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Dear Parents and Carers,

Years Three and Four, Viking Living History Day, Escot Ottery St Mary

Class Two had a brilliant day at Escot, travelling back in time to learn all about life as a Viking. They made and ate sour dough rolls that were cooked on an open fire, used a lathe to make a wooden mallet and made an iron brooch. During the afternoon they went foraging for herbs and were lucky enough to see the two brown bears that live there!













Year Five, Visit to Exeter Cathedral and Mosque

Year Five had a great day exploring Exeter Cathedral and meeting with the Imam to find out about the daily routine of the Exeter Mosque.





Year Six Plough Arts Creative Outreach 'Medicine and Disease'

Led by Sara Pruce of the Plough Arts Centre, the children enthusiastically showcased science and drama through their performance of a short play based on Louis Pasteur's role in modern medicine.



Tuesday 29th April, Reception, Years One and Two, 'Gardens are good for you' Workshop, RHS Garden Rosemoor, Great Torrington

Your child will need to wear their school uniform and outdoor footwear or wellington boots and bring a waterproof coat, sun hat and sun block, a packed lunch and a water bottle. The children will depart and return during the school day. School packed lunches can be ordered please return the packed lunch order form to the office by Monday.

Wednesday 30th April, Year Two Tennis Festival, Tarka Tennis

Your child will need to wear their PE kit to school and bring their water bottle. The children will depart and return in time for lunch.

Wednesday 30th April, Year Six, History of Medicine, St Nicholas Priory, Exeter

Your child will need to wear their school uniform and bring a waterproof coat, sun hat and sun block, a packed lunch and a water bottle. School packed lunches can be ordered please return the packed lunch order form to the office by Monday.

Please note the following change to timings. Please drop your child off at the Tesco Rose Lane Bus Stop at 8.30 am where Mr Morris will be waiting. Please collect your child from the Tesco Rose Lane Bus Stop at 3.30 pm. Families with siblings in school may join an after school club.

Years Five and Six Swimming Fridays

Lessons will continue for Years Five and Six commencing on Friday 2^{nd} May and you will need to collect your child from outside the Leisure Centre from 3.15 pm until 3.30 pm. Please do not enter the Leisure Centre as a member of staff will bring the children outside for safe collection.

For families that have siblings where one child may be swimming and one child may be at school, please collect your child from school first at 3.10 pm.

After School Clubs

After school clubs are available for all year groups on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays. Club information will follow next week.

School Dinner Payments

If your child has a school meal we ask that their meal is paid for in advance. A school meal is £2.05 per day. Please make cheques payable to Devon County Council, or send cash in a sealed, marked envelope. Thank you for your co-operation with this.

Residential Payments

Please send in any residential payments to the school office, making cheques payable to Devon County Council, or send cash in a sealed, marked envelope. Thank you.

Kind regards,

Claire Grant

Executive Headteacher

Diary Dates

Monday 28 th April	Whole School, RNLI Lifeguards Water Safety Assembly
Tuesday 29 th April	Reception, Years One and Two, 'Gardens are good for you' Workshop,
	RHS Garden Rosemoor, Torrington
Wednesday 30 th April	Year Six, St Nicholas Priory, 'History of Medicine', Exeter
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	where a teacher will be waiting. Please collect your child from the Tesco
	Rose Lane Bus Stop at 3.30 pm
Wednesday 30 th April	Year Two, Tennis Festival, Tarka Tennis Barnstaple
Friday 2 nd May	Years Five and Six, Swimming Lessons continue
Monday 5 th May	Bank Holiday
Wednesday 7 th May	Whole School Skateboarding and Scootering
Monday 12 th May to	Year Six SATs
Thursday 15 th May	
Tuesday 20 th May	Year One Tennis Festival, Pilton Community College
Wednesday 21st May	Tempest Photography, Traditional School Photograph
Thursday 22 nd May	Years Three, Four, Five and Six, Handpans with Lyndon Forster
Friday 23 rd May	Reception and Year Six, National Measurement Programme