

NPA NEWS

NANTWICH PRIMARY ACADEMY AND NURSERY



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REGULAR EVENTS

Rec to 6 Fitness Fridays

Every Friday

All children come to school in PE kit on a Friday.

Year 5 Swimming

Every Wednesday

Summer Term

Year 5 Brass Tuition

Every Wednesday

All Year

Year 3 Violin Tuition

Every Thursday

Spring and Summer Term

Year 1 Glockenspiel Tuition

Every Thursday

Summer Term

EYFS Rex the Dinosaur

Every Friday

Singing with Victoria

UPCOMING EVENTS

Monday 27th April

BeeActive Megabounce

Details to follow

Monday 4th May

Bank Holiday

School closed on this day

Some Best Bits the week

Nursery have been learning about repeating patterns. They've been copying and continuing an AB pattern and creating their own patterns using natural resources and loose parts. What different kinds of patterns can you see in your home?



What a fabulous week in being Geographers in Year 1! They learnt to describe the human and physical features of Grandad's Island before using four compass points to describe their orientation on the island. They also took their learning out around the school grounds and used a compass to orientate themselves and draw the features they could see!

Year 5 had an exciting visit from the Fire Service, who delivered their Escape to Safety talk. They learnt about the importance of having a fire escape plan at home and what to do if a fire ever occurs. Afterwards, they had the fantastic opportunity to look around the fire engine and explore all the equipment firefighters carry to help keep people safe. It was a brilliant and memorable experience for everyone!



Thank you to all families who joined us for the Easter Bingo. What a fabulous evening it was with lots of chocolatey smiles at the end of the night!



Our whole
school
attendance
target is
96.5%.



This academic year, we are using 'Picture News' as a resource to support us in finding the positives in current affairs by turning world events into learning opportunities.

We know that children see stories in the news they are curious or confused about and this can sometimes be tricky to explain. Picture News will help us show your children the world around them in a child-friendly way.

Please talk to your child/ren about the Big Question - it's a great opportunity to get involved in your child's learning.

Whole school attendance last week was **96.7%**.
This is above our whole school target.

As a whole school, a total of 56 sessions were lost due to absence, 28 days of learning!

Congratulations to **Year 5** for having the highest class attendance at 100%. Well done!

As always, the gates/doors are open from 8.30 - 8.40am and learning starts promptly. Please make every effort to ensure your child is on time.

PLEASE REPORT ALL ABSENCES VIA THE SCHOOL OFFICE (NOT CLASS DOJO)

Term Dates

School **closes** on Friday 22nd May at 3.15pm or
After School Club at 4.30pm.

School **reopens** on Tuesday 2nd June at 8.30am or
Breakfast Club from 7.30am

The big question this week is:

What makes a great place to live?

A new town called Barking Riverside is being built in East London to help provide homes to the local area.

Birthdays!

A huge Happy Birthday recently to Mason, Eva-Rose, Lee, Zakary, Rosie and Ruben.

We hope you received lovely presents, enjoyed delicious birthday cake and had a wonderful time!



NPA's Learning Power Heroes

Learning Power: Resourceful

Leon in Year 4 used manipulatives to learn how to divide whole numbers by 10, and then the day after recalled the method with no support – great!



Learning Power:

Isobel in Year 3 is always using her manners and being the first to hold the door open for everyone, while also showing kindness by helping classmates whenever they need support. Great job Isobel!

Learning Power: Reciprocal

Oliver and Rowan in Year 5 have worked hard to support their fellow classmates. They should be very proud of themselves.



Learning Power: Responsible
What a wonderful last week of term Caspian in year 2 had! It has been lovely to see you smiling each day and feeling proud of all your achievements. Well done, Caspian!

Learning Power: Risk Taking

Edie in Year 1 took a risk in choosing exciting vocabulary to use in her retelling of Grandad's island and it was very successful, making an intriguing read!



Learning Power: Resilient

Joshua in Year 6 has shown great resilience in his Maths and has continued to improve his arithmetic. He has not given up and kept asking for support when needed; amazing!

Reception

During our Easter hunt, Reuben showed great enthusiasm and perseverance when reading the words for our hunt. Well done Reuben for not giving up!



Nursery

Ruben has been joining in with our phonics sessions this week. He joined in with singing 'The wheels on the bus' and enjoyed doing the actions to the song. Well Done Ruben!

NUR	Dottie
REC	Skyllette-Rose
Y1	Arlo & Arlo
Y2	Avni
Y3	Aria F
Y4	Zahra
Y5	Ben
Y6	Logan

Has your child taken a
Dojo Master
bow this past week?



What has your child done to
earn their Dojo Points this
week?

Please Help!

We are looking for wooden pallets, cable reels (small and large), crates, drainpipes, slices of tree trunks/branches etc that we can use for explorative play during the school day. If you know someone who is able to donate these types of items, please let us know. We would like to create some resources similar to those in these photos!

Anyone willing to volunteer their time to develop these resurces or to assist in improving our school garden would be very welcome. Thank you!



School Office and Staff Contact

Please contact your child's classteacher via Class Dojo for class related information or the School Office for absence, uniform, lunch, snack and any other queries.

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