



Dear Parents and Carers,

We would be grateful if you could take a few minutes to complete our Parent Survey. Your responses will help shape future developments and ensure that we continue to meet the needs of our school community.

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On the next page you will find a list of classes and teachers for next year. Much thought goes into the decisions about allocating classes and teachers with the needs of the children as the priority for us. Please trust that the school has your child's best interests at the heart in all we do and the decisions we make. Children will spend time in their new classrooms with their new teacher on Friday 10th July.

There will be three new teachers starting in September: Ms Sarah Carmody will be teaching in year 5, Miss Amina Ali in Reception and Ms Louise Smith in year 3. We are sure that you will join us in welcoming these new members of staff to Princess Frederica.

As we approach the end of another school year, a number of valued members of staff will be leaving us to begin new opportunities and chapters. While we are always sad to say goodbye, we are incredibly grateful for the dedication, care and contribution they have made to our school community and to the children and families they have supported. We know you will join us in wishing them every success and happiness for the future.

During her two years with us, Ms Alicia Perez has taught both Year 2 and Reception and has made a valued contribution to school life. Her warmth, kindness and positive approach have been greatly appreciated by both pupils and staff. Most recently she has also been using her native language to teach Spanish in key stage 2 which she has enjoyed doing. We wish her every happiness for her wedding later in the year and new ventures after that.

After training as a teacher here and starting her teaching career with us, Ms Anna Mulry has worked at Princess Frederica for eleven years. She is looking forward to new opportunities after she takes some extended time off. Ms Mulry has been a much-loved teacher to many children, not only in the classes she has taught, but also through the kindness, guidance and support she has offered in her various wider roles within the school, making a significant contribution to the pastoral wellbeing of our community. We wish her all the best in her future endeavours and we are sure that she will come back to visit us.

Ms Holly Skilton will be staying within the LifeFull Federation but will be moving back to St Clement and St James to take on the role of SENCO there: the school is closer to home and better supports her childcare arrangements for her little boy. Her calm and thoughtful approach has been appreciated by families, staff and pupils alike. We know she will bring the same commitment and expertise to her new SENCO role and look forward to continue working with her across the Federation. Ms Christopher is very much looking forward to taking on the role of SENCO at Princess Frederica and will be well supported by the interim head of school, who is a qualified SENCO.



Ms Rebecca Brierley, who works across the three schools as Director of School Improvement, is leaving LifeFull Schools this year. She has recently relocated to Cambridgeshire with her family and has a new role as Headteacher. Ms Brierley has worked closely with Princess Frederica over the past four years, supporting teachers to develop and strengthen their classroom practice, and leading the development and refinement of the curriculum across the school.

Current class and teacher	Class in September 2026	Teacher
	Nursery Mint	Ms Greenaway
	Reception Buttercup	Ms Bourne
	Reception Dandelion	Miss Ali
Reception Dandelion Ms Perez	1 Sage	Ms Moore
Reception Buttercup Ms Bourne	1 Thyme	Ms Bastick
1 Thyme Ms Mulry	2 Honeysuckle	Ms Callum-Clarke
1 Sage Ms Moore	2 Thistle	Ms Davis
2 Thistle Ms Bastick	3 Hawthorn	Ms Dunne
2 Honeysuckle Ms Callum-Clarke	3 Bramble	Ms Smith
3 Bramble Ms Davis	4 Cherry	Ms Brommage
3 Hawthorn Ms Dunne	4 Apple	Mr McCann
4 Cherry Ms Reddington	5 Ash	Ms Carmody
4 Apple Mr McCann	5 Birch	Ms Reddington
5 Birch Ms Brommage	6 Oak	Mr Duker
5 Ash Ms Foster/Ms Brookes	6 Chestnut	Ms Foster/Ms Brookes

SEND Parent Group We will be hosting a parent coffee morning on **Wednesday 8th July at 9:00am**. The session will focus on autism and masking, as well as supporting children with emotional and sensory regulation at home. Further details will be shared closer to the time.

