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#### This week...

Year 5 have been working with Mrs Sharp in their first Environmental Science session this week. They have been planting, weeding and pruning! They have shown great enthusiasm

and gardening skills.

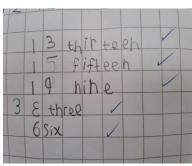






In Maths Robins have been busily sorting and counting! They have been using objects to represent a number, and writing the number and the word. Well done Robins, great work.







Children across all of our Chorus Schools have an online assembly together every Friday morning to celebrate children's achievements. A reminder that the slides can be found on our website: <a href="https://standrews.chorusschools.uk/assembly-news/">https://standrews.chorusschools.uk/assembly-news/</a>



#### Compass Parent App

You should have received an email with instructions on how to activate your Compass Parent App account. Please activate your account as soon as possible.

## Monday After School Clubs

We are pleased to offer extracurricular after school activities again this term, running each Monday, starting Monday 15<sup>th</sup> September to Monday 8<sup>th</sup> December, 3.15 – 4.15pm. Clubs available are as follows: Construction Club for KS1 (Otter & Robin), Singing and Homework Club for KS2 (Fox & Owl). To book a place click here: https://forms.gle/ERWMgBfCcKcprqVo9

# School Photography, Next Thursday 18th Sept

A reminder that our photographer will be in school on Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> September to take individual photos. Please ensure children are spick and span in smart school uniform, including their jumper or cardigan with logo.



- Thurs 18<sup>th</sup> Sept School Photos
- Tues 23<sup>rd</sup> Sept Ickworth House Visit Owl Class
- Friday 26<sup>th</sup> Sept,
   3.30pm
   MacMillan Coffee
- Mon 29<sup>th</sup> Sep, Layer Marney Trip, Fox Class
- Thurs 9<sup>th</sup> Oct
   Flu Vaccine
- Thurs 16<sup>th</sup> Oct
   Wild Worship, Otters
- Fri 17<sup>th</sup> Oct
   Wear Red Day Show
   Racism the Red Card
- Tues 11<sup>th</sup> Nov, Remembrance Service
- Thurs 13<sup>th</sup> Nov
   Wild Worship, Otters
- Weds 22<sup>nd</sup> Fri 24<sup>th</sup>
   Oct Non-Pupil Days
- Mon 27<sup>th</sup> Fri 31<sup>st</sup> Oct Half-Term
- Tues 18<sup>th</sup> Nov
   YSC in School Event Macbeth, Owl Class

# Owl Class Trip, Ickworth House, Tuesday 23rd Sept

A reminder to make your payment on ParentPay and confirm your child's lunch choice (school or bringing own) click here: <a href="https://forms.gle/niGjFZdDWNbk113F8">https://forms.gle/niGjFZdDWNbk113F8</a> and make payment to your ParentPay account. Thank you.

## Fox Class Layer Marney Trip, Monday 29th Sept

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## Cost of Living Residents Survey 2025

The rising cost of living continues to affect many people across our communities in different ways. Whether it's the price of food, energy bills, housing costs, or access to essential services, these pressures can have a real impact on everyday life. Braintree District Council have launched a cost of living short survey and are keen to here directly from residents. To complete the survey click here: https://www.braintree.gov.uk/xfp/form/727

### EPC KS2 Afterschool Multi-Sports Club

Click here for further details and to book:

https://enrolmy.com/essex-professional-coaching-ltd/activity/122-Multiskills After school Club

#### Coming up...

- Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> Sept, Individual School Photos
- Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> Sept, Ickworth House Visit, Owl Class
- Friday 26<sup>th</sup> Sept, from 3.15pm MacMillan Coffee Afternoon
- Monday 29<sup>th</sup> September, Layer Marney Trip, Fox Class

Yours faithfully,

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