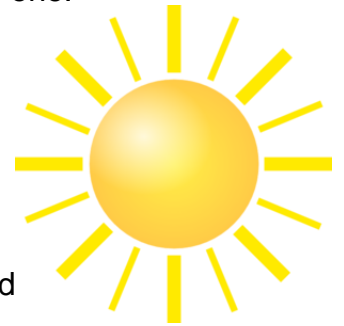


## School News – Friday 17<sup>th</sup> May 2019

The children all smiled beautifully and looked very smart for their class photos this week. The proofs will be coming home soon so you can decide if you wish to purchase one.

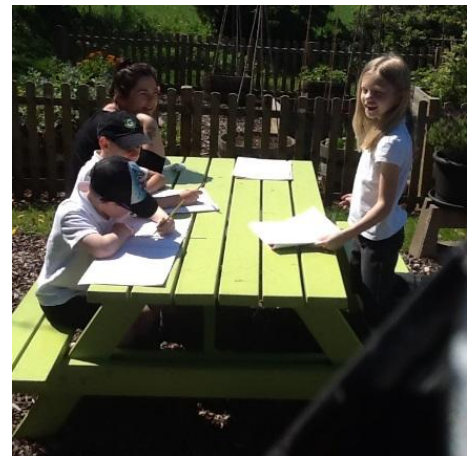
As the weather is getting warmer please remember to send your child to school with a water bottle. We have facilities for the children to fill up their water bottle at school so it is really important that **every child** has their own water bottle so they can stay hydrated during the day.



We like to spend time learning outside so when needed please ensure you send your child to school with a sun hat and either all day sun cream applied or named sun cream in their bag that they can apply themselves.

### Uppingham Grows

The year 2 children spent a glorious sunny Tuesday afternoon at the community allotment called 'Uppingham Grows'. The children had a brilliant time exploring the many different fruits and vegetables. They also learnt some interesting facts about how to look after the plants from Rick, the children were fascinated that you use horse manure to help the plants grow! The children also helped Rick to water all the plants and did some detailed sketching. What a lovely afternoon!



**Please can I remind you that children should not bring trading cards to school.**

## Staffing News

Mrs Priestley will be beginning her maternity leave at the end of next week and I am sure you will all join with me wishing her and her husband the very best of luck.

For Term 6 Owls Class will be taught by Mrs Wright. We are very lucky that Mrs Wright will be moving to five days a week to work with Year 6 and I know that the children will have an amazing term working with her on all the exciting projects that Year 6 have in the summer term. Mrs Wright is very excited about working with Owls class as she has taught them in the past and is looking forward to seeing all the progress they have made!

I am delighted that Mrs Boud-Self will be taking over Mrs Wright's days in Hedgehogs class with the Year 1s. Mrs Boud-Self is new to the school and we are very pleased that she will be working with us. She has already been popping into school to meet the children and familiarise herself with the way we work and I am sure you will join me in making her feel very welcome in our school.

More good news is that Miss Markham is getting married in June and from the 15<sup>th</sup> her married name will be Mrs Adams. That does mean we will have two Mrs Adams in school!

I know you are all keen to find out who will be teaching your child in September, at the present time staffing will be as follows:

EYFS	Squirrels	Miss Hickman
Year 1	Hedgehogs	Mrs Potter (Mon-Wed) Mrs Hanwell (Thurs/Fri)
Year 2	Badgers	Mrs Keegan (Mon/Tues) Miss Markham (who will be Mrs Adams from June 15th) (Wed/Thurs/Fri)
Year 3	Foxes	Mrs Gilchrist
Year 4	Rabbits	Mrs Boud-Self (Mon-Wed) Mrs Goatley (Thus/Fri)
Year 5	Woodpeckers	Mrs Wright
Year 6	Owls	Mrs Adams and Mrs Simpson (1 day)

Mrs Haley will continue to support all classes across the school.

<b>Term 5 Diary Dates</b>		
Tuesday 21 <sup>st</sup> May	3.35pm	Year 6 Residential Meeting – come and find out more about the trip, including what you need to pack!
Wednesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> May		Hedgehogs and Badgers Athletics at Corby Athletics Stadium (see letter for details)
Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup> May	9.15am	Hedgehogs Collective Worship
Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> May		LAST DAY OF TERM 5
Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> June		FIRST DAY OF TERM 6