MONDAY 8TH MAY -SCHOOL CLOSED FOR CORONATION BANK HOLIDAY

TUESDAY 9TH MAY -FRIDAY 12TH MAY YEAR 6 SATS WEEK

#### KS2 PE

Week Beginning 1st May (Week 1 Timetable) Monday - Year 5 Tuesday - 6J, 6B Swimming Wednesday - Year 3 & Year 4 Thursday - 5J & Year 6 Friday - No KS2 PE

Week Beginning 8th May (Week 2 Timetable) Monday - 5S Tuesday - 4B & 6J, 6B Swimming Wednesday - Year 3 & Year 4 Thursday - 4W & Year 5 Friday - No KS2 PE



## Have a conversation about the story behind these pictures and how they link to No Outsiders and British Values:



# **Turves Green Superstars!**



#### **Hot Chocolate Friday**

Well done to all the children who have been nominated.

This week's winners are: Reception - Holly & Jorgie Year 1 - Leo & Millie Year 2 - Sharshviga & Naitik Year 3 - Finn & Ethan Year 4 - Charlie & Nyari Year 5 - Yu Qing & Jack Year 6 - Natalia & Nawal



### Superstar Mathletes

Reception - Belle & Winter Year 1 - Millie & Leo Year 2 - Tazanna & Wahiba Year 3 - Lincoln & Rhys Year 4 - Charlie & Year 5 - Eva & Yu Qing Year 6 - Leo &

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**House Points** 



Lunch Menu

## Week 2

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	Beef Chilli Quorn Chilli	Pork Sausage Vegetarian Sausage	Roast Turkey Quorn Roast	Fish Fingers Macaroni Cheese	米米米米米米 Fish & chips served with garden peas or homemade chip-shop style curry sauce Cheese & Onion pasty served with chips & peas
	Steamed Rice Mixed Vegetables	Creamed Potatoes Gravy Garden Peas Sweetcorn	Roast New Potatoes Creamed Potatoes Broccoli Parsnips	Diced Potatoes Sweetcorn Baked Beans Garden Peas	
	Fresh Fruit Salad	Selection of Cookies with Raisins	Fresh Fruit Salad	Chocolate Sponge & Custard	Old school style iced sponge with sprinkles 業業業業業業

