

Dear Parents,

Your children continue to be brilliant and have really showed their enjoyment this week! We have had so much going on across school: nursery went on their first school visit to the farm and had a fantastic day; Reception have said goodbye to their chicks; Miss Lomax talked to the whole school in assembly about mutual respect and diversity and Mrs Farrell came back to deliver a fabulous music assembly to the whole school showcasing all the instruments she will be teaching in September.

OPAL (Outdoor Play and Learning) has been in full swing. We have had some really positive feedback from children about the changes to lunchtimes. Over the next few weeks, we will be introducing more 'loose parts' to make it even better.

Please remember we are not in school on Monday due to the bank holiday.

Have a wonderful weekend,
S Bracken

UPPER PHASE NEWSLETTER

Year 4 students have had a productive week filled with diverse learning opportunities. They delved into solving reasoning and mastery-level questions focused on money concepts, sharpening their financial literacy skills. Moreover, the week witnessed an important session by Sparks Fire Safety experts on fire safety, equipping pupils with vital knowledge on handling fire emergencies and ensuring personal safety. Additionally, the students honed their time-telling prowess by mastering both analogue and digital clocks in both the 12-hour and 24-hour formats. This multi-faceted approach to learning has engaged and enriched our Year 4 cohort, fostering valuable skills and knowledge. Parents can be proud of their children's progress and enthusiasm in their education journey.

Our Year 5 students have been immersed in various enriching educational experiences throughout this week. The children have been engaged in Mandarin lessons with our visiting teacher from Finham Park, expanding their linguistic horizons. Moreover, they have devoted time to perfecting play songs and script lines. In addition, the Sky Blues in the Community coach educated the students on crafting healthy diets in correlation with varying levels of physical activity. The children have also delved into creative writing, crafting poignant poems inspired by the iconic song, "What a Wonderful World" by Louis Armstrong, focusing on employing figurative language and repetitive structures to evoke powerful imagery.

Year 6 pupils have been learning a broad and balanced range of subjects this week. Their science exploration focused on understanding how fossils are formed, nurturing their inquiry skills to examine various fossils and infer the creatures they once belonged to. In art, the children delved into the world of decoupage, mastering the art of collaging 3D objects. Alongside these enriching activities, they have diligently prepared for their upcoming SATs tests, demonstrating commendable dedication towards achieving their academic goals. This dedicated effort extends beyond the classroom, with students applying themselves conscientiously at home. Parents can be proud of the relentless commitment and growth their children are displaying

Diary Dates

Monday 6th May

Bank Holiday – School Closed

Thursday 9th May

Reception – Tamworth Castle Trip

Friday 17th May 3pm-4pm

Police meeting-online safety-
refreshments available

Wednesday 22nd May 9am-10am

Police meeting-online safety-
refreshments available

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RIDING BIKES ON GREEN LANE

Please can children / parents be mindful of pedestrians when riding their bikes on Green Lane as today we were informed of an incident which occurred where a child nearly knocked over a gentleman on the path.

Finham Primary are taking over St Mary's Guildhall

Finham's Coventry Young Ambassadors have been offered a fantastic opportunity to 'takeover' St Mary's Guildhall on Bailey Lane, Coventry on Saturday 11th May 2024 from 10:00am until 2:30pm.

As part of this opportunity, the Coventry Young Ambassadors from Finham Primary, in partnership with two other primary schools, will get the chance to act as museum staff for the day, opening the museum and acting as tour guides. Come and hear from them about the Coventry tapestry, try and find the weird and wonderful elephants around the guildhall and see if you can spot the tile that doesn't belong in the floor of the armoury! Additionally, the children will also be creating and manning a variety of family friendly activities in the guildhall itself, including jigsaws, crafts and dressing up.



Entry to the guildhall starts from just £5.00 for children, with an additional discount for those with a free GoCV card. It would be wonderful to see the Finham Primary community supporting our Young Ambassadors, so if you're looking for a fun family event, please do come along on Saturday 11th May!

Miss Roberts – Coventry Young Ambassador Lead

WIGS OR FAKE BEARDS FOR YEARS 4 & 5

We are looking for fake beards and wigs (fancy dress ones), if anybody has any please could they be brought to the school office. Many thanks

WOMENS LONG DRESSES

We are looking for ladies' long dresses that would fit 9–10-year-olds. If anybody has any spare, please could they be brought to the school office. Many thanks

WEEKLY ATTENDANCE

NNAM- 99%	3S-98%
NNPM- 96.7%	3W-95.8%
RM- 94.7%	4J-99%
RL- 94%	4L- 95.7%
1W- 95.6%	5B- 94.7%
1B- 96.9%	5R- 93.6%
2S- 91.3%	6T- 98%
2B- 97.7%	6R- 94%



PE DAYS – Please ensure your child wears the correct PE uniform on the correct day.

