# The Trumpington Federation

# Newsletter





# News from the Federation – 7<sup>th</sup> June 2024



Welcome back to school. Before half term, we had a number of exciting events in school including the Year 6 Charity Event which raised over £300! Well done to all involved in organising this. It was also exciting to hear about the Year 4 trip to Wicken Fen in which, whilst pond dipping, some of the children found a great crested newt. This is a rare species and apparently caused great excitement among the staff at the site! Before half term, we also said goodbye to Sue Webb who had been our student social worker and had supported a number of families and children during her time with us. We wish her all the best for her future studies!

#### Wicken Fen

Year 4 had a fantastic day out at Wicken Fen just before half term. They learned about the natural environment, went pond dipping and identified different species and learned about the history of Fen Cottage. The children were praised by the staff on their excellent behaviour throughout the trip — well done!





## **Year 6 Charity Event**





Well done to the Year 6 children who raised over £300 at their annual fundraiser and a big thanks to all the children who came along and contributed (except those who threw sponges at the teachers....)

## Chickenpox

We have had a number of cases of chickenpox in school this week. Please find the NHS guidance on chickenpox here:

https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/chickenpox/

Children must stay off school until all the spots have formed a scab (around 5 days).

### **Lost Property**

Please can all items of clothing please be clearly labelled with your child's name. We have accumulated a huge pile of lost property – see the photo of the cardigans and jumpers washed this week - which is unnamed and therefore cannot be returned to their owner!

#### **Term Dates**

https://www.trumpingtonfederation.co.uk/page/?title=Term+Dates&pid=1442

Monday 10<sup>th</sup> June Year 6 Residential Meeting details to follow

Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> June Year 3 Trip to Sedgwick Museum

Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> June Open Classrooms

Monday 17<sup>th</sup> June Year 1 Boat Trip

Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> June (pm) Sports Day (Years 1-6)

Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> June Year 2 trip to Mountfitchet

Friday 21st June Non-uniform day

Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> June PTA Summer Fayre

Monday 1st July Year 6 Transition Day

Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> July Reception Sporty Fun

Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> July Years 5/6 Performance (evening)

Monday 8<sup>th</sup> to Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> July Year 6 Residential

Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July Last day of term



