



# The Oryx Online Primary 24.02.23



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## Mr. Holliday's Updates - We will return on Week 2

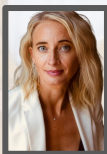
Welcome back to another action-packed week at SVS! We came back with a bang with Space days, water days, school trips, World School games and so much more! You can see pictures and videos on our [social media channels](#).

Our Red Crescent collection boxes can be found outside Gate 3.

Friday 3rd March is SVS Shares. EYFS 10.15-10.45. Primary 10.45-11.30.

Please stay within these times as these have been planned around lessons.

Student Led Conferences will be held at the end of term. [You can read more information here](#), including sign-up forms.



Thank you to those that attended our Social Media and its impact on Self Esteem Workshop. For those that want to revisit it, or if you missed, you can see the [Workshop slides here](#).



## Upcoming [Primary Dates](#)

- WC 27th Feb = Book Week
- 2nd March = World Book Day Parade
- 3rd March = SVS shares = all YGs
- 4th/5th March - World BSME Games
- 8th March = MC Grammar
- 14th March = World Maths Day = TT Rockstars Dress Up Day
- 17th March = World Sleep Day
- 20th March = World Happiness Day
- 21st March = Down Syndrome Awareness
- 22nd March = Term 2 Reports (New)
- 23rd March = Ramadan Begins (TBC)
- 23rd and 24th March = [Student Led Conferences](#)
- 24th March = Last Day of Term 2
- 10th April = Term 3 Begins - Ramadan Timings

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## Term 2B Key Events



### MC Grammar

On **Wednesday 8th March**, MC Grammar will visit South View School !

MC Grammar will host Rap Battles across the school in the Primary Hall at different times in the day... each Year Group has got some songs to learn at home and in school - so get practicing ahead of the big day! Which Year Group will win?

[Watch his SVS promo video here.](#)

This visit is ABSOLUTELY FREE - and children can come to school dressed in their best rapper clothes - suggestions, song links and more can be found in the attached PDF I shared yesterday via Seesaw.

Have fun practicing and we can't wait for the 8th March!!



### World Book Day



We are extremely excited to celebrate the 2023 World Book Day at SVS on **Thursday 2nd March**. All students from FS-Year 6, will be welcome to dress up as their favourite book character! You can be as creative and innovative as you want! Can you try to make your own costume? Year 1 students will also be doing a parade on this day where parents will be welcome to watch them showcase their amazing costumes. Our week will be filled with lots of exciting and inspiring ways to promote reading for pleasure.

### World Maths Day

World Maths Day is a global event that takes place every year to celebrate the joy of mathematics and its impact on our daily lives. This year, the celebration will be held on **March 14th**, so at SVS, to add to the excitement, we will be having our annual **TT Rockstars Day** to celebrate! Students will participate in maths challenges and games and we will all dress up as our favorite rockstar (Top tip: Recycle your MC Grammar outfit with some added crazy hair!), as we start off the day with a special Wake Up Shake Up, hosted by our house captains and maths champions! This promises to be a day filled with fun, learning, and great music as well as lots of fun battling each other on TT Rockstars and Numbots!







# The Oryx Online EYFS 24.02.23

## EYFS Updates and Highlights

We are thrilled to share with you the success of our recent "Water Day" in the Foundation stage. As part of our topic "World of Water," the children had an amazing time exploring and learning about water in a fun and engaging way. The children enjoyed a range of water-based activities, including sliding down water slides, jumping into paddling pools, and participating in exciting water fights. Not only did they have a blast, but they also developed essential skills such as gross motor skills, communication, and teamwork.



Through these activities, the children reinforced their throwing and catching skills and gained a better understanding of how water travels. FS "Water Day" was a fantastic way to bring learning to life and provided an opportunity for the children to experience water in a safe and enjoyable environment. We are proud of all the pupils for their excellent behavior and positive attitude during the day. It was wonderful to see them having so much fun and learning at the same time!



