



## School Newsletter

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### MESSAGE FROM MRS PRICE

'As the academic year closes for the children I would like to thank you all and wish you all the very best for the future. I was asked to become Acting Head here at Richmond starting after Easter 2016, initially this was for a short period of time to give some temporary leadership.

15 months later I leave this amazing school with very happy memories. The children are fantastic and the staff are hard working and dedicated to the continued improvement of the school.

As some of you know I am retiring this week and after almost 40 years in teaching it will be a huge change for me. I feel very privileged to have worked in some amazing schools and met many thousands of delightful children.

This school has been on such a positive journey and I know that this will continue under the leadership of Mrs Williamson.

Finally apologies for not getting to know you as parents better, I only ever thought that I would be here for a short while and that it was most important to know your children so I focussed on that. They are an amazing bunch and the things they say and do each day has brought tremendous joy to the role.

Thank you and goodbye to you all.'

Maxine Price

Executive Head Teacher



## MESSAGE FROM MRS WHITAKER

I cannot believe the Summer holidays are here! What a busy year Millar's Moles/Whitaker's Warriors have had. There have been so many highlights: Samba drumming, dressing up for World Book Day and recently performing the Penguin Song to Canon John in the hall and...in church! There may have been a few lowlights: fidget spinners, dabbing and bottle flipping- but in all seriousness we would like to thank all of our supportive parents and carers. Thank you.

We would love to wish everyone a fantastic summer holiday and look forward to hearing all your news in September- enjoy the rest.



## MESSAGE FROM MR MCCULLOCH

*Doesn't a year go quickly? It's been an absolute pleasure to teach all of your fantastic children throughout their final year of primary school. They have shown an excellent attitude and matured into fantastic year 6 role models. We wish them all the very best at secondary school and throughout the rest of their lives.*

*Mr. McCulloch and  
Mrs. Harker*



## MESSAGE FROM KEY STAGE 1 TEAM

We have had a fantastic year in KS1 this year. We have had lots of fun learning all about chocolate, food and farms and places of interest in the U.K. The children have really enjoyed their learning and have been a pleasure to teach. We would like to wish the Year 2s a happy future in Year 3 and we are looking forward to welcoming the new children in Year 1. We hope that you all have a lovely holiday and we would like to thank you for all of your support.

The Key Stage One  
Team



## MESSAGE FROM MR WELLS

I can't believe it's the end of the year already. It has flown over! The children lived up to the expectations we have in this school and made fantastic progress. We have enjoyed lots of exciting opportunities to support the curriculum too, these include workshops in: judo, skipping, samba, google and chocolate to name a few. Earlier this term, while Year 4 went on a woodland walk, Year 5 went on a visit to York St John University to investigate university life. This is something Year 4 will get to do in the future too.

Can I also take this opportunity to thank parents for the support they have given to their children's learning. It really does make a difference! I hope you all have a wonderful summer. To the Year 5 children I wish you the very best of luck for Year 6, I know you'll be fabulous! To the Year 4 children, can't wait to see you in September all refreshed and eager to learn again!



## MESSAGE FROM TYSONS TWIGAS

In year 3, we have been reflecting over the past year, sharing all our memories: The visit from the Vikings, pantomimes at Christmas, our Rainforest café, the rainy picnic at Easby Abbey, the strings concert at Richmond school, swimming lessons and all the other experiences of our time together. The children have so much to be proud of.

I hope you all have a wonderful summer holiday and enjoy a break from routine. I look forward to seeing you in September, ready for the next step in the journey.

Many thanks for your support.



## MESSAGE FROM FS2



Wow, what a jam packed fun-filled year of learning we've had.

Pirates,  
plays and performances,  
playdough, potions,  
princes *and* princesses,  
pets, paws,  
picnics and  
playtime!

And *lots* more besides.

We are the children of FS2.

We take a pride in the things we do.

Learning together and having fun.

Who's had a good year? EVERYONE!



## MESSAGE FROM MISS HODGES

It's hard to believe that the summer holidays are here! We have not stopped in school this year, there have been so many fantastic learning experiences for the children, with lots of fun and laughter along the way. I wish you all a lovely summer break, I hope that the sun shines! See you all in September.



## MESSAGE FROM MRS WEIGHELL & MRS BOWLER

Wishing you a lovely summer break with lots of fun and laughter. Bon Voyage to 26 Nursery children who are starting Schools in September. You have filled our hearts and minds with some magic memorable moments. I look forward to seeing some new faces in FS1 in September and greeting the new reception starters in their uniforms.

