



# Maylandsea Primary School Newsletter



Week ending 10th January 2025

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DEAR FAMILIES,

### HAPPY NEW YEAR!

I hope you all had a wonderful Christmas break and found time to rest and relax and spend time with friends and family. It has been wonderful to have all the children back in school this week, and they have settled back well into their learning.

This terms topics for the children are:

Bumblebee -	Maylandsea and Me
Ladybird -	Transport – Are we nearly there yet?
Butterfly -	China
Hedgehog -	The Rainforest
Deer -	Miracles and Wonders
Kingfisher -	Volcanoes, Mountains and Rivers
Owl and Fox -	Africa

All children will continue with the homework expectation of 3 reads per week, in addition the below is a weekly homework expectation.

Bumblebee and Ladybird – Phonics  
Butterfly – Spelling and Number bonds  
Hedgehog, Deer and Kingfisher – Spelling and Timetables  
Owl and Fox – CGP Book pages - SATS practice questions

Later in the term, the teachers will send information regarding the Homework Hero project which are longer term projects linked to the topic areas. I would like to thank you for your continued support with all homework tasks.

### **SPORTING NEWS**

Tag Rugby – Year 3 and 4.

On Wednesday Maylandsea hosted the Sports Partnership Tag Rugby event. Unfortunately, one school withdrew on the morning of the event, which meant that Maylandsea and St Mary's Burnham were the only teams.

Maylandsea had two teams who came 2nd and 3rd overall. The children were fabulous and really enjoyed the event despite the cold weather. It was a little tricky to see towards the end due to the lack of light but they continued on! Well done to everyone who took part.

### **BUMBLEBEE BEDTIME STORIES**

Next Wednesday (15th January) Bumblebee class are invited back to school from 4:30pm to 5:00pm for bedtime stories. Please bring the children to the school office. Teas and coffees will be provided for parents in the hall.

*Enjoying and Achieving Together*  
*Mrs James*



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### PUPIL AWARDS

Star of the Week							
Bumblebee	Ladybird	Butterfly	Hedgehog	Deer	Kingfisher	Owl	Fox
Finley	Jimmy	Nissi	Maia	Maisie	Darcie	Elisa	Sienna
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Bumblebee	Ladybird	Butterfly	Hedgehog	Deer	Kingfisher	Owl	Fox
Gracie-Mae	Ryan	Oliver	Maia	Freddie	Harvey	Harry	Brody
Class Reading Scores							
Bumblebee	Ladybird	Butterfly	Hedgehog	Deer	Kingfisher	Owl	Fox
89%	75%	85%	93%	88%	73%	85%	88%
Star Reader							
Bumblebee	Ladybird	Butterfly	Hedgehog	Deer	Kingfisher	Owl	Fox
Alfie	Jack	Arthur	Oakley	Maisie	Summer	Sophia	Erin
Star Writer							
Bumblebee	Ladybird	Butterfly	Hedgehog	Deer	Kingfisher	Owl	Fox
Hunter R	Ellie						Nicholas
KS1 Number Bond and Multiplication Awards							
Ladybird				Butterfly			
				Henry, Arthur & Sebastian			
KS2 Multiplication Awards							
Hedgehog	Deer	Kingfisher	Owl	Fox			
	Annabelle, Hazel, Harry, Thomas, Samuel & Kelsey	Jace, Elayna, Mason, Darcie, Rupert, & Joel	Jessica, Sophia & Isabelle				
KS2 Pen Licences							
Hedgehog	Deer	Kingfisher	Owl	Fox			
			Sophia				
Merit Awards							
Bumblebee	Ladybird	Butterfly	Hedgehog	Deer	Kingfisher	Owl	Fox
			Lily Rose			Keira	
Class Attendance							
Bumblebee	Ladybird	Butterfly	Hedgehog	Deer	Kingfisher	Owl	Fox
86.9%	92.7%	97.2%	87.3%	92.8%	89.4%	90.9%	89.1%



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## Diary Dates

### January

Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> – First Swimming Session Year 6 (Fox Class)

Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> – Bumblebee and Year 6 – Heights and Weights

Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> – Archery @ Maylandsea (TELAT)

### February

Friday 7<sup>th</sup> - Friends PTA Disco

Monday 10<sup>th</sup> – Friday 14<sup>th</sup> - Art week

Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> – Parent / Teacher Consultations

Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> – Kurling Final – Basildon Sporting Village

Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> – Parent / Teacher consultations

## Half Term

**Monday 17<sup>th</sup> – Friday 21<sup>st</sup>**

### March

Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> - World Book Day

Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> March – Deer Class trip to Harry Potter Studios

Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> – Life Support Roadshow – Year 5

Friday 14<sup>th</sup> – Life Support Roadshow – Year 5

Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> – Life Support Roadshow – Year 6

Friday 21<sup>st</sup> – Life Support Roadshow – Year 6

### April

Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> – Hedgehog Class trip to Colchester Zoo

Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> – Rock Steady Concert 2:15pm (TBC)