Miss Whistlecroft  
Deputy Head



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## Highlights from around the Phase

We have been very busy this first week back in FS2. Swimming classes resumed this term and everyone was excited to get back into the pool. On Tuesday it was FS2's turn to donate food and drink to the community fridge in Remraam as part of the #TwoForTuesday initiative. Thank you to everyone who donated, it is very much appreciated. We have also been busy decorating our classroom doors this week in preparation for World Book Day on the 2nd of March. The book we have chosen is "The Singing Mermaid" as this is also our new Talk For Writing story. Lastly, we had so much fun at our Water Day on Friday exploring the different water stations with our friends.



We have had a fantastic first week back in FS2B. We had a special delivery to kick start our new Talk For Writing story, Someone Swallowed Stanley. The children came up with some great ideas on where the package might have come from, using the clues. We can't wait to get started with helping Penny the Penguin with her recycling mission to help save the planet. We are continuing to work on our number and counting skills, looking at comparing numbers and amounts. We ended the week with our amazingly fun water day, using different equipment to make the water move in different ways.



Mr Ahmed Hassan  
Head of Arabic



## Mr. Hassan's Highlight of the Week

Another FANTASTIC week in Arabic for all of our Arabic A and Arabic B students. In Arabic A students have learnt and practiced how to analyze an informative text and differentiate between opinion and fact in a simple way, while in Arabic B students were able to learn more Arabic vocabularies on various topics and different grammar rules and sentence structure. Keep up the good work!



Mr Abdelhamed Kerba  
Head of Islamic Studies

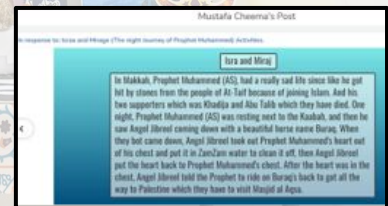
## Mr. Kerba's Highlight of the Week

Al Salam Alukom wa Rahmat Allah, it was an enjoyable week to see all our islamic students Engaged and developed their Knowledge in Israa and Mirage activities.

It is Shabban Now and with in few day we will welcome Ramadan, Ramadan Mubarak in Advance, please fill the form [Here](#) if your child will be fasting in Ramadan. Form will be closed on Sunday March 05.

### Quran Memorization Target 15:

- Surat Al Bayyinah and Surat Al Qadr. Year 2-3.
- Surat Al Fajr and Surat Al Ghashiyah. Year 4-6







# The Oryx Online ECAs and Additional Information 24.02.23

## Updates from Mr. Sanguigni

Term 2B ECAs are back underway and will continue until Friday 17th March. You can still enroll in one of the many external ECAs with our amazing coaches. More details can be found in the PDF using the link below.

### [SVS External Providers 2022-23.pdf](#)

Activities on offer include acrobatics, ballet, basketball, football, fusion dance, gymnastics, horse riding, karate, kung fu, netball, rugby, street jazz, swimming, tennis and volleyball.

### ECAs during Ramadan

Internal ECAs will not take place during the holy month of Ramadan. External ECAs will continue but the start times will be earlier to be in line with the end of school day. Please contact your coaches directly for their updated timings.

### Upcoming Trips/Events/Dates

- 16th March - Internal ECAs End
- 21st March - Y4 Dubai Drums\*
- 22nd March - Ramadan Begins\*
- 22nd March - Y5 Al Thuraya Astronomy Center\*
- 24th March - Term 3 ECA Schedule released

\*Date to be finalised



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- #togetherweValue
- #togetherweSucceed
- #Positivity,Always

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### Instagram

### School Website

## Safety Online #SVSCares



We want our community to feel as safe, up-to-date and prepared as possible in this ever-changing digital world. Indeed, there are often brand-new apps/games etc that children use that adults have no idea about. Please create your own NOS account on the [NOS website](#). You can also download the App. NOS provide access to a wealth of resources, increasing our collective tools for safe and appropriate use of technology and the internet.

**Thank you and well done to all the parents who have completed courses on NOS already! We hope you found this week's workshop on social media and self esteem useful too!**

Each Week NOS release a #WakeUpWednesday guide.

This week it is on:

### [Positive Outcomes from Gaming](#)

Click on the text to read it.

