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We maintain healthy relationships by being kind and by being assertive when needed.

### Headteacher's News

Good afternoon parents and carers,

For us at Courtney, it feels as if this term has flown by. We have been busy in so many ways and are sure we are all looking forward to a well-earned break. With all of the rain recently we are delighted at the prospect of the change in weather. With the hope of a sunny May bank holiday weekend, we are sure this half term will be a good one!

Our children have been enjoying school life and our weekly celebration assemblies have highlighted how hard our children are working both within school and at home. The Numbots and TTRs achievements have been brilliant and the children have shown real pride in achieving new stages and unlocking new levels.

We continue to compete with our Road to Tokyo and want to encourage you to be involved over the half term to see how many cities can be reached. Y2 are currently in the lead with their shortest distance to Rio. A reminder that ALL activity can be included as part of keeping active. With the proposed nice weather looming it is important to get moving as much as possible! You could enjoy some of the following:

- Swimming
- Bike rides
- Walks (Ashton Court, Page Park and Blaise Castle)
- Badminton

It is important to also model healthy eating with our young people so engage your children with the cooking process at home.

Whilst we enjoy some of the changes to restrictions, please remember to continue to abide by Government guidance to keep not only yourselves safe, but also each other. Thank you for your continued support.

Wishing you a wonderful half term break!

Keep smiling, keep shining!

Kind regards,  
Georgina Scott



### Diary Events

Break Up  
Year 6 Disco  
Break Up

Friday 28<sup>th</sup> May 2021  
Friday 9<sup>th</sup> July 2021 – 6.00pm-7.30pm  
Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> July 2021

### This week's Crown Values Certificates awarded to:

Year R Cherry: George B  
Year 1 Oak: Tyler B  
Year 2 Ash: Ben R  
Year 3 Lime: Lillia B and Skyla P  
Year 4 Maple: Carmen C, and Hannah H  
Year 5 Sycamore: Zaila H  
Year 6 Cedar: Madison P-W



### Reading Certificates

Millie B, Zach H, Darcie B, Jenson W, Tahlia H, Hubert K, Kings S, Jessica C, William M, Evanna L, Ava B, Lili B, Dora B, Chloe N, Tyler B, Charlie C, Eva R, Elliot M, Rhys I, Jessica G, Jacob F, Lily B, Lillia B, Bella-Rose P, Madison H, Jessica L, Ellie N



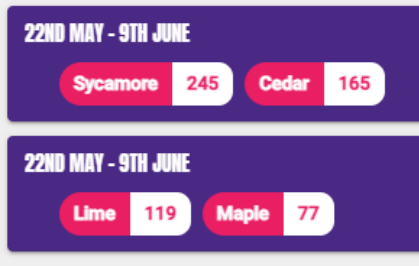
### Multiplication Masters

Kings S, Poppie H, Molly M, Nancy H, Ellis P, Harrison E, Elliot M, Indy M, Iyla-Rae S

### Update!

#### Times Tables Rock Stars Battle of the Bands

Following on from last week's newsletter, the Battle of the Bands has begun. As of Thursday morning, these were the scores:



### Numbots Robot Rumble

These were the scores for the Numbots competition on Thursday:

- Ash 820 average coins earned
- Oak 1296 average coins earned

Remember all three competitions continue until **Wednesday 9th June** so please encourage your child/children to keep participating over half term. Thank you very much and good luck to all classes!

### Out of School

We have been very impressed with our children's creativity at After School Club this week! They designed some delicious donuts and beautiful fridge magnets, cooked up chocolate treats in the kitchen, and designed some fantastic junk models, which included cars, door hangings and robots! Well done to the Year 1 and Year 2 children who have been working hard on the OoSC laptop to increase their NumBots scores for their class competitions. We all enjoyed the return of the sunshine on Thursday and hope we will be able to spend a lot more time out in the playground after half term. We hope you all have a wonderful break and we look forward to seeing you soon.

Here are a few pictures of the children's efforts:



### Plan for week commencing 7<sup>th</sup> June:

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Portrait Painting	Picnic – children make their food	Make your own Pizza	Make your own Milkshake	Bowling

We will also be making Father's Day crafts throughout the week. Please remember to book your child into club either via the Arbor system or by calling the Office.

### Reception Class

Reception class are after the following items:

Travel brochures

Small children's suitcases, including on wheels

Pilot, flight attendant, mechanic role play costumes or accessories such as clip on ties

Belts



Slinkies

### FoCP News

#### Virtual Coronation Balloon Race

There is less than a week to go until the virtual balloon launch from Westminster Abbey on 2nd June. Buying a ticket will not only give you the chance of winning £500 but also support FOCP in what has been another difficult fundraising year. The balloon that travels furthest and bought through our FOCP page below will win a hamper, suitable for Father's Day.

Each balloon costs £3 via the following link:

<https://ecoracing.co/user/page/1725>

Once purchased, you can decorate/customise your own balloon, changing parameters such as helium content, shape and colour, and because they are virtual, they are 100% eco-friendly.

Thank you for your support.



#### SMARTIES CHALLENGE

FoCP would like to give you a yummy treat  
So, we're sending home colourful Smarties to eat  
Keep the tube, don't throw it away  
Do tasks and good deeds to earn your pay  
So, come on Courtney! Answer our call  
So we can raise money for the good of the school



Your child should be bringing home a Smarties pack along with some instructions.

Children may eat the Smarties once they get home.

Over half term, please encourage your children to complete chores, jobs or tasks for 20p or £1 coins to fill up their tubes. The filled tubes should then be brought back to school by **Friday 11th June**. Maybe you might be lucky enough to get a cup of tea, breakfast in bed or even a clean car!

Alternatively, you will be able to pay by online banking via this link:

<https://app.offspring.co/Wh51EnDUO>

We appreciate that times could be tough at the moment, so if you are unable to donate, please just enjoy a sweet treat on us

### Follow Us

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#### Menu w/c Monday 7<sup>th</sup> June Week 2

##### **Monday**

Cheese & Tomato Pizza  
Stir Fry Vegetable Noodles (veg option)  
Peach Crumble & Custard

##### **Tuesday**

BBQ Chicken with Golden Rice  
Mac & Cheese (veg option)  
Arctic Roll

##### **Wednesday**

Roast of the day with Gravy & Roast Potatoes  
Quorn Fillet with Roast Potatoes (veg option)  
Orange Jelly & Mandarins

##### **Thursday**

Cottage Pie  
Vegetable Curry & Rice (Veg option)  
Jam Sponge with Custard

##### **Friday**

Fish and chips with tomato sauce  
Cheese & Tomato Puffs with Chips (veg option)  
Flapjack

**Jacket potatoes (with either beans, cheese or tuna), Fruit and Yogurt available every day.**