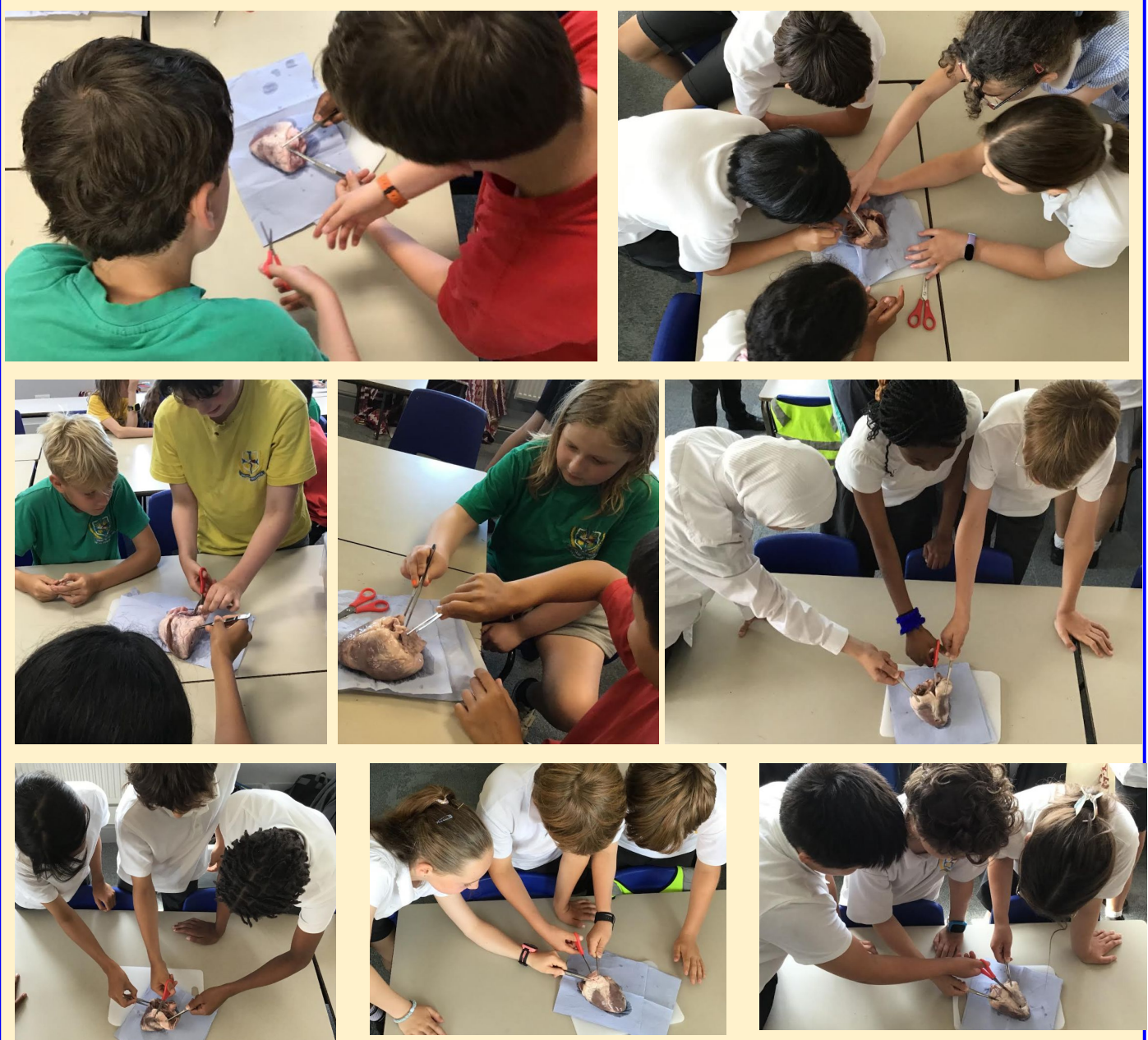
Parent briefing:

There will be a parent briefing on **Friday 10th July at 9am** You will be able to access this either in person or online. A link will be sent out nearer the time.

Learning in action

Here are some highlights of children at Fred's enjoying their learning at the start of the year:

Y6 enjoyed a heart dissection workshop as part of their science topic on the human circulatory system. Through the dissection of a lamb's heart, they gained a deeper understanding of the different chambers of human heart and its contribution to our circulatory system.