Note: There are lots more on the app and website! Do please sign up to get full access!





**FS 1**  
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*FS1 PE is on a Monday and FS1 Swimming is on a Thursday*

**[FS1 Timetables](#)**  
 Click here.

**[Topic Overviews](#)**  
 Current topic: World of Water

**Important Reminders:**

Please ensure children are attending school in the correct uniform with black school shoes/trainers being worn on the days when children do not have P.E.

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**Overview of Next Week's Learning:**

***Communication, Language and Literacy:***

- To be able to retell stories using available props.
- To develop our range of vocabulary when talking.

***Phonics:*** To begin to develop of our awareness of the letter 'n'.

***PSED:*** To begin to follow rules and boundaries without adult support.

***Maths:*** To – develop our awareness of the number 5; To develop our understanding of height and weight.

***UTW:*** To begin to look at the life cycles of living things.

***EAD:*** To develop combining different textures and media.

***Music:*** To play a percussion instrument loudly and softly.

***PE:*** Gymnastics - To develop balancing and movement skills.

***Swimming:*** To continue develop back and front leg action. To float with different body shapes.

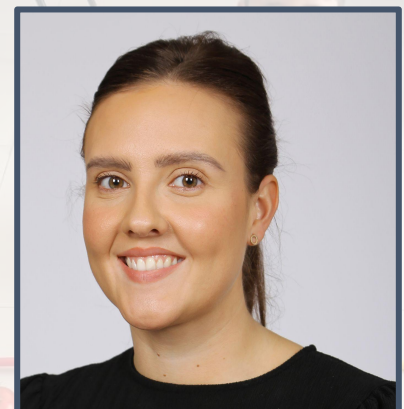
***Miss Ruse's Highlight of the Week***

*This week our highlight has been our Water Day! The children have had lots of fun playing on the range of stations available to them especially the water slide, sponge throw and the water guns! Thank you for all of your help with this and making it such a big success! We have also welcomed back swimming this week which has been wonderful and the children have loved developing their skills in the pool!*

*On Thursday 2nd March we are celebrating World Book Day in school where the children are invited to dress up as their favourite book characters and we will be enhancing our love of books and reading across the school. We cannot wait to see all of your costumes!*

*We will also have our SVS Shares event on Friday 3rd March from 10:15-10:45 am. We hope you can make it!*

*Thank you for your continued support and have a lovely weekend – Ms. Ruse*



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**FS 2**  
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	FS2A	FS2B	FS2C	FS2D	FS2E	FS2F	FS2G
PE	Tues	Fri	Weds	Weds	Thurs	Thurs	Thurs
Swimming	Weds	Weds	Mon	Mon	Tues	Tues	Tues

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[Topic Overviews](#)

*Current Topic:  
World of Water*

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**Overview of Next Week's Learning:**

**Communication, Language and Literacy:**

- To listen to and talk about stories to build deep familiarity and understanding.
- To connect one idea, or action, to another using a wide range of connectives.

**Phonics:** To blend sounds into words made up of known letter-sound correspondence.

**PSED:** To see themselves as a valuable individual.

**Maths:** To continue, copy and create repeating patterns.

**UTW:** To look closely at similarities, differences, patterns and change in nature.

**EAD:** To respond to what they have heard expressing their thoughts and feelings.

**Music:** To understand the word dynamics and use percussion instruments to demonstrate a variety of dynamics.

**PE:** Gymnastics – To develop balancing and movement skills.

**Swimming:** To continue develop back and front leg action. To float with different body shapes.

***Miss Walker's Highlight of the Week***

*What a fantastic week! We started our new half-term by continuing our topic 'World of Water'. Our clear highlight was by far our 'Water Day'. The children applied their understanding of how water travels and reinforced their throwing and catching skills, but more importantly, they had a fantastic morning sliding down water slides, jumping into paddling pools and taking part in water fights. Thank you so much for your support in making this day so successful!*

