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Year 6 Production and Graduation

Year 6 have certainly had a busy week! They put on a number of magnificent performances of their end of year production, 'Charlie and the Chocolate Factory'. Well done to all the pupils and staff responsible for the production. A lot of effort went into the performance and we would like to congratulate all those involved for their superb effort. Well done Year 6!

Yesterday, we had the Year 6 graduation. The children looked very smart in their gowns and mortar boards. A number of awards were made to students who showed particular strengths in different areas of the curriculum as well as attitude and behaviour. Well done to all the winners of awards. A special mention to the 'Pupil of the Year' Amaya Ali.



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Nursery Graduation

‘As you graduate, may your curiosity continue to sparkle, lightening the path to endless discoveries!

Nursery celebrated their graduation on the 15th of July and it was such a memorable day! It was a day filled with lots of joy and love as we celebrated every milestone the children have achieved this year. All the children have worked very hard and Miss Aziz was feeling bittersweet as she was happy that the children had graduated but was sad to see them leave nursery! But caterpillars need to blossom into butterflies and spread their wings to reception! Thank you to all the parents, carers that attended the celebration. Well done nursery class 2024!



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Uniform

We will be implementing our new school logo from September. The school uniform will carry the new logo. In order to make the blazer and tie accessible to pupils, we will be providing all pupils in Year 1 to 6 in September 2024 with a new blazer and tie. We have emailed out a voucher to parents that will enable you to pick up a school blazer and tie from our uniform providers. Our new school uniform will be supplied by Gogna Schoolwear, Rookery Road, Handsworth, Birmingham. You will need to take the voucher code that we will issue with you along with **proof of ID for yourself (driving licence, passport) and a utility bill (gas, electric, home telephone bill)**. The voucher is only towards the cost of a Westminster blazer and tie. Please note that all items will be available from **Tuesday 30th July**.



SUMMER HOLIDAYS

We break up today for the Summer holidays. We hope you all have an enjoyable holiday period and we look forward to welcoming you back in September. The first day back for pupils is **Wednesday 4th September 2024**.

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ATTENDANCE WINNERS

We had our end of year attendance assembly today and we are pleased to announce the following winners of the attendance prizes:

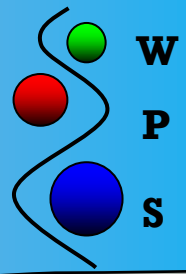
Well done to Mariyam Sankareh (1H) and Fatima Sankareh (4S) for winning the summer term excellent attendance vouchers. Both pupils won a £10 gift voucher to spend at Asda. Well done to you both!! Well done also to all the other pupils who achieved excellent attendance in the summer term; these pupils were all presented with a certificate and prize.

For the best attendance over the academic year 2023-24, we are pleased to announce that the winners are:

Aahil Hussain (5A) and Ayaana Rehan (2K).

Both children won a bike for their excellent attendance over the academic year. We hope you both have fun riding your bikes (wearing your safety helmets of course!) over the summer.





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A wonderful year

It has been a great year at Westminster. Our children have been able to benefit from a wide range of activities. We have continued to strengthen our curricular offer through opportunities for music, sports and public speaking collaborations with organisations such as the Birmingham Royal Ballet and the music service have enabled our children to benefit from opportunities within and beyond school. We have continued to receive the Music Mark accreditation, recognising our commitment to musical opportunities. Our collaboration with the National Centre for Computing Education enables us to deliver a strong computing curriculum. We are very pleased to have received the SEND award for commitment to special educational needs provision and the Wellbeing Award for our commitment to the wellbeing of our school community. Our provision for sports and physical activities has been recognised through achievement of the School Games Gold Award. We have been able to widen participation in sports and physical activity, including competitive sport. We are very pleased that our children have achieved such good results in their end of year assessments, throughout the school.

I would like to congratulate and thank the staff and parents for their contributions to such a successful year. We hope you all have a lovely summer.

**See You
Soon!**