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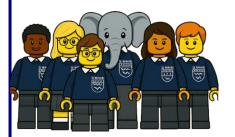
As we come to the end of our school year, we say goodbye to our amazing Year 6s as they head off to their new schools to start their new learning journeys.

We also say goodbye to Miss Byrom and Mrs Etisham as they head off to pastures new and we wish them all every success in the future.

From us all, to everyone at 'Team Wilf', we hope you have a lovely summer and look forward to seeing you on Thursday 4th



July 2025





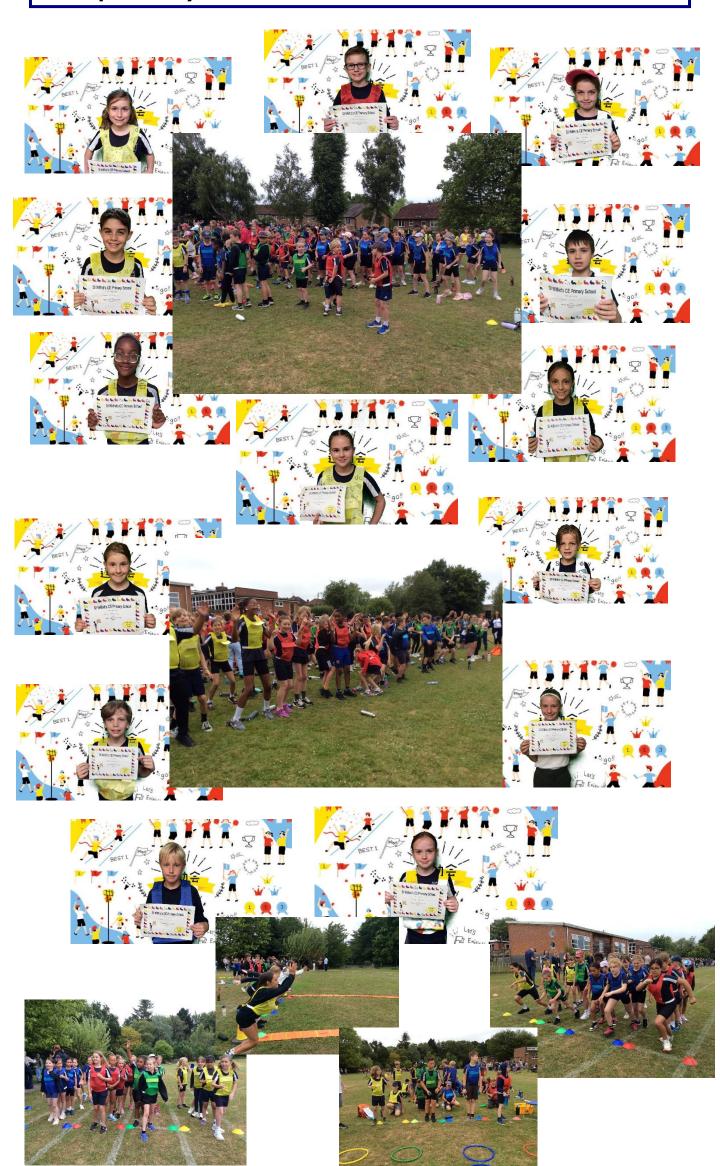
Our June/July Learning...



Our Sports days



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Performing Arts at St Wilfrid's

Year 5 and 6 production – 'Robin and the Sherwood Hoodies' Our Year 5 and 6 pupils have worked so hard this half term on their production of 'Robin and the Sherwood Hoodies!'. Year 6 were absolutely brilliant at learning all of their lines, bringing their different characters to life and we were so proud of how they all performed with such confidence. Year 5 supported with their beautiful singing and look forward to being on the stage next year. The audiences all agreed what a fantastic show it was!



















Orchestra performance

Our new St Wilfrid's orchestra have been working hard with our music teacher, Mrs Brown, this half term. Playing a host of different instruments including guitar, piano, cello, trumpet and more! They have been able to work together on composing their own music as well as playing some familiar tunes together. They were fantastic at performing to their parents in the last session of the term. We have been so impressed with how the ensemble has come together and look forward to seeing how it continues to develop next year!



