

Tewkesbury C of E Primary and Pre School

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

12th June 2024

A message from Mrs Farren and Mr Rylatt

We are thrilled to celebrate not only England's victory in the European Championships semi-finals on Wednesday night but also the outstanding SATs results achieved by our Year 6 children. At C of E, we are dedicated to providing a comprehensive and well-rounded education. Our REAL curriculum offers children a wealth of real-life experiences and opportunities to excel in all areas, from sports and drama, to arts and languages. These exceptional results demonstrate that it is possible to have a highly creative and engaging curriculum that goes beyond merely passing tests while still achieving fantastic year-end outcomes. In Reading and Grammar, Punctuation, and Spelling (GPS), 87% of our children met or exceeded the expected standard, and in Maths, 79% achieved or exceeded the expected standard. These figures are significantly above the national average and highlight the continuous improvements made across the school over the past few years.

Subject	Tewkesbury C of E	National Average	Comparison with National	Greater Depth
Reading	87%	74%	+ 13%	34%
GPS	87%	72%	+ 15%	24%
Maths	79%	73%	+ 6%	17%
Writing	72%	72%	+/-	15%

Sports Day + OPAL Stay and Play



It was great to welcome so many of you to our Sports Day and OPAL Stay and Play afternoon. The weather was very kind to us and the children displayed the Olympic Values of Friendship, Respect and Excellence incredibly well. I learnt a few things throughout the day. Firstly, I think you parents enjoy OPAL just as much (if not more) than your children and secondly, some of you parents are just as competitive (or maybe even a little more competitive) than me. I will say that we are catching up with you, and next year, will be our year! Thanks again for joining us, and we can't wait to welcome you all back in again soon.

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Parent View Survey 2024

At Tewkesbury Church of England Primary School we are interested in your views, and so we would like to ask you to participate in our Parent View Survey. We know that the relationship between a school and the families of its pupils is critical to student success. By taking part, you will be helping us to better understand your point of view. This information will be used to guide future development work at the school across the remainder of this year.

The survey will be open from Friday 12th July to Friday 19th July 2024. It is available online and can be found here:

<https://forms.gle/STLvNuzJwTkoy4jS8>

Participation is voluntary and all responses are collected anonymously.

Thank you for your support.

School diary week beginning 15th July 2024

Day	The School Day	After school	Summer Lunch Menu Week 2
Mon	Year 6 Leavers' Assembly at Tewkesbury Abbey		Chicken Bites with Rice Quorn Nuggets with Rice
Tues			Spaghetti Bolognese with Garlic Bread Quorn Bolognese with Garlic Bread
Wed	KS1 Celebration Assembly		Chicken fillet with Roasties Cauliflower Cheese with Roasties
Thur	KS2 Celebration Assembly		Homemade Pepperoni Pizza Homemade Cheese and Tomato Pizza
Fri	Year 6 Leavers' Assembly Last Day of the School year		Fishcake with Chips Jacket Potato with a choice of fillings

Important Dates

Monday 2nd September - Inset Day

Tuesday 3rd September - Inset Day

Wednesday 4th September - First day of the school year