



Fingringhoe

Church of England (VA) Primary School

Summer Term 2025

Friday 6th June

Dates for the diary

- Every Monday—Music lessons (for those signed up)
- Every Tuesday—After school orienteering club (for those signed up)
- Every Thursday - Afterschool archery club (for those signed up)
- Friday 13th June—Marvellous Men pop up shop (Fathers day)
- Tuesday 17th June (am) - Youth Speak competition
- Tuesday 17th June—KS2 Consortium Athletics event at The Garrison
- Friday 20th June—Sports Day



Dear Parents,

Welcome back! We hope everyone had a relaxing break and is feeling ready for the final part of the summer term. It’s hard to believe how quickly the year has gone.

This term is a good time to think about everything we’ve achieved so far and to start looking ahead to what’s coming next. There’s still a lot to look forward to over the next few weeks. We have Sports Day, class trips, sporting events, the annual Youth Speaks competition at the Town Hall, and our transition days as pupils prepare for their next steps. It promises to be a busy and enjoyable end to the school year.

Best wishes,
Mrs Coyle & Ms Parker

Reminders

- Mersea residential 2026—deposit due today
- KS2 - remember to hand in athletics slips
- Maple class—remember to hand in Layer Marney slips

Headteachers Awards	Week commencing 19.05.2025	Week commencing 03.06.2025
Willow Class	Olive & Sarah	Darcie
Beech Class	Beaux, Lilly, Lexi & Teddy	Archie, Eden, Rosie & Harry
Maple Class	Amy, Giulia, Annan, Ilaria & Oliver	Olive, Elizabeth & Connie
Elm Class	Evie, Fia & Sophia	Kitty & Whitney

Willow

Last term, the children in Willow class planned and organised their own picnic on the Moon, based on the literacy text 'Whatever Next'. They began the week by creating a shopping list of items to buy, wrote invitations to staff who they'd like to invite and then set to work preparing the food/drinks.

Once complete, they launched into space in their rockets, for an afternoon of fun and memory building. It was lovely to see their collaborative working to ensure the afternoon was a success.



Beech

The last week of last half term, Beech Class visited the outdoor classroom. Children worked in pairs, using a map of the outdoor classroom to find numbers on cards. On the back of the number there was a plant or tree that we have been learning about during our science lessons. We saw some fantastic teamwork and use of map skills - well done everyone for finding all the clues!



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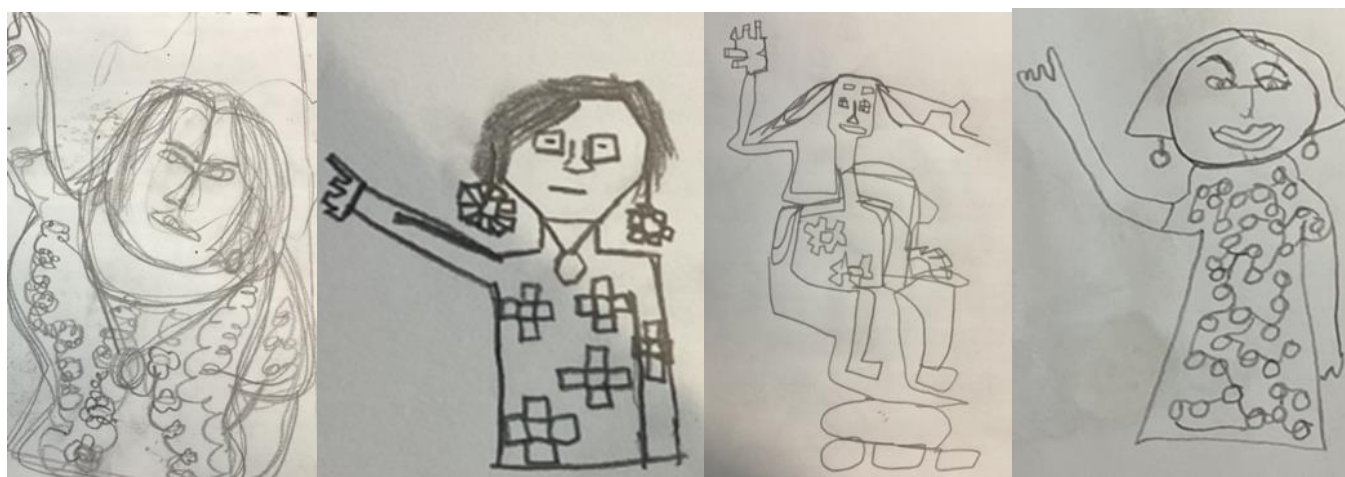
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Maple

These past few weeks, Maple have been working on Telling Stories through Drawing and making using Roald Dahl's characters as inspiration, we have been looking at how artists develop and design characters. We have been finding our 'brave' in drawing and exploring different techniques of line drawing using the illustrations of Quentin Blake for inspiration. This is not as easy as it sounds and some of us have been super challenged to have a go. The work has been amazing. Here are some of the different pictures. We cannot wait to now turn these ideas into models of a scene from the story of our choice.



Elm

In English this week, we have started looking at the features and examples of suspense in preparation for our own to write. In Maths, we are continuing with Algebra and have recently been looking at expressions and creating equations. In History, we have been learning about Maya life, and what factors may have caused the decline and fall of their Ancient civilization. We have been looking at the life of Mohandas Gandhi in R.E., and how his actions symbolise Hindu beliefs. We have also started rehearsing for our production at the end of the year.

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