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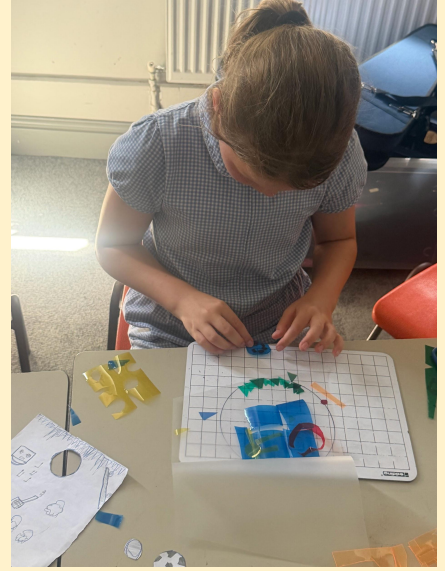
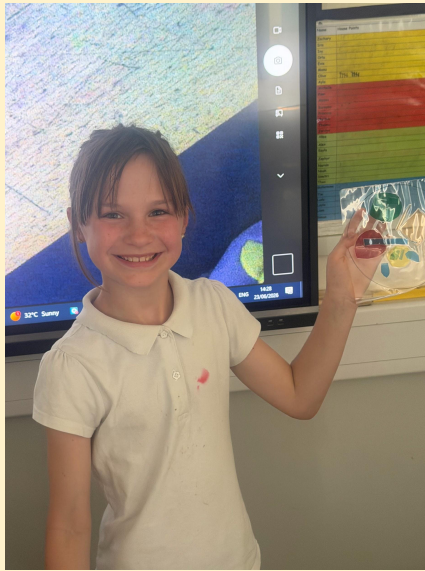
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3 Bramble enjoyed their artist visit and explored abstract art by creating an abstract piece that reflected their unique personalities.

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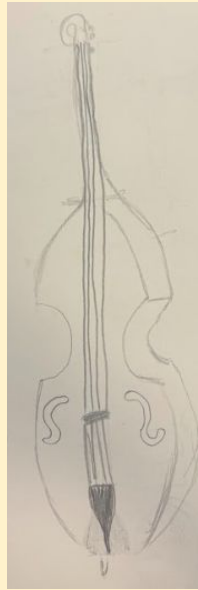


4 Apple have loved 'Artful Ambitions' this week despite the heat!

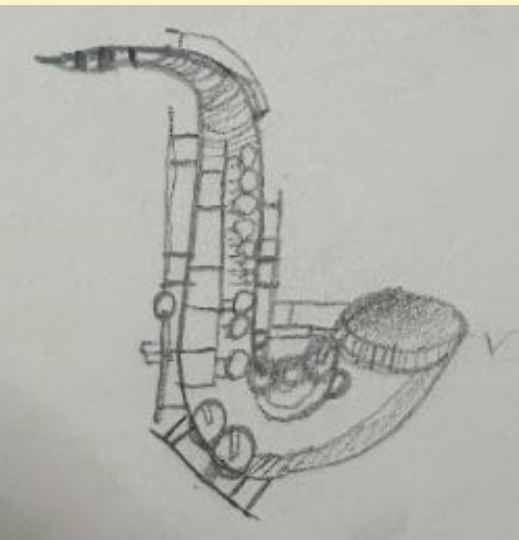


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On Tuesday, 4 Cherry took the heat in their stride and took art outside to sketch musical instruments, in preparation for their final pieces. Children used their own instruments to draw from life. We even got an outstanding performance from our very own talented cello player, Libby!



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Year 1 loved following in the footsteps of Alma Thomas and creating abstract masterpieces.

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Nursery have enjoyed art week using all their motor skills. They made a giant felt fabric inspired paper-mache kente cloth. They painted a giant wall painting which we then stripped into pieces and wove on some simple looms to make some colourful panels. They have done some cutting and sticking collages with a geometric theme on black paper. On Tuesday was the sports day presentation and our sports stars were very proud of their medals!

