



Curriculum Newsletter

July 2024



This half term in Warrior Class

Our Big Questions

What are the benefits of sport on individuals and a community? ?

This summer, we focused on the two big worldwide sporting events: The Olympic Games 2024 and EURO 2024. We also held our first Sports Day which was a huge success.

Southsea house won the event with the most points overall. A big thank you to our PE teacher Collette who arranged the whole morning, along with the paddle boarding session earlier in the month.

Warrior have taken part in challenges within the class ranging from speed typing to scoring basketball hoops and mystery fruit tasting. The class also came third in the school Steps to Paris competition!

Throughout this half term we have been focusing on comprehension and making predictions based on what we have read in English. We have also been looking at texts with different purposes such as newspaper articles, fact files and political manifestos! In Maths we have been learning about measure and statistics, and the children have had the chance to use lots of different equipment from measuring cylinders to Newton meters. We have completed a number of science experiments and used our results to learn about different types of graphs. Each child randomly chose a competing nation from the Euros in the school sweepstake and has learnt some fun facts about their country. As with any competitive event, there have been winners and losers and I have been really proud of how the class has managed their emotions in such situations.

Results from this half-term

Sports-day winner

Southsea House

Steps to Paris challenge

Third Place

Euros Sweepstake

Kai Campbell - Netherlands went furthest in the competition.

Harlee Kay - Germany scored the most goals of the teams drawn by the class.

Olympic awards

The class were awarded with the following certificates, reflecting the school values, in our closing Olympic ceremony.

Alfie - Kindness

Harlee - Effort in Learning

Kai - Positivity

Tobias - Creativity

Wymfest

Wymfest 2 was a huge success. Lots of fun was had by all. Thank you to the staff and students of Keystage 4 for arranging such a great event and all of the parents and families that took time out of their busy days to support us.

Vox pop

Some quotes from the class about their year at Wymering...

“I like cooking because it’s fun and it means I get to be in the kitchen.” Harlee

“I like the teachers because they are fun and helped me do my work. I secretly liked some of the learning we did.” Kai

“I learnt that people who wear purple are amazing!” Tobias on the SALT team.

“Making lots of friends has been fun and made me feel happy about school.” Alfie



Dates for the Diary

Autumn Term 2024

Monday 2 September – Friday 20 December 2024

Half Term

Monday 28 October – Friday 1 November 2024

Christmas Holiday

Monday 23 December – Friday 3 January 2025

INSET Days

September 2nd and 3rd 2024

December 6th 2024

And finally...

It has been an absolute pleasure and a privilege to work with your children this year. I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for all your support and wish you a great summer. I look forward to seeing the children again in September and hearing what they have been up to.

I know they will all continue to flourish in their new classes next year.

Lindsay