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## Purple Post

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### Principal's Message

*We want our school to be a place where we are safe: to learn, have fun and work hard. A place where we are kind and mindful of everyone and have positive attitudes for our bright futures.*

*It's been a very busy 2 weeks since my last newsletter - we've had lots of opportunities for you to celebrate achievements and join in with the KS1 and 2 Sports Days (thankfully the weather was mostly kind!). Thanks to everyone who attended the Maths Café after school yesterday and the F1 and F2 new starters events have been equally well attended.*

*Year 6 spent a fantastic 3 days in the woods on their residential last week and Year 1 parents had the chance to meet the Fire Service and the Police to name but a few of the many events! No wonder we'll all need a holiday!*

*Liz Latham*

As a school we are still following Government guidelines to stay safe. <https://www.gov.uk/guidance/coronavirus-covid-19-information-for-the-public>

### School Uniform

**Uniform Direct will be offering a dedicated Sunday opening at their store on Humberstone Gate on Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> July 11am – 4pm for you to purchase your uniform for next year and avoid any delays. Exchanges will be allowed with a receipt if your child has a growth spurt over the holidays.**

### Maths Café

**Thank you to all the parents and carers that joined us on Thursday for the Maths Café. The event was a huge success with one parent saying 'We enjoyed it very much and look forward to more events'**

### Lovely London Trip!

**Our Eco Warriors from Year 6 and 5 were involved in an incredible trip to London this week – supported by Buzzing Roots and Leicester City sustainable schools, we had a tour of the sights before visiting the Science Museum to see the Our Future Planet exhibition. Pupils will be on hand tomorrow at the walled garden on Braunstone Park to tell you more and invite you to take part in practical activities too! Click here for more details:**

<https://www.buzzingroots.co.uk/togetherforourplanet/>

### Year 6 go wild in the woods!



**Year 6 pupils had an incredible 3 days in the woods last week, taking part in a range of weird and wonderful activities including building shelters, a giant water battle and some stunning artwork creations!**

### Thanks to our Number 'Pirate' Partners!



**Our Number Partners were in school to present pupils with their certificates and prizes.**

**Please see the article on their website here to find out more and**

**see the pictures and winning entries! Arrrr!! Me hearties - it's The Great Pirate Treasure Hunt Maths Challenge prize-giving | Leicestershire Cares**

### Safer Internet Parent Café

**As parents of young children, of course you will be concerned about what they are seeing on the internet and social media sites every day – come along on Monday after school to the Community room to find out how to keep your child safer online. From 3.20pm**