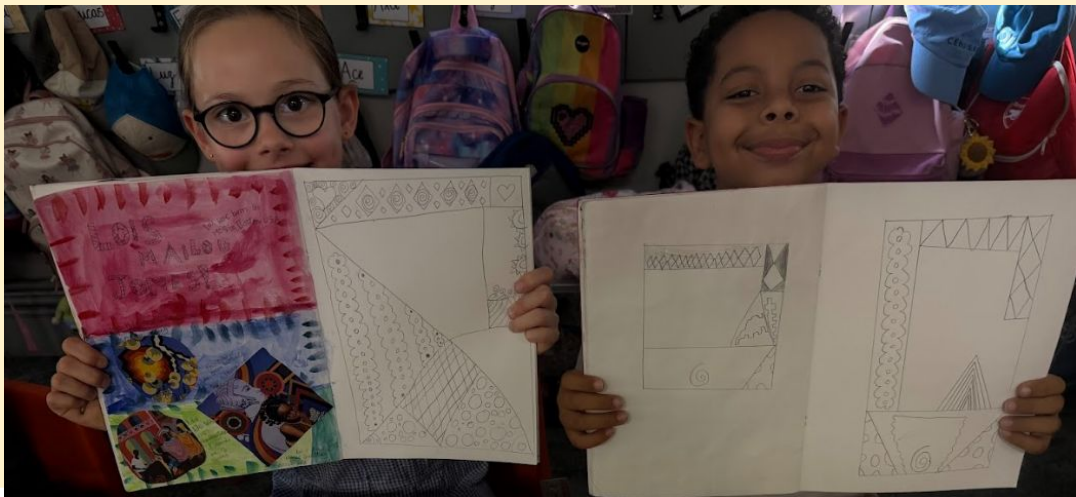
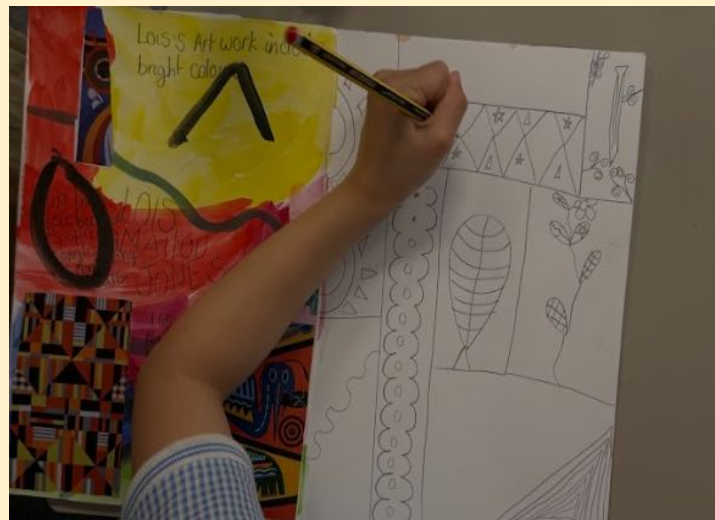


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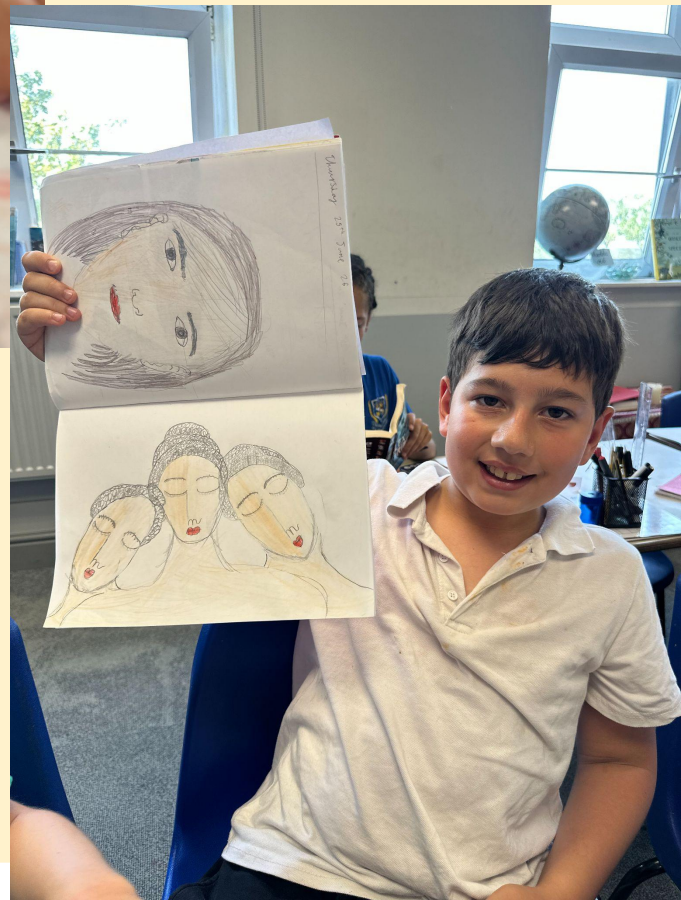


3 Hawthorn have thoroughly enjoyed Artful Ambitions! They have explored geometric and symbolic patterns inspired by the work of artist Lois Mailou Jones, incorporating vibrant colours into their artwork. They are now designing African-inspired masks and have shown great creativity and enthusiasm throughout the process. They can't wait to share their finished pieces with you soon!



