# Friday 22 July 2022 End Term 6 Newsletter 

## Frome Vale Academy

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Value of the term: Forgiveness
Learning behaviour: Curiosity

We've had an amazing Term 6 with lots of learning outside the classroom, utilising our forest school area and the amazing grounds we are so lucky to have. We held an outstanding Dance Week, a marvellous Music Day, a fabulous festival event complete with our own parade and hot air balloon. We hope you are all now looking forward to a summer of fun. We wish you a happy summer holiday and look forward to seeing you all on 5.9.22

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| We are Curious |  |
| Ever wondered what you are |  |
| looking at in the night sky? A |  |
| beginners guide to star gazing |  |
| should help! |  |$\quad$| COUNTRYFILE |
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| Spread your wings into the |
| world of birds and get spotting! |
| Which birds do you share your |
| neighbourhood with? |$\quad$| Rockpooling is a traditional |
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| summer seaside activity. This |
| rockpooling guide offers tips on |
| the best places to go, essential |
| equipment and how to get started. |

## 20222023 Class List

| Class | Teacher |
| :--- | :--- |
| Reception | Miss Pring |
| Year 1 | Mrs Butcher |
| Year 2 | Mrs Hall |
| Year 3 | Miss Heap |
| Year 4 | Miss Jackman |
| Year 5 |  <br> Miss Buckman |
| Year 6 | Mrs Pakrooh |

## 20222023 Term Dates

| Start of Term | End of Term |
| :--- | :--- |
| Monday 5 September '22 | Wednesday 19 October '22 |
| Monday 31 October '22 | Friday 16 December '22 |
| Wednesday 4 January '23 | Friday 10 February '23 |
| Tuesday 21 February '23 | Friday 31 March '23 |
| Monday 17 April '23 | Friday 26 May '23 |
| Monday 5 June '23 | Friday 21 July '23 |
| Bank Holiday | Monday 1 May 2023 |
| Inset Day-School Closed | Friday 7 July 2023 |

Key Dates for your diary


It is essential that we have your correct email address and mobile telephone number in order to support you.

## Learning Outside the Classroom

Our inaugural event One School, Many Worlds took place on Thursday 7 July. You joined us to celebrate our cultural identities, by wearing cultural dress, by bringing yummy food and by watching our children parade with our national flags, whilst dancing and playing music. The children learnt about each others countries and what


## Year 6

WOW! Year 6 SATS results are Outstanding.
Reading 89\%
Writing 89\%
Maths 89\%
SPAG 85\%

## Combined 81\%

The National Average Combined is $59 \%$
Well done to our Year 6 children on your 7 years of hard work and dedication at FVA. Look what you did!
We also need to recognise our fantastic teaching team for their exceptional work too.
Believe you can and you will (and work really hard too).


An amazing week was had by all our Year 6 children who attended the PGL Residential Camp at Liddington. With plenty of adrenalin fuelled activities there were plenty of screams (and that was just the teaching staff). Lots of memories were created, fears overcome, teamwork skills gained and independence learnt. It was a brilliant week.


The 19th saw the official graduation ceremony for Year 6 as they end their time at Frome Vale Academy. We wish them all the very best of luck for their onward journey.
As Mrs Dawson would say "smash it!" We will all miss you.


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# Community Support 

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GyMoOnzees for all disabled children

Their new home will be open seven days a week and provide endless possibilities for health, happiness and support and will create cherished family memories such as a 3-year-old laughing for the first time, a 6-year-old taking his first steps, siblings playing together, and parents making friendships with others who understand the disability world.



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## Summer Reading Challenge

Bristol Libraries will be running the Summer Reading Challenge again this year with children being able to sign up online for the digital version and in person at libraries. This year the theme is science and the Challenge is called Gadgeteers. Click HERE for this FREE event.


Frome Vale Academy
For all your plans for you and the children, please find a holiday planner to help plan for the perfect summer. Print out your own copy and let the children help fill it out. Below are some low cost or free ideas to get you started. Click planner to download.

## Community Support

Whether you're heading to the beach, playing in the park or out in your own backyard, it's really important to think about sun protection for little ones. Click HERE for tips on sun safety for kids and make sure everyone enjoys the sunshine safely when
 you're out and about.




