

# DROP SPOT

Dropmore Infant School Weekly Newsletter  
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Summer Term, Week 11

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## CELEBRATIONS



### Daisy – Year 1

For responding to further questions from Miss Tolmie and explaining her answers.



### Oliver – Year 1

For a brilliant comic about broccoli.



- ♦ 26<sup>th</sup> June: Sophia
- ♦ 6<sup>th</sup> July: Narayan
- ♦ 7<sup>th</sup> July: James



- ♦ **Brontë**, for turning his past tense sentences into a funny story.
- ♦ **Beth**, for amazing sharing work in maths.
- ♦ **The Gleeson Family**, for a brilliant performance of Cotton Eyed Joe
- ♦ **Emmie**, for her amazing work on 'words beginning with'.
- ♦ **Diya**, for her effort in odd and even numbers.

This has probably been the most difficult week of the academic year for all of us. Not only because we have pupils and staff who are infected and poorly, but also because we have had to close the school and move to remote learning at short notice this late on in the school year. But as before, everybody has quickly adjusted and taken it in their stride. Staff were very quick to get everything set up on Teams and minimize the disruption to your children's learning. Some wonderful pieces of work have been uploaded. My firm favourite was the whole school Cotton Eyed Joe video. Have a look if you haven't seen it yet! Thank you, Miss Beeks, for putting it together. And that's not all. Reception's topic this week was 'moving on up'. They recorded their favourite memory of Reception and discussed moving up to Year 1 with their new teacher, Miss Tolmie. On Friday I joined the children on their live call which was a Pet Show! It was so lovely to see and hear about all their pets from home. Year 1 continued with their Superhero work in English. First, they learned how to compare things using similes, they then planned and made their own comic about defeating vegetables they don't like to eat. Finally, they explored the alphabet by using the story Superheroes ABC, where they were asked to identify words that started with the same letter. In maths they revised 3D shapes, number bonds, telling the time and making arrays. Year 2 used the book Mega Monsters in their English work but their main focus this week was on transition activities. As you have hopefully seen already, the registration and booking for our **Wraparound Care** in the Autumn Term is now open. Places are limited to 8 pupils per sessions and are starting to fill up. To avoid disappointment, please let us know your needs as soon as possible. You can find all the information and the booking form on our website, by clicking [here](#). Please keep your fingers crossed for nice weather. See you all on Monday!

## THE WEEK IN PICTURES



### Natural Materials Art



### Cotton Eyed Joe



### Phonics Bingo

## PARENT SURVEY

<https://forms.office.com/r/KkkcFqNcJB>

If you have not yet completed the survey, can I please ask you to complete it asap? It should take no more than 10 minutes to complete and is incredibly valuable feedback for the school!

**THANK YOU!**

## THE WEEK AHEAD

For a full list of dates, [click here](#)

- ♦ Monday 12<sup>th</sup>: Back to school!!!
- ♦ Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup>: Seaside afternoon
- ♦ Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup>: Leavers BBQ (Year 2 only!)
- ♦ Friday 16<sup>th</sup>: Leavers Assembly (Year 2 only!)