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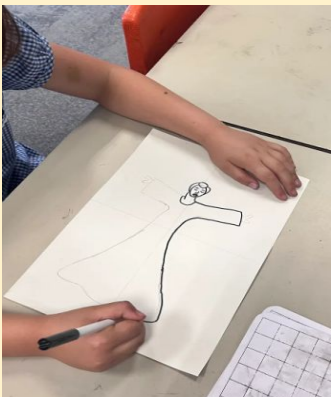
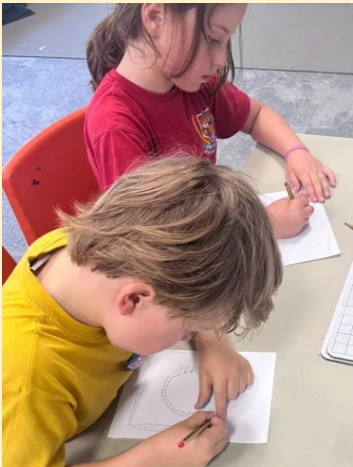
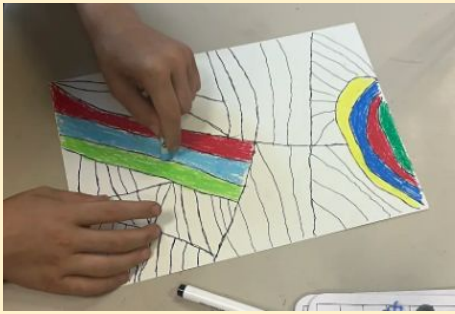
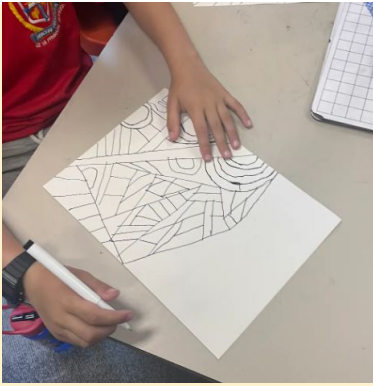


Year 6 have been learning about the work of Hashim Khan. Here you can see Noah, Max and Zebedee replicating The Triplets.

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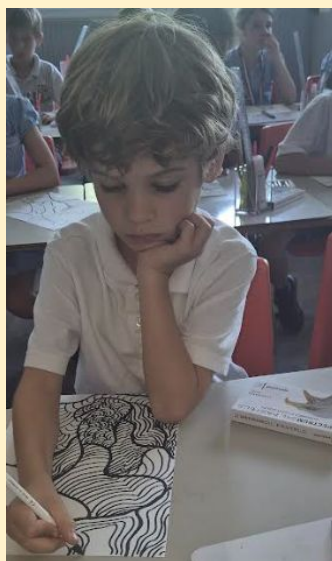
2 Thistle have thoroughly enjoyed 'Artful Ambitions' week and showed real engagement even in the heat! They created different pieces of artwork inspired by the artist Bernard Hoyes. They also had a visit from artist Florence Blatchley who help them produce some artwork for a school installation.



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2 Honeysuckle have had an incredible week, even in the heat! They planted their bean plants in the Embankment and have thoroughly enjoyed 'Artful Ambitions' week. They engaged with music and movement before creating different pieces of artwork inspired by Bernard Hoyes' Ribbon Series. They also had great fun producing artwork for a school installation with the support of artist Florence Blatchley.

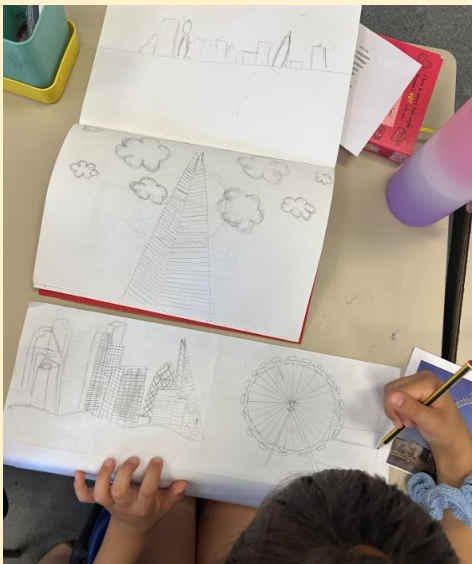


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During Artful Ambitions week, Year 5 have been exploring the fantastic view of the London skyline from our top floor, which has inspired their project. We have teamed up with local artist Lachlan Goudie to produce an artwork for the school!