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## Online Safety

What Parents Need to Know!
Each newsletter we will provide a helpful fact page on an online game or issue. We know children will want to play online games with their friends and this can be a great way for children to have fun. However as you will be aware with every benefit there is also a disadvantage. Being aware of what these can be will help to keep your child safe.
 huge difference. One in every five children struggles with their mental health, so let's make sure we support each other through any diffigultimes.


## Academy Life in Pictures

## We are Learners

Frome Vale Academy, learning outside the classroom


You can stay in touch with what is happening at the academy by logging onto our Twitter feed. Click Here


Free School Meals.
Hot Lunch Included for ALL students. .
Activities to Include: Drama, Fencing, Basketball, Art, Cookery, Cheerleading \& Much More...
Register now

## BRISTOL <br> METROPOLITAN <br> ACADEMY

## Summer Holiday Play Sessions 2022!

FREE Stay \& Play creative open access activities aimed at over 8 s younger siblings welcome with adult supervision, led by Children's Scrapstore. Join us at one of our sessions below.

Lunch will be provided.
(Drop-in session, no booking required)
Monday 25th July
Sports: Olympics. Coaching \& Parkour
Monday 1st August
Science Experiments:Experiments. Explosions \& Potions
Monday 8th August
Maps: Treasure. Trails \& Discoveries
Monday 15th August
Transport: Wacky Racers. Tracks \& Tournaments
Monday 22nd August Theatre \& Performance: Puppets. Props \& Potions
10am - 2pm
Oldbury Court
 Children's Centre Frenchay Rd. Bristol BS16 2QS


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## www.childrensscrapstore.co.uk

## Free Cricket in the summer holidays



Downend \& Frenchay Tennis Club

# Summer Holiday Tennis Camps 

Sessions running each week Monday's Wednesday's \&

Friday's

Come along for a fun action-packed day of tennis and multisport!

## Tennis Camps for ages 5-12 Half Day $£ 15$ <br> Whole Day £30

## 25th July - 26th August

## To book your place go to www.downendandfrenchay.co.uk/holidaycamps/ Or for more information please contact us

Downend \& Frenchay Tennis Club Common Mead Lane, Hambrook, Frenchay, Bristol BS16 100

We are located in the grounds of Frenchay Cricket Club
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y @DandFLTC
C. 07928349154

- info@downendandfrenchay.co.uk
$\square$ www.downendandfrenchay.co.uk

WEEK 1

## Oldbury

Court
Frenchay Road, BS16 2QS

## St. Anne's Park

Lichfield Road, BS4 4BJ

## Broomhill

Fermaine Avenue, BS4 4UY

## Speedwell

Speedwell Road, BS5 7SY

1.30pm-2.30pm Please call Brooklea Midwives to book: 01173304258

Baby Massage (Booking $£$ ) 1.30pm-2.30pm Starting 26th July Age 0-6 months


Under 5's Hub (Drop in) 9.30am-11.30am Last entry 11am

Mini Explorers (Drop In) Hillfields Community Garden,

Thicket Ave, BS16 4EP
9.30am - 11am, Ages 2+ Last Monday of every month

Food Club (Drop In $£$ )
St. Peter's Church, BS4 4NZ
12.30pm-2.30pm


## Sweaty Mama (Booking £) 10am-11am



Baby Building Blocks (Drop In)
10am-11am
Ages 0-18 months


## Thursday 28th July



Baby Building Blocks (Drop In)
10am-11am
Ages 0-18 months

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WEEK 2
1st - 5th August

## Oldbury

Court

Frenchay Road, BS16 2QS

## St. Anne's

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## Broomhill

Fermaine Avenue, BS4 4UY

## Speedwell

Speedwell Road, BS5 7SY

Monday 1st August

Tuesday 2nd August

Wednesday 3rd August

## Thursday 4th August

Friday 5th August


## Sweaty Mama (Booking £)

10am-11am
Food Club (Drop In $£$ ) $1 \mathrm{pm}-3 \mathrm{pm}$

Family Nature Explorers with Picnic Tea (Drop In 2pm-4.30pm
Food provided \& all ages welcome
Twins \& Multiples of East Bristol 10am-11.30am
Every first Friday of the month Ages 0-5