*We were also very excited to discover our new key texts, which have focused quite heavily on the theme of water pollution. We have had some fantastic discussions surrounding the importance of recycling and the effect plastic can have on sea creatures. In Maths, we have compared numbers. The children applied their critical thinking skills to identify the pattern in numbers.*

*Next week, we are looking forward to celebrating World Book day on Thursday 2nd.6*



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	1A	1B	1C	1D	1E	1F
PE	Thurs	Thurs	Weds	Fri	Thurs	Thurs
Swim	Mon	Mon	Fri	Tues	Tues	Tues
Library	Tues	Tues	Weds	Thurs	Mon	Mon

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*Our Term 2B Topic is:  
Bright Lights Big City*

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### **Overview of Next Week's Learning:**

**Maths:** To identify tens and ones in numbers to 50.

**Reading:** To answer questions about a previously unknown text.

**Writing:** To identify the features of a diary.

**Science:** To investigate properties of everyday materials.

**Art:** To identify primary and secondary colours.

**Music:** To begin learning about the inter-related dimensions of music.

**PE:** Net games - To develop ball control when using a racket.

**Swimming:** To continue developing backstroke and front crawl leg kick. To glide in a streamline position.

**CPA:** To order the events of a structured story through drama.

**Arabic:** To practice writing some of the Arabic alphabet they have learnt in mid of word.

## *Miss Stanton's Highlight of the Week*

*A busy week back to another half term in Year 1! The children have kickstarted their new topic 'Bright Lights, Big City' by investigating a mysterious box of artifacts that appeared in the classrooms. They wrote their own predictions considering the characteristics and information provided by the objects, and then wrote creatively to describe what they think happened at the time the artifacts were found!*

*In Science we began learning about Everyday Materials and went on a hunt of the school to find and identify 7 different materials, considering their purpose and why they have been used.*

*It has also been great to see the children engage in such active Maths this week as they explored place value in numbers to 50.*

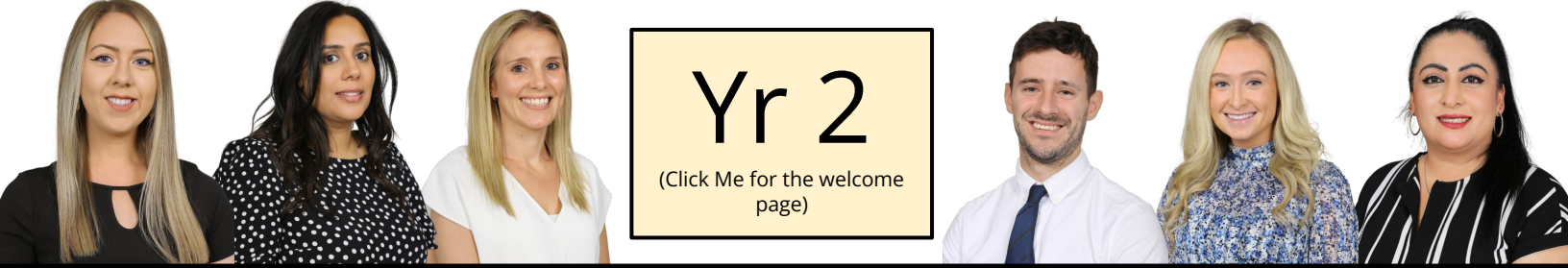
*#TwoForTuesday – next Tuesday (28th February) will be Year 1's turn to fill the community fridge. Please send an extra, packaged snack or juice with your child.7*



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**Yr 2**  
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	2A	2B	2C	2D	2E	2F
PE	Tues	Tues	Fri	Fri	Weds	Fri
Swim	Thurs	Thurs	Weds	Tues	Fri	Weds
Library	Fri	Fri	Fri	Mon	Weds	Thurs

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*Our Term 2B Topic is:  
Towers, Tunnels and Turrets*

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**Overview of Next Week's Learning:**

- Maths:** To divide by 10.
- Reading:** To make inferences.
- Writing:** To create a story map.
- Science:** To find a suitable material to build a house.
- Art:** To use a range of materials.
- Music:** To begin learning about the inter-related dimensions of music and experiment with this on a selection of instruments.
- PE:** Net games - To develop ball control when using a racket.
- Swimming:** To continue developing backstroke and front crawl leg kick. To glide in a streamline position.
- CPA:** To invent dialogue for a character and explore new words that they have learnt.
- Arabic A:** أن يتعرف الطلاب صوت وشكل حرف الطاء من خلال قصة طريف الطاووس اللطيف
- Arabic B:** To learn how to structure a sentence with verb, noun and object.
- Islamic:** To States the most important features of the prophet life from his birth till the sponsorship of his grandfather.