PE News

Dear Parents and Carers,

Thank you to everyone who made our Sports Days such a success. Parents, carers, teachers, LSA's and most importantly all our superstar athletes who put in a fantastic effort on a very warm day.

Congratulations to all our medal winners this year and to our Year 6, competing in their last Princess Freds Sports Day.



Music

Upcoming events:

4th July, Fredstival. Performances will be from 12-4pm. Can children in the junior choir, the girls' choir, the rock band, the stage band and the string ensemble please be available if possible.

10th July- 'cello concert- featuring our 'cellists. Any families thinking of taking up 'cello lessons are most welcome to come, see the programme and meet the teacher.

Head Boy and Head Girl Report:

On Monday, as part of our learning in science, we were dissecting lamb hearts and looking at the inside of the heart: we could see the heart strings! Most of the week we have been hard at work practising our lines for High School Musical. It has been very hot and sticky with the heatwave but the show must go on! We have also been enjoying Artful Ambitions week and year 6 are learning about Hashim Khan who is a Bangladeshi artist. We have also been writing a formal persuasive letter in English as part of our work based on The Iron Woman by Ted Hughes.

Have a lovely weekend

Jess and Vishan



Stars of the Week



These children have consistently demonstrated our exemplary learning behaviour this week

Class	Pupil
Mint	Achilles
Dandelion	Sara Sofia
Buttercup	Alizah
Thyme	Ariana and Gianna
Sage	1 Sage
Thistle	Alice
Honeysuckle	Zion and Marni
Hawthorn	Carter
Bramble	Joni
Apple	Zephyr
Cherry	Abdo
Ash	George
Birch	Bella
Oak	Kaio
Chestnut	Shayan

LifeFull Awards - for making others feel welcome through kindness

Gracious 3B
Alex 4A
Noah 4A
Jordyn 4A
Thelma 4A



Spanish Stars of the Week



Notices and reminders

After School Clubs

We would like to inform you that, from September, all of our after-school clubs will run for 10 weeks per term (with the exception of Kenzalia and Breakfast Club, which will continue as normal).

This change will help ease the pressure at the start of each term and provide greater flexibility. For example, if a club session has to be cancelled due to unforeseen circumstances, we will have the opportunity to reschedule and make up the missed session at a later date in the same term.

The Autumn term clubs will commence **on Monday 21st September and end on Friday 4th December 2026.**

The clubs will be open for booking in week commencing **Monday 7th September**, exact details to follow soon.



FREDSTIVAL

SATURDAY, JULY 4TH
12PM - 4PM

LIVE MUSIC BBQ GAMES DJ

Princess Frederica School
College Road, NW10

Proudly Sponsored By



PSA News

A Week to Go until Fredstival!

Saturday 4th July, from midday

Fredstival is free of charge to all



As always there is loads of fun planned:

The main stage will see some of our past and present kids performing and Craig Kelly and guest DJ playing banging tunes all day

A BBQ, bars and lots of sweet treats for all ages

Crazy Golf and Football Darts for fun prizes

The infamous Teddy and Sweet Tombolas are back by popular demand

Try your luck on the inaugural Human Fruit Machine to win prizes

The Fred's Driving Academy returns for our littlest Freds kids, who will be able to get their very own trike driving licenses.



Spirit Ink have worked their magic again and designed some amazing new **Fredstival Tees and merch** which are available on the Freds x Spirit Ink store

<https://spirit-ink.co.uk/collections/princess-frederica-full-collection> If you'd like one order now to ensure it arrives on time. **There'll be limited stock (and sizes) available at the event too.** Every purchase gives money back to the school, so you're supporting Freds with every purchase

We are so grateful to our **sponsors this year Maida Vale School and Wolfpack**. Maida Vale School is a local Secondary School which shares many of our Fred's values and they are delighted to be sponsoring this year's Fredstival and to show their support for our school community. They wish everyone a wonderful Fredstival and hope you enjoy the day. Wolfpack has supported the event for many years as a parent owned business and we are very grateful to Chris for his long term support.

