

Acorn Park School



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Newsletter



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We care, we strive, we grow, we thrive



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🌿 Good afternoon, everyone!

Hope you're looking forward to the weekend, fingers crossed the lovely weather continues!

We have the Scholastic book fair in for the next few weeks! All children will have the opportunity to go along and create a wish list of books (if they would like). We will be sending the wish list home for you to consider so please keep an eye out for these.

🎯 This Week's Highlights 🎯

📷 Well done to all the students for getting their photos taken on Monday, there were smiles from all of the staff and students involved!


🌲 Kirby class enjoyed a day at Nowton Park on Tuesday where they completed a sensory walk, explored the woods and enjoyed climbing on tree trunks, we then enjoyed lunch in the café before ending the day playing on the playground.


🚶 Fletcher class did their first walk to the post office as part of their independence lesson, they all used good listening skills and road safety!

🏏 We had a Cricket Enrichment on Tuesday for our Formal students, Years 3-11. Everyone got involved and gave it a try and thoroughly enjoyed it. (photos coming on a separate post!).

🗡️ King class have been re-enacting the river battle (with commentary from War of the Worlds)

🎓 Kirby Class visited City College Norwich today and had a fantastic experience exploring the campus. They took part in a guided tour and engaged well throughout, showing great interest in their surroundings. During the visit, the students were able to see the classrooms they would be using if they attended the college, helping them to imagine what college life might be like. They also explored a range of supportive spaces, including the sensory room, the chill-out room, and the activity room, all of which were enjoyed by the group. It was a valuable and positive visit that gave the class a meaningful insight into the college environment.

 We have recently introduced a 'student jobs' board so that the children can have opportunities to try a range of different work experience options. These range from small tasks to larger roles, it is exciting seeing how interested the students have been in this so far!

 A few things coming up this term...
4th May – bank holiday (no school)
22nd May – last day of the half term
1st June – first day back after the half term

 Student Stars of the Week 

 Care

Bertie A has been very kind to his peers, sharing toys and showing his peers lots of patience when turn taking, choosing a separate activity whilst he waits.

 Strive


Olivia R for her empathy and understanding way of helping another student get past his frustrations during a test and helping him understand that frustrating himself more makes it harder.

 Grow

Jake S has been reaching out and initiating play with staff and peers, his favourite game being duck duck goose.

 Thrive

Cassius B for showing lovely interactions and self-regulation skills this week.

Have a great weekend 

Adam and Emma 