



Newsletter – 13th June 2025



CELEBRATING GOOD SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

Overall whole school attendance this week: 95.72%

Well done to class 3D for achieving the highest attendance this week.

CALLING ALL TALENTS!

Next week we have our Mersea School's Got Talent competition. If your child has a talent, please encourage them to take part. It is great for building confidence and so nice for them to share the things they enjoy doing outside of school. Heats will take part in classes between Monday and Wednesday with the final taking place on Friday 20th June. All talents welcome! Apologies, due to limited space, we are unable to accommodate parents. We will, of course announce the results!

Next week is also the Consortium Sports Day on Tuesday and The Great Science Share at Colchester Zoo. If your children are participating in either of these events, you will have received the relevant information, outlining the arrangements via email.

Athletics Festival Fun

Mrs Sales would like to celebrate the two teams of children in Reception and Year 1 who represented our school in an athletics festival. They not only tried their best at each activity but were kind to each other and did not moan once through the rain showers which struck them!



Wraparound Care Update

Thank you for your feedback to the questionnaires. These are currently being processed and we can confirm that we hope to be able to confirm provision, from September, by Friday 4th July. We hope this gives you time to plan for the autumn term.

If you have a child who will be in the nursery or in the school next year and have not had the chance to respond. Please email office@merseaschool.org if you would like to express your interest in a Wraparound place for your child next year.



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Nursery places for September

If you would like a nursery place for your child in September, please ensure you let the school office know asap. Places will be allocated on a first come, first served basis.

Please email: nursery@merseaschool.org

Year Four Coast Day Fun

Year Four had a wonderful day down at the waterfront, on Packing Marsh Island and visiting the Lifeboat Station. They conducted a land use survey of Coast Road and learnt about the vital role of the RNLI. We are really pleased with how immersed the children were in their learning and very proud of their conduct throughout; receiving many compliments from passers-by. Well done to all and a huge thank you to Bry and Alan Mogridge, the crew of the Lifeboat Station and to the Dabchicks for their kindness and generosity.

Third Place for Year Six Cricketers

Well done to the Year Six cricket team who came a respectable third in their recent tournament, out of seven teams. They all thoroughly enjoyed themselves and were great ambassadors for our school.



Snapshots from Year Two maths - Tyler C and Ava B thinking hard and doing a splendid job.





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Stars of the Week



Nursery	Nursery are celebrating Rufus this week. Rufus has been joining in beautifully on the carpet talking about how superheroes help people. He has been enjoying lots of different activities in the Nursery also. Great job Rufus!
Rec 1	Hunter A who always follows our school rules and is a great role model for everyone in our class. Thank you, Hunter, for being you.
Rec 2	Reception 2 are celebrating Olivia T for her confidence in trying new foods! She is also developing independence when eating.
1M	Austin B-H for working really hard this week in history, learning about Grace Darling, and using the bridge technique in DT to cut up fruit for his healthy breakfast. Austin has made really sensible choices and been a superstar!
1P	1P would like to celebrate Junie M for her fantastic imagination in English this week. Junie has written a brilliant descriptive sentence about a mermaid. 'I can see a pink mermaid splashing in the deep water'. Well done Junie!
2E	Tengri C for his brilliant story writing and perseverance to make sure he kept the detail in his story going right through to the end. Well done Tengri.
2S	2S star of the week is Poppy for her excellent attitude to learning this week. Poppy has approached all of her learning with 100% motivation and all her hard work is paying off with some super maths work and fabulous writing.
3D	JJ D for some excellent inference skills in our reading comprehension work on The Iron Man. He has been really perceptive, picking up clues from the text and explaining his answers with evidence from the text to support them. Great job JJ!
3E	What an incredible week for Felix S! He has absolutely wowed us with his use of the text to help him in all his English work, he has been so determined to achieve his times table award ... and he succeeded and he has put extra effort in to our other lessons too! Really well done Felix, keep it up!
4W	Georgia K for always doing her very best work in all subjects and also for being a really supportive talk partner.
4B	Joseph J for some amazing map reading in Geography. Well done Joseph, brilliant work.
5F	5F would love to celebrate Ava W for showing resilience in maths and working through challenging word problem questions! Well done Ava.
5T	Ollie B for excellent effort in Maths, a positive attitude to learning and lots of resilience across all areas.
5W	Mrs Wyatt would like to celebrate Maahi A for his incredible contributions in English this week. His ability to predict and infer using minimal clues from the text has been truly impressive. We were all amazed by his strong sense of logic—well done, Maahi!
6H	Jude F for his positive attitude to his learning, for working well with his colleagues and for always having a smile on his face.
6Y	Cody M for his enthusiasm and determination shown, since the start of this half term.