## Miss Dye's Highlight of the Week

*What a wonderful first week back! It has been great to see everyone so enthusiastic to learn again. We have enjoyed making predictions about our new story 'The Tunnel' and . We predicated where we think the tunnel might take us and used adverbs to describe our journey.*

*In Maths, we have been learning about odd and even numbers. We used our previous knowledge of our two times tables to help us identify even numbers. In geography, we have been learning how to use a simple compass. We used the compass the create a treasure map and share directions with our friends using positional and directional language.*

*Next week we look forward to World Book Day and dressing up on Thursday!*



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Library	Girls	Boys
All Classes: Tuesday	Swim: Wednesday PE: Monday	Swim: Monday PE: Wednesday

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 Our Term 2B Topic is:  
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**Overview of Next Week's Learning:**

- Maths:** To be able to order non-unit fractions.
- Reading:** To make predictions based on a text.
- Writing:** To discuss and explore writing which we are planning to write.
- Science:** To identify and describe the functions of different parts of flowering plants.
- MSC:** To identify and describe how objects represent the past.
- Music:** To compose music for a wide range of purposes using inter-related dimensions of music.
- PE:** G1&2 – Basketball: To develop an understanding of how we dribble and when/why we dribble. G3 – Strike & Fielding - To throw and catch in isolation and in game situation.
- Swimming:** To continue to develop front crawl and backstroke technique. To glide in a streamline position.
- CPA:** To be aware that body language can change how the audience sees a character.
- Arabic A:** أن يميز الطلاب بين المفرد والمثنى والجمع
- Arabic B:** To review the vegetable names in Arabic and practice using them in a full Arabic sentence.
- Islamic:** To Concludes the most important qualities of Fatima Al Zahraa.
- French:** To name food and drinks we can have for breakfast.

**Miss Ryan's Highlight of the Week**

Welcome back, parents & students! We hope you had a fun and restful half-term break. We're thrilled to have you back with us, and we have some very exciting things coming up over this half-term! this week we began our new writing genre of persuasive adverts, fractions in maths and plants in science, we will be continuing our learning of these next week also. This week, our students enjoyed a fun and delicious pizza-making trip to pizza express, where they learned how to make their own pizzas from scratch. We're so glad to hear that everyone had a great time and got to try some new and exciting toppings. As we dive back into the school year, we want to encourage all of the children to keep up the great work and continue to push themselves to learn and grow. We have a lot of exciting events and activities planned for the coming weeks, so be sure to keep an eye out for announcements and updates. Once again, welcome back, and we can't wait to see all that you'll achieve this term. Have a lovely weekend.



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### Library

All Classes:  
Wednesday

### Girls

Swim: Wednesday  
PE: Monday

### Boys

Swim: Monday  
PE: Wednesday

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**Our term 2B Topic is:  
The Playlist**

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### **Overview of Next Week's Learning:**

**Maths:** To explore equivalent fractions and adding fractions with the same denominator.

**Reading:** To ask questions to improve my understanding of different sections of a text.

**Writing:** To plan using the box-up method.

**Science:** To find patterns between the pitch of a sound and features of the object that produced it.

**Music:** To play and perform solo using our voices and playing musical instruments with increasing accuracy, fluency, control and expression.

**PE:** G1&2 – Basketball: To develop an understanding of how we dribble and when/why we dribble. G3 – Strike & Fielding - To throw and catch in isolation and in game situation.

