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Once again it is fantastic to be able to share with you some of the wonderful things that have been going on, and coming up, in our school over the last 2 weeks.

### **Kwik Cricket Tournament**

Last week some of our children took part in a Kwik Cricket competition. It was a first for many of them: as well as showing skills with the bat and ball, they all were great ambassadors for our school showing commendable teamwork. Although they didn't quite get through to the afternoon competition, they were winners of the Silver Cup!

#### **Rounders Tournament**

Charles Read invited us to a Rounders Tournament with other local schools this week, it is great to be able to make links with Secondary Schools in our area. The children really enjoyed taking part in a new game to many of them and showed fantastic perseverance!

## **Rogation Walk**



Our Rogation Walk is always a highlight of our year, and it was no different this time. The sun was shining, and it was a glorious afternoon spent walking through local farms, fields, and woodland, strolling past the lake at ending up at Grimsthorpe Castle. Even when faced with the prospect of crossing a particularly damp patch of field, all children showed great spirit helping one another along. It is great to have the spiritual and peaceful moments taking in our surrounds and giving thanks for what we have.

## **Year 2 Wellbeing Festival**

Within the trust we also work closely with local schools within our hub, this provided us the opportunity to put on a wellbeing festival for our Year 2s at Morton C of E Primary School. Our pupils got to work with teachers from other local schools taking part in activities focusing on wellbeing. These included physical movement, art, music and exploring the outdoors. A great day was had by all, and huge thank you must go to our friends at the other schools for making it possible.

### **Art Project**

Mrs Lowery is currently working with a group of children on an on-going art project. It is fantastic that she is able to share her expertise with us, and for our children to have the opportunity to be creative. I am sure you will agree that it looks great, and we are looking forward to seeing how it develops further.







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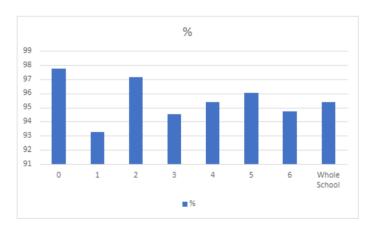
### **SATS**

Next week our Year 6s will be taking part in the National assessments – SATS. Although it can be something that causes stress for our children, we are steadfast in ensuring our children that this is an opportunity for them to show what amazing individuals they are and how much progress they have *all* made. They are not something to be worried about, but I am sure you will join me in wishing them the best of luck and reminding them of what amazing children they all are and how proud we all are of them.

# **Sports Day - Change of Date**

Further to previous communication unfortunately we have had to change the date of Sports Day to Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> July due to Year 6 Transition Day.

### **Attendance**



### **Important Dates**

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16 <sup>th</sup> April	First Day of Term 5
6 <sup>th</sup> May	Bank Holiday
13-16 <sup>th</sup> May	KS2 SATS Week
13-17 <sup>th</sup> May	Year 5 Bikeability
24th May	Class Photos and Year 6 Leaver
	Photos
24 <sup>th</sup> May	Last Day of Term 5
3 <sup>rd</sup> June	First Day of Term 6
5 <sup>th</sup> June	Morpurgo Class – Flag Fen
10 <sup>th</sup> June	Phonics Screening Week (Yr1)
11 <sup>th</sup> June	Yr 6 Church Festival
13 <sup>th</sup> June	Morpurgo Class – Mini Olympics
19 <sup>th</sup> June	Dahl Class – Burghley House Trip
20 <sup>th</sup> June	Blackman Class - Camping
1st July	Music Concert – 1.30pm
3 <sup>rd</sup> July	Sports Day
8 <sup>th</sup> July	The Conversation – Yr5/6 SRE
	Workshop
9th July	Jeffers/Blackman Class to
	Hunstanton
12th July	KS2 End of Year Play
17 <sup>th</sup> July	Leaver Service in Church
19 <sup>th</sup> July	Last Day of Term 6