Baby Building Blocks (Drop In)
10am-11am
Ages 0-18 months


Under 5's Hub (Drop In)
9.30am-11.30am Last entry 11am

Baby Massage (Booking)
1.30pm-2.30pm

Ages 0-6 months


WEEK 3
8th - 12th August

Monday 8th August

Tuesday 9th August

Wednesday 10th August

> Thursday 11th August

Friday
12th August

## Oldbury

Court
Frenchay Road, BS16 2QS

## St. Anne's Park

Lichfield Road, BS4 4BJ

## Broomhill

Fermaine Avenue, BS4 4UY

## Speedwell

## Speedwell Road,

 BS5 7SYCommunity

SEN Rainbows (Invitation)
9am-11.30am
Under 5's Hub (Drop in)
9.30am - 11.30am
Last entry 11am, closes at 11.30am
and Play (Drop In)
am-11.30am
Ages 0-5
10am-11.30am
1st, 2nd, 3rd
Wednesday of the month

Let's Get Messy
Family Fun Session (Drop in)
$1 \mathrm{pm}-2.30 \mathrm{pm}$
Ages 0-5

10am-11am
Ages 0-18 months
'Hhildren's
Scrapstore

Summer Family Event with Children's Scrapstore (Drop In) Meadow Vale Park, BS5 7RF 10am-2pm
Ages 8+ (siblings welcome)


Food Club (Drop In $£$ ) Speedwell Methodist Church 318 Speedwell Rd, BS15 1ES
12.30pm - 2.30pm

WEEK 4

Court
Frenchay Road, BS16 2QS

## St. Anne's Park

Lichfield Road, BS4 4BJ

## Broomhill

Fermaine Avenue, BS4 4UY

## Speedwell

Speedwell Road, BS5 7SY

Monday 15th August

Tuesday 16th August

Wednesday 17th August

## Thursday 18th August

Friday 19th August

Sweaty Mama (Booking £) 10am-11am

Food Club (Drop In $£$ ) $1 \mathrm{pm}-3 \mathrm{pm}$
Family Nature Explorers with Picnic Tea (Drop In 2pm-4.30pm
Food provided \& all ages welcome

## Stay and Play (Drop In)

10am-11.30am
Ages 0-5

Under 5's Hub (Drop In)
9.30am-11.30am Last entry 11am

Baby Massage (Booking $£$ )
1.30pm-2.30pm

Ages 0-6 months

Move Together
Family Activities (Drop In)
10.30am - 2.30pm

Lunch provided \& all ages welcome
Speech \& Language Sessions (Appointment Only)

9am-12pm

Baby Building Blocks (Drop In
10-11am
Ages 0-18 months


Food Club (Drop In $£$ ) Speedwell Methodist Church 318 Speedwell Rd, BS15 1ES
$12.30 \mathrm{pm}-2.30 \mathrm{pm}$

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## Oldbury

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## St. Anne's Park

Lichfield Road, BS4 4BJ

## Broomhill

Fermaine Avenue BS4 4UY

Speedwell
Speedwell Road, BS5 7SY


Tuesday 23rd August

## Wednesday <br> 24th August

## Thursday 25th August

Friday
26th August


## Sweaty Mama (Booking £)

10am-11am
Food Club (Drop In $£$ ) 1 pm -3pm

Family Nature Explorers with Picnic Tea (Drop In 2pm-4.30pm
Food provided \& all ages welcome
 10am-11.30am Ages 0-5

Baby Building Blocks (Drop In) 10am-11am Ages 0-18 months

Family Park Picnic (Drop In) Bring a picnic lunch
at Eastwood Park, BS4 4ED meet by the playground
-11am-1pm
All Ages

Under 5's Hub (Drop in) 9.30am-11.30am Last entry 11am
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Food Club (Drop In $£$
St. Peter's Church, BS4 4NZ 12.30pm-2.30pm

WEEK 6 29th August 2nd September

Wednesday
31 st August

Thursday 1st September

Friday
2nd September

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Under 5's Hub (Drop in)
9.30am - 11.30am

