
Head Teacher Newsletter, Summer Term 2019

It's hard to believe we have reached the end of another school year again. It has been packed full of exciting learning, amazing achievements and special moments. Our whole team has demonstrated all the 'Take Care' values time and time again and it truly makes me very proud to be headteacher of such a fantastic community.

Even as the school year closes- the good news keeps on coming. Team Ernehale have been working extremely hard on our 'five ways to well being'. Our Take Care team and Mrs Vasudevan have led the school through lots of new initiatives to support us with this. In recognition of this we have been awarded the Gold Carnegie Mental Health Award. This is an outstanding achievement. Did you know that we are only 1 of 36 schools in the country and the only school in the region with this award? Today we have received a special visit from Vernon Coaker who was delighted to present this to our team. Keep your eyes peeled in the local papers for this.

As I'm sure you know- our school is a very musical place and the last few weeks have been full of events and open afternoons. Every single member of Team Ernehale has had a fantastic opportunity to learn an instrument this year. From Toots to Taiko drums- there have been some outstanding performances. We have learned so many skills and how to have the resilience to focus on something new to a point where we could share and perform to others. Our choir and whole school singing have been great as usual and we have marked all the key points of our school year with songs that we know and love.

It has been fantastic to welcome our Infant School into the Flying High Trust and as usual we have enjoyed working on joint projects as part of the bigger Team Ernehale. We have sang together, raised money for 'Rainbows' together, learned together and performed at the Royal Concert Hall too. We look forward to doing this even more next year!

Year 6 is an extremely important year for any child and is one where they come to the end of the primary school age and prepare for the next part in their education. Our pupils showed great determination and resilience in the SATS. The results are only a small part of who our pupils are yet they have made us very proud and as a group achieved above average results both at the expected standard and at greater depth. A huge well done Y6! I wish you all every success in your new secondary school. Remember you are always part of our team and we look forward to hearing about the next part of your journey.

As we draw to a close, I would like to say a huge thank you to you- all our parents/carers and relatives. Your partnership and support in your child's education is invaluable. By working together we can ensure that all our children achieve their dreams and full potential.

Finally I'd like to send a heart-felt thank you to all the staff. We are incredibly lucky to have such a committed team who work tirelessly and go above and beyond to ensure that your child receives the very best education that we can give.

I'd like to wish you a lovely summer and look forward to seeing you all again in September. Don't forget Y6, to pop in and let us know how you are doing.

Please see overleaf, a collection of fantastic photos from this year's events.

Yours sincerely



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