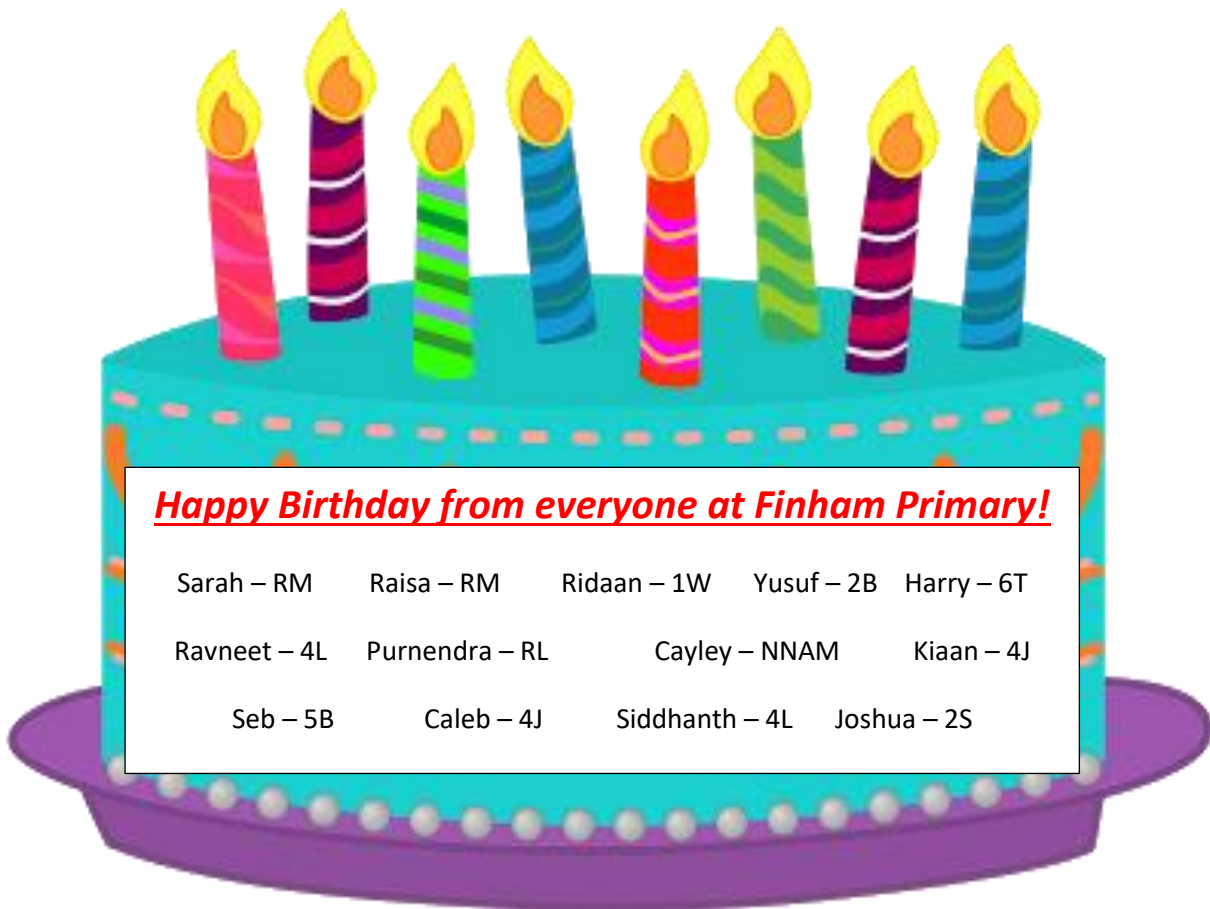
Monday	Year 4 – Athletics Year 5 – Move and Learn Project
Tuesday	Year 1 – Athletics Year 3 – Striking/Fielding Games Year 4 – Striking/Fielding Games Year 5 – Net/Wall Games
Wednesday	Year 2 – Athletics Year 6 – Health Related Fitness
Thursday	Reception – Ball Games Year 1 – Health Related Fitness Year 3 – Athletics Year 6 – Net/Wall Games
Friday	Year 2 – Team Building

Please can children wear their PE kit to school on PE days (except Reception)

1. Plain white T-shirt or white t-shirt with Finham Primary logo
2. Plain navy blue or black shorts
3. Plain navy blue or black joggers
4. Plain navy blue or black leggings
5. White Socks
6. Black trainers/pumps (that fit well)
7. Plain navy jumper
8. Navy Hoodie with Finham Primary logo

PLEASE ENSURE YOU LABEL ALL ITEMS WITH YOUR CHILD'S NAME

PLEASE CAN CHILDREN NOT WEAR LOGOED SPORTS WEAR



Happy Birthday from everyone at Finham Primary!

Sarah – RM	Raisa – RM	Ridaan – 1W	Yusuf – 2B	Harry – 6T
Ravneet – 4L	Purnendra – RL	Cayley – NNAM	Kiaan – 4J	
Seb – 5B	Caleb – 4J	Siddhanth – 4L	Joshua – 2S	

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