Fredstival is created by our parents for the whole Fred's community to enjoy and we can't wait to see you all there



Important dates next week:



- Year 6 production of High School Musical at 6pm on Wednesday
- Year 4 residential trip to Gordon Brown
- Tuesday at 5.30pm New EYFS Parents Welcome Evening
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Dates coming up this half term (full list of dates to follow)

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- 1/7/26 Year 5 Greek Workshop
- 1/7/26 Y6 production 6pm-7pm
- 7/7/26 SATs results published
- 8/7/26 BOAT coffee morning 9am
- 9/7/26 Y2 "seaside" trip 10.30am-2.30pm
- 10/7/26 Head's Briefing 9am Hall/online

Class Art Galleries

In class art galleries take place 9.00-9.30 in classrooms. Parents, please come to the school office area and a member of staff will take you up. Please see the dates below:

- 29/6/26 Y5
- 30/6/26 Y1
- 1/7/26 Y3
- 2/7/26 EYFS (Nursery and Reception)
- 6/7/26 Y6
- 7/7/26 Y4
- 8/7/26 Y2





KEY DATES FOR PARENTS
Summer Second Half
Our Christian Value this half term is.... Unity



Date	Event
1.6.26	Pupils return to school
2.6.26	Year 3 Residential
WC 8.6.26	Assessment Week
WC 8.6.26	Y4 Multiplication Check
WC 8.6.26	Y1 Phonics Screening
8.6.26	Year 6 Residential
10.6.26	Y3 trip to Lexie Cinema
12.6.26	Y2 Sleepover 6.30pm
WC 15.6.26	Travelling Book Fair
15.6.26	Author Visit KS2
15.6.26	Y6 Science workshop - Heart Dissection
17.6.26	Y6 Wizard choices workshop
18.6.26	Y1 trip National Army Museum
18.6.26	EYFS sports day 9.15am
19.6.26	KS1 & KS2 Sports day 9am-3.30pm
WC 22.6.26	Artful Ambitions Week
24.6.26	Y3 trip Gunnersbury Museum
29.6.26	Y4 Residential
30.6.26	New Parents welcome evening EYFS 5.30pm-7pm
1.7.26	Y5 Greek workshop -downstairs hall or classroom
1.7.26	Y6 production 6pm-7pm
7.7.26	SATs results published
8.7.26	BOAT coffee morning 9am
9.7.26	Y4 Viking Experience trip
9.7.26	Y2 seaside trip 10.30am-2.30pm
10.7.26	All Change morning-class handovers
13.7.26	Chestnut graduation 2pm-3pm
14.7.26	Oak graduation 2pm-3pm
17.7.26	Leavers' service St Martins EYFS-Y6 10am

Fred's Spirit Ink

The Fred's Spirit Ink store has just had a refresh with some great new pieces

You'll still find the favourites (including *Team Freds*), plus a range of new additions for both children and adults — all optional, non-uniform items designed to show your school spirit.

With the Fred's Park Run and summer events coming up, it's a great time to get involved.

Every purchase helps raise funds for the school

Order online — delivered direct to your home

Definitely worth a look:

<https://spirit-ink.co.uk/collections/princess-frederica-full-collection>

(Or scan the QR code)

We'll be adding more new items over the coming weeks, so do check back!

Thank you for supporting Fred's



**SHOW YOUR
FRED'S
SCHOOL SPIRIT**

The advertisement displays a collection of school spirit merchandise. It includes several t-shirts in various colors (green, grey, cream, maroon, orange, pink, white, and yellow) with designs such as 'FRED'S MAMA', 'FRED'S', 'TEAM FRED'S', and 'PRINCESS FREDERICA'. There is also a blue hoodie with 'FRED'S' on it, a dark blue beanie, a green baseball cap, and a white sock with 'FRED'S' on it. The items are arranged in a grid-like fashion.

SHOP THE COLLECTION NOW

- ☒ CUSTOM T-SHIRTS, HOODIES & ACCESSORIES
- ☒ FOR PRINCESS FRED'S ADULTS & KIDS
- ☒ Every purchase raises funds for the school
- ☒ Order online, delivered to your door

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