

ORANGE CLASS

NEWSLETTER

19th May 2025



Dear Parents and Guardians,

What an exciting and enriching first half of the term for the Orange Blossom class! We have been buzzing with activity, curiosity, and discovery across all subjects, and we are thrilled to share our learning journey with you.

Mathematics

This term, we have been deepening our understanding of fractions, exploring how they represent parts of a whole, and applying them to real-life problems. We have also been investigating measurements, comparing lengths, weights, and volumes, and learning how to use standard units accurately. In place value, children have strengthened their grasp of number structure, including ones and tens, which has helped us build confidence in addition, subtraction, and number sequencing.

English

In English, we have been hard at work consolidating our understanding of verbs, with a strong focus on past and present tenses. We have also taken our writing to the next level through descriptive writing, learning to paint vivid pictures using all parts of speech; nouns, verbs, adjectives, adverbs, prepositions, and conjunctions. The children have practised crafting imaginative stories and thoughtful descriptions, showing great creativity and attention to detail.

Science

Our science topic, "Who Belongs Where?", led us into the fascinating world of animals. We learned how to classify animals based on their diets (herbivores, carnivores, omnivores), body structures (such as fur, feathers, or scales), and habitats. Watching the children become young biologists, asking questions and sorting living creatures with enthusiasm and curiosity, has been a joy.

Project: Motion and Delivery

In our project work, we explored different types of motion, such as push, pull, roll, and slide. The children investigated the forces that affect motion, including gravity, friction, and magnetism. We also took a global perspective by discussing how goods travel around the world; by land, sea, and air and the many people involved in getting products from one place to another.

PSHE (Personal, Social, Health and Economic Education)

This term in PSHE, we've focused on the important topic of staying safe, both in school and at home. We have talked about what it means to feel safe, how to recognise potentially unsafe situations, and most importantly, how to respond. The children have learned how to identify safe adults they can trust, such as parents, teachers, and community helpers, and how to seek help if needed. These discussions have helped the children build confidence and understand how to make good choices to protect themselves and others. We are so proud of the progress and engagement of every student.

As we look ahead, we are excited for more hands-on learning, creative exploration, and collaborative projects. Thank you for your continued support. we could not do it without you!

Warm regards,
The Orange Blossom Team

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Term 3

Half term break: Friday 23 –
Monday 26 May 2025.

End of Term: Monday 30 June
2025.

Public Holiday Dates.

Martyrs Day: Tuesday 3rd June
2025.

National Hero's Day: Monday 9th
June 2025.

Eid al-Fitr: To be Communicated.

TERM EVENTS

- **Ballet Recital:** Tuesday 27 May 2025.
- **Class Photo Shoot:** Friday 30th May 2025.
- **Swimming Gala:** Wednesday, 4 June 2025.
- **Leavers Farewell Ceremony:** Thursday, 26th June 2025.
- **Sports Day:** Saturday, 21st June 2025.

NB: Please take note of the changes in some dates above.

SPORTS DAY

DATE: 21 | 06 | 2025.

Venue : Swan Academy

Time: 9:15 am – 11:30am.

Fees: 20,000/.

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