



Family Newsletter

Friday 27th May 2022



Dates for the Diary

Please also see the Key Dates Letter

Half Term

Monday 30th May

Year 6 Residential

Monday 6th June

Sports Week

Monday 27th June

End of Term

Tuesday 19th July

School ends at 1.30pm

Next week's dinner menu—

Week 1

Dear Parents/Carers,

This half term has absolutely flown by as we plan end of year events for the children. It was fantastic to end with our Jubilee celebrations in school and we are fortunate that the weather decided to cheer up to enable us to enjoy our picnic tea party in the sun.

The children took part in a range of activities today and it was wonderful to see them in their red, white and blue outfits to mark the occasion.

There have been lots of letters with different trips, experiences and information shared with you over the last week or so. Please make sure that any reply slips are returned promptly to the school office and that important dates are in the diary.

I hope that you all have a lovely half term and we look forward to seeing the children back in school on Monday 6th June. This is also the first day of residential for our Year 6 children. Children should arrive at the normal time on that day.

Mrs Jones

Doughnut Sale



Thank you to everyone for your purchases, the PTA raised £136.

Jubilee Card Competition

Children across the school were asked to design a card in celebration of the Platinum Jubilee.

Well done to the following children who won The Vine Schools Trust Jubilee card competition.
Albie Bolding
Mia Jarett
Frankie Mai Bates

Two of the children's designs were also judged 1st and 2nd place in the Tendring Eldercare competition. These were Emily Munden and Oliver Wall. Congratulations on your achievement. Children in the Vine competition won special commemorative bookmarks. Emily's card will be made into a published card and received a voucher.

All of our entries will be sent to elderly residents as part of the Tendring Eldercare Project—another fantastic example of the children working within the wider community.

Marvellous Me Badges

Badges can be earned by the children for demonstrating positive behaviours in line with our school vision and values

1st—6N (360)

2nd— 5O (226)

3rd—5W (147)

Well done to class 6N who win additional break and time on the outdoor gym!

Staffing

It comes to this point in the Year, where children (and grown-ups!) start to think about teaching arrangements for next year.

As always, this information is released towards the middle/end of June once finally staffing decisions can be made.

This year, the whole school will have their transition sessions on Thursday 7th July. This will be when the children are able to spend some time in their new class and with their new teacher. Our new Year 3 children join us for the day too and our current Year 6 children visit their new schools.

LOVE

INTEGRITY

GENEROSITY

HOPE

THANKFULNESS

SERVICE



Lower phase In the Spotlight



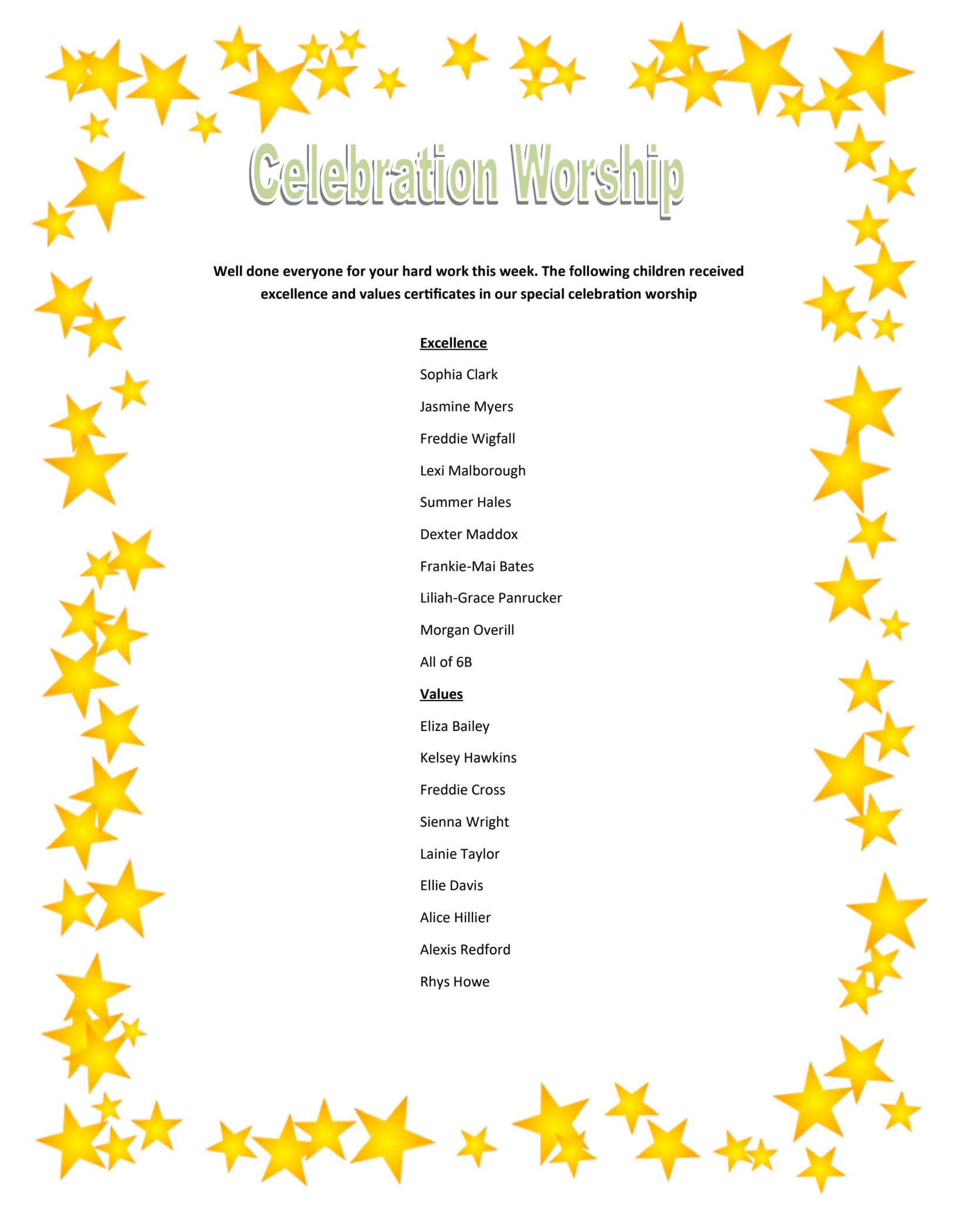
3D have been comparing the differences and similarities between Sparta and Athens in Greece. This is all part of their curriculum work.

3W have been working really hard in their English lessons these past few weeks and have been writing about Theseus and the Minotaur. Here is an example of the work.



Year 4 had their school trip to Africa Alive! On Monday this week they had a great time and were even able to handle stick-insects, millipedes and a python!





Celebration Worship

Well done everyone for your hard work this week. The following children received excellence and values certificates in our special celebration worship

Excellence

Sophia Clark

Jasmine Myers

Freddie Wigfall

Lexi Malborough

Summer Hales

Dexter Maddox

Frankie-Mai Bates

Liliah-Grace Panrucker

Morgan Overill

All of 6B

Values

Eliza Bailey

Kelsey Hawkins

Freddie Cross

Sienna Wright

Lainie Taylor

Ellie Davis

Alice Hillier

Alexis Redford

Rhys Howe