



# SCHOOL NEWS

## Sticky Learning in Y4 | SATs | Coronation Fun!



### **Coronation Fun!**

We had such a fun day in school today, marking the King's Coronation. The flags were flying, a special assembly took place, picnic lunch eaten (though rain drove us indoors) and fantastic work was brought to me showing history knowledge and skills, as well as crown making, biscuit icing and decorating bookmarks and stamps. The day finished with an ice lolly for everyone! We hope it has been a day for the children to remember!



### Key Stage 1 and 2 SATs

Next week the Year 6 pupils will start their KS2 SATs. They will start on Tuesday and finish on Friday; all Year 6 children nationally complete the same tests on the same days. We are providing a special breakfast each morning for year 6 children only. This helps them relax, have a little social time with their friends and ensures they are fully fuelled for their tests! Thanks in advance to all the staff who help to make this happen.

Year 2 start their KS1 SATs the week after and they will run over a two week period. The tests for Y2 are much less formal and will take place in small groups.

I have attached a leaflet for Y2 and Y6 parents and carers, giving more information about these assessments.

**Information for parents:**

2023 national curriculum tests at the end of key stages 1 and 2



### Y2 Cross Country

This week it was the turn of 2W to take part in a local schools' sporting event. They were so determined and resilient, but most importantly had lots of fun. The girls came second overall and the boys third. Special congratulations to Jessie who came a very creditable sixth.



Year 4 have been really busy this term with their practical learning tasks in science and history. They have been investigating a Roman artefacts box and using bananas, crackers, orange juice, water and tights to find out about the human digestive system.! These creative and enjoyable tasks really make our learning STICK!

Remember, once again, it's Bank Holiday Monday next week, so we will see everyone back in school on Tuesday.

Kind regards,

**Cathy Beddows and the Etchells staff**