Last entry 11am, closes at 11.30am

St. Anne's Park

Lichfield Road, BS4 4BJ

## Broomhill

Fermaine Avenue, BS4 4UY

## Speedwell

Speedwell Road, BS5 7SY

Tuesday 30th August

Monday 29th August


Stay and Play (Drop In)
10am-11.30am
Ages 0-5


Under 5's Hub (Drop In)
9.30am-11.30am Last entry 11am

Sweaty Mama (Booking $£$ )
10am-11am

Food Club (Drop In $£$ ) $1 \mathrm{pm}-3 \mathrm{pm}$

Stay and Play (Drop In)
10am-11.30am
Ages 0-5
Baby Building Blocks (Drop In)
10am-11am
Ages 0-18 months

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## Pupil Term 6 Newsletter

[06/06-21/07]


- All about Dance Week
- Spectacular Sports Day
- The Making of One School, Many Worlds
- Year6 Hit Camp


## [All about Dance Week]

20/06-01/07

We caught up with Mrs Hall, the person behind Dance Week, she gave us the reasons and struggles behind getting Dance Week running.

She thought our school didn't have enough dance going on, so she decided to take the lead and organise a whole school activity for our enjoyment.

She chose local dance groups that offer a wide range of dance style from ballet to street to even regional styles like Columbian and made sure that people who wanted to dance or just come to school to dance were offered an 'no barrier' experience, it means they didn't have to pay or do anything and just participate. She wanted this experience to inspire people of all ages, even the adults to find a hobby in dance and for them to discover their love of dance even if they weren't good at dance. Mrs Hall wanted to give dance an importance to our school.

We also got together with a Year 5 Pupil who has interesting thoughts on this fun experience. "I liked the choice of modern music, and how the dancers would often check
back on us and see if we got the dance or not, they would also talk me through it the dance. I didn't quite like the dancing to the music I also didn't like how sometimes the dancer would change the choregraph."
*We'd like you to share your thoughts about dance week please tell your teacher or directly speak to Mrs Hall and give feedback or you could speak to the newsletter team during your free time. If you would like to consider joining a dance group, you can ask Mrs Hall about information for the group.

## [A Spectacular Sports Day]

## 01/07

This year sports day was run much differently than the past few years at Frome Vale. Never-the-less it was still as fun as before.

## SPORTS DAY [WHAT IS IT ABOUT]

## INTERVIEW

We met up with a Year 6 Pupil. Daniel, he told us that it was very fun, here is more detail.
What did you like about it? "I liked that the parents were allowed to come and help their children with the difficulties of the six challenges we had to do" What could be improved? "I think that the challenges could be a more challenging I think this because my friends and I thought that the challenges could be harder because we found them easy "

## [The Making of One School, Many Worlds]

07/07
I had a little catch up with these 2 young pupils from year 5 , they have a little speech about the parade

It was just really crowded the food was great I particularly liked the sweet things. The balloon was very exciting, and I didn't really like the drumming role. I would rather hold the D.I.Y birds. I didn't like how people pushed through to get food, water and dessert. I loved how Kerry dressed up as a penguin and went in the cat air balloon

## -DENNY

I liked everyone dressed up in their culture and religion. I loved how everyone was very respectful to the foods and drinks because some people can be very judgemental about people seasons and taste buds. I didn't like how the year groups had to be separated because it's a lot of hassle for the parents to keep switching years because their children are in different years

## -Michelle

I tried to think of something that would be fun and exciting and shows who we were as individuals. I took inspiration form the Queen's Jubilee Parade, I thought it was a good representation of us. My favourite part was the birds, and the food was amazing particularly a sweet treat that I tried, it had a sesame seed coating and fig inside. I thought that if I had to do it again id find a better sound system because it was quite hard to hear it was all in the front.


This term year 6 will be off to camp in LIDDINTON and will enjoy a range of fun activities such as: fencing, vertical challenge, sensory trail, challenge course, problem solving; survivor and many other inspirational youth ideas that will encourage them to be active

## STUFF YOU WANT TO KNOW ?

- Visit
https://fromevalecitizens.wordpress.com/blog/ for more information
- Your children will have participated in a range of life experiences that will have helped them develop new skills of which they will use in the upcoming years.
- As well as this they will now be more independent and have time with their friends not only but have time to reflect on their primary school memories before graduation


## TRANSITION DAY!

## 18/07

Transition days are a way for the children to get to know their teacher better by visiting them before the summer holidays to get used you and have some idea of what their future class could be like.