EYFS, Year 1 and Year 2 drama workshops

Our Year EYFS, Year 2 and Year 3 classes took part in a 'Drama 4 all' workshop based around the theme of 'Jungle Rumble'. They learnt to move like different jungle animals, embarked on a journey on the jungle jeep and, fly on a unicorn and worked together to outsmart a sneaky crocodile! All of the children had great fun taking part.





Music lessons

All year groups have been working hard with their music teachers this again term and it has been the turn of Year 1, Year 2, Year 3 and Year 4 to perform to their buddy year groups.

Year 1 performed some musical storytelling using their voices and instruments to make different sound effects.

Year 2 used drums and xylophones to support them singing a range of call and response songs.

Year 3 performed a range of songs singing in rounds, following drums beats and using their bodies as percussion.

Year 4 showed off their recorder skills playing carefully in time with each other and closely following the beat of the backing tracks. They made a fantastic recorder band!

We look forward to seeing how everyone continues to develop their music skills next year!





Choir Summer Fair Performance

Our choir did us all proud performing their songs that they have been learning this term at our school Summer Fair. They also enjoyed performing in our school worship to their peers! We were really proud of how confident they were with a variety of different songs and we know their audiences loved listening to them!

Rocksteady

The team from rock steady came to visit us all for a mini workshop. We learnt all about the different rock band instruments and some of us even got to try them out! We all enjoyed singing along to some familiar songs. Some children have now started their Rocksteady club and have created some fantastic music this term.





Dance club Summer Fair Performance

Mrs Ford's dance club have been working hard this term to learn their 'Madagascar Medley' dance. They loved performing at the summer fair and also to their peers in worship too. It has been great to see their performance confidence develop over the term and lots of smiling faces as they received cheers from their audience.



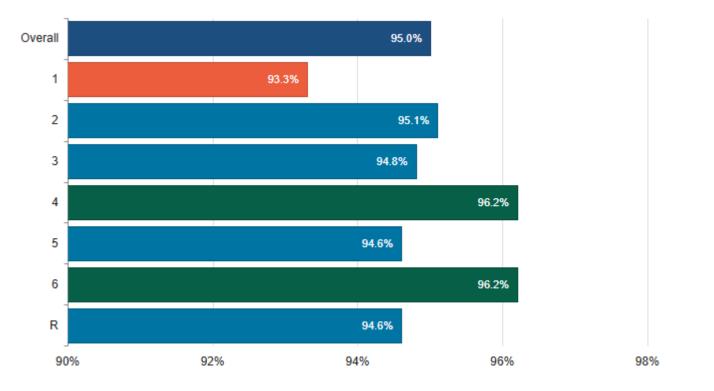
Attendance

At St Wilfrid's we believe that being in school every day, is important to your child's achievement, wellbeing, and their wider development.

Therefore, attending school is very important and we are focussing on making sure our children are in school as much as possible to ensure they achieve their best.

Our Target for next year's attendance is 96% and we will be expecting families to support us in reaching that target together.

WHAT IS GOOD ATTENDANCE?						
190 days	180 days	J78 days	163 days	6 days	43 days	
100%	95%	94%	86%	85%	75%	
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,	Only I-2 day missed per term		Between 3-8 days missed per term		More than 9 days missed per term	



Safeguarding & Support - Looking after our Families & Children

Our Designated Safeguarding Lead (DSL) is Mrs Sarah Ford and the deputies are Mrs Emma Russell, Miss Elizabeth Killick and Mr Simon Hateley. If you have any concerns about the safety or welfare of any child then please email dsl@stwilfrids-hh.school. During term time this email will be checked daily (Monday-Friday) and during the school holidays it will periodically monitored.

In the event of an immediate safeguarding concern, please contact the West Sussex Multi-Agency Safeguarding Hub (MASH). MASH is a single point of contact for all safeguarding concerns regarding children and young people in West Sussex which includes front door access for Early Help.

All emails into MASH should be sent to MASH@westsussex.gov.uk
Please note if there is an urgent safeguarding issue, you should make telephone contact initially with MASH on 01403-229900 (out of hours 0330-2226664) to discuss concerns.