**Swimming:** To continue to develop front crawl and backstroke technique. To glide in a streamline position.

**CPA:** To speak audibly and fluently with an increasing command of Standard English.

**Arabic A:** أن يحلل الطلاب النص المعلوماتي (هيا إلى السيرك) تحليلاً لغوياً

**Arabic B:** To recognize the name of cloth in Arabic and use them with the weather words and colors

**Islamic:** To Explain the concept of fasting and advantages.

**MFL:** To use I play/I do to talk about sports.

## **Miss O'Connor's Highlight of the Week**

*WOW! What a great start we have had to T2B. This week saw us begin our new topic 'The Playlist'. We began by exploring our driving question - 'How important is sound in our world?' The children enjoyed sharing their ideas and thoughts with their peers.*

*In English, we began looking at playscripts and their features, focusing on our WAGOLL 'A Long Way Down'. Stage directions and brackets are two features in particular which we are excited to learn about. In maths, we continued on our fraction journey, exploring improper fractions and mixed numbers. In science, we looked at sound sources around the school and explored how sound is made by vibrations. We are looking forward to learning lots more this term.*



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# Yr 5

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Library	Girls	Boys
All Classes: Monday	Swim: Thursday PE: Tuesday	Swim: Tuesday PE: Thursday

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Our Term 2B Topic is:  
**Star Gazers**

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### Overview of Next Week's Learning:

**Maths:** To recognise and understand decimals as tenths and hundredths.

**Reading:** To use clarifying skills to understand a text.

**Writing:** To discuss and evaluate the authors use of language.

**Science:** To describe the movement of the Earth relative to the Sun.

**Humanities:** To explore the historical significance of the 1960's Space Race..

**Music:** To appreciate and understand a wide range of high-quality live and recorded music drawn from great composers and musicians.

**PE:** G1&2 – Basketball: To demonstrate correct dribbling technique in pressure situation and knows rules applied to dribble. G3 – Strike and fielding: To throw, catch and strike a ball with control and accuracy.

**Swimming:** To review front crawl and backstroke technique over distance. To develop breaststroke technique.

**CPA:** To use spoken language to develop understanding through imagining and exploring ideas.

**Arabic A:** أن يميز الطلاب بين أسماء الإشارة والأسماء الموصولة

**Arabic B:** To compare orally between old and new transportation means

**Islamic:** To Distinguishes between the compulsory prayers and additional voluntary prayers.

**MFL:** To describe the planets using adjectives and verb "ser". ماء

## Mrs Barlow's Highlight of the Week

*This week started off with a bang... our Space day was great fun! The innovative costumes that the students created were fantastic. It was a day full of exploring what our new topic involves.*

*In writing lessons this week, we have been introduced to our new WAGOLL, which is a narrative journey tale, and have started to orally rehearse this as classes.*

*In Maths, we have started and completed our statistics unit, having read and interpret line graphs, tables and two way tables along with timetables. Students have created their own data from asking the class a question, recorded this data as a tally chart and turned their results into a line graph.*

*We have also started our new class text – The Astronauts Handbook – in our reading lessons and we are looking forward to enjoying this fun book over the rest of this term.*



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All Classes: Thursday	Swim: Friday PE: Wednesday	Swim: Wednesday PE: Friday

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**Our 2B topic is:  
Revolution**

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### Overview of Next Week's Learning:

**Maths:** To associate fractions with division and convert fractions to percentages.

**Reading:** To explore different themes in a fiction text.

**Writing:** To recognise the features of a non-chronological reports.

**Science:** To discover how the human eye works.

**MSC:** To learn about the Pearl Industry and how it has changed over time.

**Music:** To use and understand staff and other musical notations.

**PE:** G1&2 – Basketball: To demonstrate correct dribbling technique in pressure situation and knows rules applied to dribble. G3 –

Strike and fielding: To throw, catch and strike a ball with control and accuracy.

