



WYMONDHAM
COLLEGE
PREP SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER
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THE HEAD'S PREAMBLE

As we wake up to electoral results coming in from across the country, it seems fitting that we too have been engaged in learning more about democracy at School, with the formation of our first School Council.

The children who took the opportunity to stand for election should be commended for their bravery in standing up in front of their peers to explain why they should be voted for. I am personally delighted by our children's manifestos that included a desire to help their school, kindness to their friends and to make the school better. These were just some of the many reasons offered. I am also rather relieved that one candidate's manifesto of installing a giant water slide in our new school, sadly didn't receive quite enough votes!

THE BIG ASK

All children across the UK have been invited by the Children's Commissioner Rachel de Souza, to take part in the Big Ask which is the largest ever survey of children in England.



NUMBER DAY

The children really enjoyed taking part in different activities celebrating all things number related!



CROSS-COUNTRY

Our inter-house class cross-country is on the afternoon of Tuesday 18th May. Unfortunately, it isn't possible for you to spectate, but hopefully you will be able to next year!





HAPPINESS

and Aspiration

In Class

The main areas of learning that the children will be focusing on will be:

Maths – we will be learning how to double numbers and use resources to support our counting.

Literacy - we will be orally retelling stories using story language and expressive voices. We will also write some parts of the story.

Phonics - we will be moving on to phase 4 and learning the tricky words 'said, have, like' as well as practicing our segmenting and blending skills.

Discover - we will be starting a project lasting 3 weeks, which is to create a minibeast fact file. This week we will be gathering information for our minibeast displays. We will display our work for the other class to view.

This week's rhyme is '*Five Little Speckled Frogs*' and appears on the last page of this week's newsletter. We have also been getting the children to think, what if your log had ten or even twenty frogs on it?





The Week Ahead

Week Commencing 10.5.21

2021 May

Miss
Horsfield's
Class

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
10 Sports Kit Dance	11 School Uniform Trainers for Run & Relax	12 School Uniform	13 School Uniform Trainers for PE Club	14 Sports Kit Games	15	16

2021 May

Mrs
Simpson's
Class

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
10 Sports Kit Games	11 Sports Kit Dance	12 School Uniform	13 School Uniform Trainers for Get Up & Go	14 School Uniform	15	16

Rhyme of the Week

FIVE little speckled frogs,
Sat on a speckled log,
Eating some most delicious bugs - yum, yum!
One jumped into the pool,
Where it was nice and cool,
Then there were FOUR speckled frogs - glug, glug!

FOUR little speckled frogs,
Sat on a speckled log,
Eating some most delicious bugs - yum, yum!
One jumped into the pool,
Where it was nice and cool,
Then there were THREE speckled frogs - glug, glug!

THREE little speckled frogs,
Sat on a speckled log,
Eating some most delicious bugs - yum, yum!
One jumped into the pool,
Where it was nice and cool,
Then there were TWO speckled frogs - glug, glug!

TWO little speckled frogs,
Sat on a speckled log,
Eating some most delicious bugs - yum, yum!
One jumped into the pool,
Where it was nice and cool,
Then there was ONE speckled frog - glug, glug!

ONE little speckled frog,
Sat on a speckled log,
Eating some most delicious bugs - yum, yum!
He jumped into the pool,
Where it was nice and cool,
Then there were NO speckled frogs.

House Championship

