



Yesterday we said farewell to our wonderful Year 6 students. They were able to put on a special Leaver's Assembly for their families, and did a superb job, despite the heat. The whole Capel family will miss the Year 6 children enormously. They have been such an integral part of our school, for so long, that it will definitely not be the same without them.

During their assembly, they were able to reminisce about certain events and learning over the years, referencing previous teachers, Mr Taylor and some unfortunate mishaps! They all performed brilliantly and made us and their families proud.

On behalf of us all, I would like to wish all the leaving students our very best wishes and lots of luck as they start this new chapter. Please come back and see us to let us know how you get on, the doors are always open to you.

I would like to thank all the staff at Capel for all their hard work this year. Yet again they have astounded me with their commitment and care and I can't thank them enough.

I wish you all a wonderful and safe summer and will see you in September.



A few pictures of the Year 6 water fight, see the web page for more.



Sports Day Winners!

Normans!!

CONGRATULATIONS



Please remember to keep us informed of any positive COVID cases in your households for the next week. If we receive news of any positive child cases, we will let the year group know to enable you to take action and self-isolate. The quickest way for us to do this is via our Jotter app, so please look out for any notifications. Thank you.



We are delighted to announce the recipients of our special end-of-year awards to:

Year EYFS

Courtesy and Consideration Award : Elizabeth

Most sustained effort: Stanley

Sportsmanship Award: Nell

Most improved Sports Person: Molly

Most progress: Jesse

Year 1:

Courtesy and Consideration Award : Sophia G

Most sustained effort: Amber

Sportsmanship Award: George

Most improved Sports Person: Darcey

Most progress: Cameron

Year 2

Courtesy and Consideration Award : Noah

Most sustained effort: Orla

Sportsmanship Award: Heidi

Most improved Sports Person: Rosie

Most progress: Finnley

Year 3

Courtesy and Consideration Award : Georgia

Most sustained effort: Chrissy

Sportsmanship Award: Jensen F

Most improved Sports Person: Phoebe

Most progress: Eloise

Year 4

Courtesy and Consideration Award : Xander

Most sustained effort: Loye

Sportsmanship Award: Theo

Most improved Sports Person: Rebecca-Lily

Most progress: Harrison

Year 5

Courtesy and Consideration Award : Jacob

Most sustained effort: Charlotte

Sportsmanship Award: Albie

Most improved Sports Person: Meralis

Most progress: Archie

Year 6

Courtesy and Consideration Award : Oliver

Most sustained effort: Jacob

Sportsmanship Award: Finn

Most improved Sports Person: Fletcher

Most progress: Nancey

Highest Academic Achievement: Georgia

Most Progress since Year R: Rory

The Greatest Contribution to the life of Capel School: Fletcher

**Congratulations and Well done to
you all.**



This information has been sent before, but thought it would be helpful to include it again in case you wanted to find it quickly.

Upcoming Dates and events

1st September—INSET Day

2nd September— Yrs 1-6 children return

9th September—Kent Test (11+)

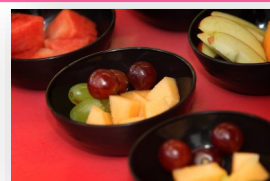
13th September—Swimming lessons for Year 5

15th September—EYFS pupils in until 12:00pm

22nd September—EYFS in full-time

School Dinners from September

Please be aware of a letter coming out with some changes to school dinner payments. From September, it will be necessary for families to **pay in advance** for school dinners (priced at £2.30). We do understand that sometimes people forget so are happy to allow a maximum debt of £11.50 to be incurred before school dinners can no longer be supplied. We hope you understand, but it is getting increasingly difficult to manage the kitchen finances when hundreds of pounds are owed. This does not apply to Key Stage 1 and Reception class who benefit from Universal Free School Meals, and for those children in Key Stage 2 who receive Free School Meals. There will be a standard email that will be sent to families when their account has run out, with a further email to let you know when meals can no longer be supplied. We will not, unfortunately, be able to make exceptions.



School Uniform from September

As you will be aware, we have been very flexible on uniform during the pandemic as we understand that more frequent washing made it hard to keep up with uniform and shops were not so easily accessible. **Please be aware, however, that uniform rules are expected to be followed from September.**

Children need to wear:

Navy polo shirt with Capel Badge

Capel Jumper or Cardigan

Grey trousers/ shorts or Navy trousers

Navy skirt/Blue gingham summer dress

Black shoes (not trainers)

Navy blue PE shorts

House-coloured plain round-necked T-shirt

No jewellery (except small stud earrings if ears have just been pierced.)

We are going to continue to ask children to wear their PE kit to school on the days that they have PE. This saves time and allows families to wash kits regularly. Please ensure it is school PE kit though, and not general sports wear.

School Arrangements from September

As things currently stand, our plan for September is:

- ◆ Main gate open from 8:45-8:55am for Years 1-6
- ◆ Green side gate from 8:45-8:55am for EYFS
- ◆ All children to be picked up at 3:15pm from their current pick-up points. No one-way system, but please be mindful of space.
 - ◆ All pupils return on 2nd September.
 - ◆ Assemblies in the hall will resume.
- ◆ Handwashing, sanitising and good ventilation will remain.
- ◆ Classes will be able to mix, there will be no bubbles.
- ◆ Masks will not be required by visitors, but may be worn if they wish.
 - ◆ Lunches will resume in the Dining Hall
 - ◆ Normal activities and clubs will resume
- ◆ School will have an Outbreak Plan for extreme circumstances,