**Swimming:** To review front crawl and backstroke technique over distance. To develop breaststroke technique.

**CPA:** To ask relevant questions to extend understanding and knowledge and enhance performance skills.

**Arabic A:** أن يميز الطلاب بين الضمانر المتصلة والضمانر المنفصلة

**Arabic B:** To learn about different hobbies and compare between 2 hobbies orally in Arabic

**Islamic:** To explain the easines of Islam.

**MFL:** To say what I am wearing using the verb "To wear".

## Mr. Webster's Highlight of the Week

*Year 6 have enjoyed a productive first week on our return from the half-term break. We have started our new topic "Revolution" where we will learn about the Victorian Era and Industrial Revolution. In reading, we have started a class text, "Cogheart" set in the Victorian era. Looking at images from the text, we made predictions as to what the book could be about. In writing, we looked at the structure and language features of informal and formal letters.*

*In maths, we learned how to add, subtract, multiply and divide decimal numbers. We were also multiplying and dividing decimal numbers by 10, 100 and 1000. In science, we were introduced to our new topic, Light, where pupils will be learning about the properties of light and how it travels.*

*Please remember that next Thursday 2nd March, we will be celebrating World Book Day when pupils are invited to come to school dressed as their favourite book character.*



**Value of the month:**  
Honesty  
**Islamic value:** الأمانة  
**Learning Skills Focus**  
Investigate







# The Oryx Online PE, Swimming, Squads and House Teams 24.02.23

## PE and Swimming

### TERM 2B PE TOPICS:

FS1 & FS2 – Gymnastics

Children will develop the ability to jump, roll and balance in a range of ways. They will learn how to create a sequence using a jump and a balance with confidence and control.

KS1 – Net games

In this topic children will learn how to control the ball using a racket and learn the forehand and backhand basic technique.

KS2 – Basketball

To develop an understanding of the skills, tactics and sportsmanship used throughout the game of basketball.

KS2 – Strike & Fielding

To develop catching, throwing, batting and bowling skills. Children will implement simple tactics to form an attacking and defending principle in game situation and develop an understanding of rules and scoring.

### TERM 2B SWIMMING IS BACK!!

With the weather getting better we are now ready to get back to the swimming pool and continue to develop our students confidence and overall swimming technique. Please send your child with a full swimming kit on their swimming days.

## Squads

### Highlight of the week:

U8 girls football @ SVS – 3 draws (0v0) 1 win (1v0) 1 lost (0v1)

U9 Girls football @ WSO – 3 lost (0v1; 0v3; 0v2)

Primary swim gala @ RPS – Highlight to Kaithlyn and Malak that participated in their first swimming gala.

This was a friendly gala with no scores but a great preparation for the upcoming competitive gala.

U10 Girls football @SVS – Drew v RPS and lost v RGS

U11 Girls Football @ SVS – Won their game v RPS and drew v RGS

Y3 & Y4 Athletics @ BC – Results coming soon

### Upcoming events:

U9 girls football @SVS – 27th of February

BSME Games @Abu Dhabi – 3rd, 4th & 5th of March

U9 girls tag rugby @ SVS – 28th of February

U10 girls football @ SVS – 1st of March

U11 girls football @ SVS – 1st of March

Y5&Y6 athletics @ Brighton – 2nd of March

Y3&Y4 athletics @ DIA AB – 2nd of March

Y5&Y6 gymnastics @ NAS – 3rd of March

Mrs. Sonia Teodoro



Please view your Year Group page for swimming and PE days

## House Team News



Miss Judy Murphy

## House Teams News #SVSDares

Well done to Mr Diccott and all of 4E who provided us with a fantastic WUSU this morning.

As we begin the second half of term 2, our houses have record breaking points for this time of year. At the moment, Terra are in the lead but only 70 points behind them are Aeris. Aqua and Ignis are also catching up with the leaders. This term is a chance for all houses to bridge the gap between each other and take the lead from Terra. This week has been a busy week of brainstorming from our House Captains. They are creating different WUSU routines and different ideas for events and competitions. We have some very exciting ideas and we will be sharing these with you all very shortly!



**Terra**  
**Kamila Jimenez**  
**7771**



**Aqua**  
**Kinda Shody**  
**7494**



**Ignis**  
**Maisie Van Hoff**  
**7540**



**Aeris**  
**Amaya Haroon**  
**7701**