



Danemill Primary School - 12/07/2023



**Danemill**  
Primary School

*Only the best is good enough.*



Dear Parents & Carers,

Well, this is the last Newsletter of the year and my last newsletter ever!!!

Firstly, I am delighted to announce that we have been awarded the National Children's Bureau Wellbeing Award.

The feedback from the assessor was very positive and we are very proud of this achievement.

Thanks to everyone who supported us with this.

#### Year 6

The Year 6 children will be moving on to their Secondary schools after the holiday.

We wish them every success and are very proud of what they have achieved.

#### Maternity leave

As many of you may have noticed, Miss Fisher is expecting her baby in August so she will not be returning to school after the Summer holiday. We wish her well and look forward to a visit from her and her baby.

We know that you will give her a warm, Danemill welcome back when she returns.

#### Staff leavers

Mrs Wynder has decided to retire to be near the seaside so will not be returning to Danemill after the Summer holiday.

We wish her all the best for the future!

As I have written before, we also say "Goodbye" to:

Miss Bacon, Miss Gackowska, Miss Sarpal, Miss Stokes, Mrs Turner & Mrs Watson.

Miss Savory will be getting married in the Summer holidays.

She will be known as Mrs Calvert on her return.

Welcomes!!!!

We re-welcome Mrs Pope who will move with some of the EYFS children to Year 1 and be their teacher.

We welcome Miss Mee, who will teach in Year 4.

We welcome Miss Butorova who will teach in Year 5.

We welcome Mrs Jemma Simmonds who will lead our Pre-school.

Have a great Summer & thank you for all of your support throughout the year.

## Excellent Efforts!



Well done to the following children who were sent to us for good work this week:

Nicole - EYFS for some amazing writing about farm animals.

Tristan - Y1 for writing numbers up to 50.

Ollie & Margarita - Y5 for some amazing maths work using negative numbers.

Aaria - Y2 for 100 reads at home.

Sam & Dylan - Y6 for the planning, building & evaluating their model of a WW2 tank!

Jacob - Y1 for 50 reads at home.

Adley - EYFS for 25 reads at home.

Koen, Sienna, Rylie, Tristan, Mersey & Tillie-Olivia - Y1 for some amazing phonics work.

George -Y2 for 100 reads at home.

Well done!

Keeping Children safe online.

# School's out for summer!

## It's always best to be prepared

During the summer holidays, without the distraction of school, internet usage for many young people can increase all the way up to September. This guide is designed to help parents with a realistic approach to help keep their children safe when using the internet, social media and playing online games. Please click on each image below for more information.



**A Parent's Guide to Social Media**



**A Parent's Guide to Sharing Pictures**



**A Parent's Guide to Gaming**



**A Parent's Guide to Live Streaming**



**A Parent's Guide to Online Grooming**



**A Parent's Guide to Online Influencers**



**A Parent's Guide to Fake News**



**A Parent's Guide to Privacy Settings**

**Online safety is when young people know who they can tell if they feel upset by something that has happened online.**

**Parents** please contact your school if you would like to attend a parents internet safety workshop or have any concerns.

**Schools** please [contact us](#) if you would like a SKIPS Safety Net session delivered to your parent groups or staff.

### Skips Educational

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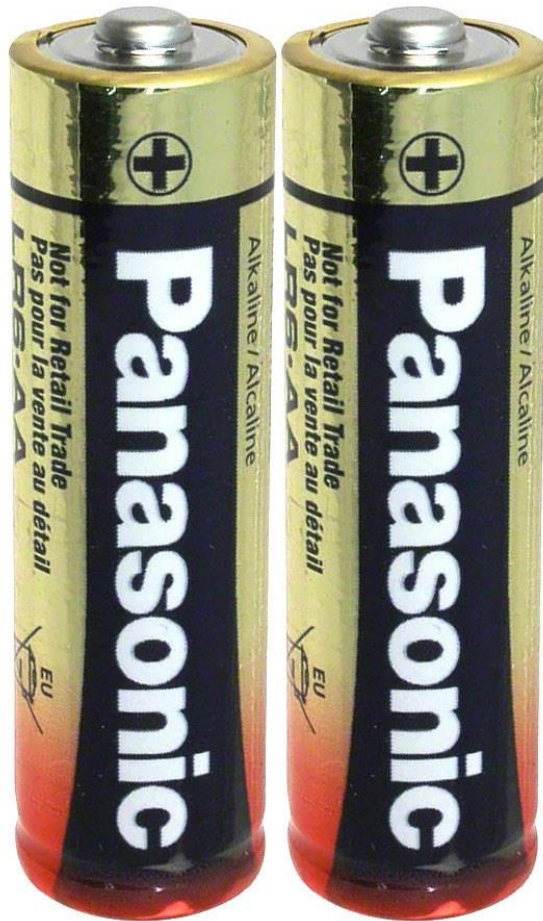
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Please read the attached information about keeping your children safe online.

This subject is just as important as ever and needs to be re-visited so that the children are really clear what is safe and what is not.

## Eco-Schools Update - PLEASE CONTINUE TO DONATE YOUR USED BATTERIES



As part of our Eco Schools Initiative, we are entering the 'Great Battery Hunt' to recycle as many batteries as possible.

If you have batteries to recycle, bring them to the office reception where you will find a box to put them in.

Please don't give the batteries to your children to bring in themselves 😊

## Wider Life at Danemill



We really enjoy sharing children's achievements so please can you make sure that you email your child's achievements outside of school through to the office. We share them weekly and on our social media.







Mason has been offered a further years contract at Leicester City Football Club going into U11s next season after an impressive season this year. Congratulations Mason. Everyone at Danemill is very proud of you and wishes you every success in the future.







Noah won Player's Player of the year for Croft Under 9 Diamonds. He was super chuffed and we are super proud!

Good luck at your new school Noah - you will be missed.

Keep playing the football!



Well done to Vivaan on his first full season in football; playing for the GNG Lions U7 🐅

He won Players player of the Year & Parents player of the year! 🏆🏆 22/23



We're very proud of you!







We recently got some chickens, which Eva has been great with and has shown some remarkable signs of responsibility. Eva will - without being asked - let the chickens out in the morning and put them away at night. Give them fresh food and water and clean them out. We are so proud of Eva!



Congratulations to Noah, who was truly overwhelmed to receive so many trophies this year, including Player of the Season for the U11 Lightning team, at his 'PSA Futsal Club's' end of season awards night last weekend. They were even joined by special guests Sammy Braybrooke and Harvey Godsmark-Ford of Leicester City, who helped hand out the trophies!

Noah is already excited for the next season with his new U12 Fire Team. 🍻🔥😁

Congratulations Noah.



Jess is only in EYFS but she is riding a horse for the first time!

Well done Jess - we are all very proud of you!







Jesse made his debut for his new football team Markfield Tigers at the weekend. They played in the Sileby Summer Cup tournament, and won the under 8 boys Tim Merrit Cup! Jesse played really well, helping the team to a well-deserved victory. 😊

Congratulations Jesse - we are all very proud of you!







Max competed in a gala on 1st of June and he has now received his medals!

Bronze for his 50 metre freestyle

Silver for his 50 metre butterfly

He loves his swimming and can't wait for the next gala.

Congratulations & well done Max!











Ronnie and Charlie went to their gymnastic competition. Ronnie came away with 3 gold medals and Charlie came away with one gold and two silver!!

They are absolute superstars and we are all so very proud of both of them!

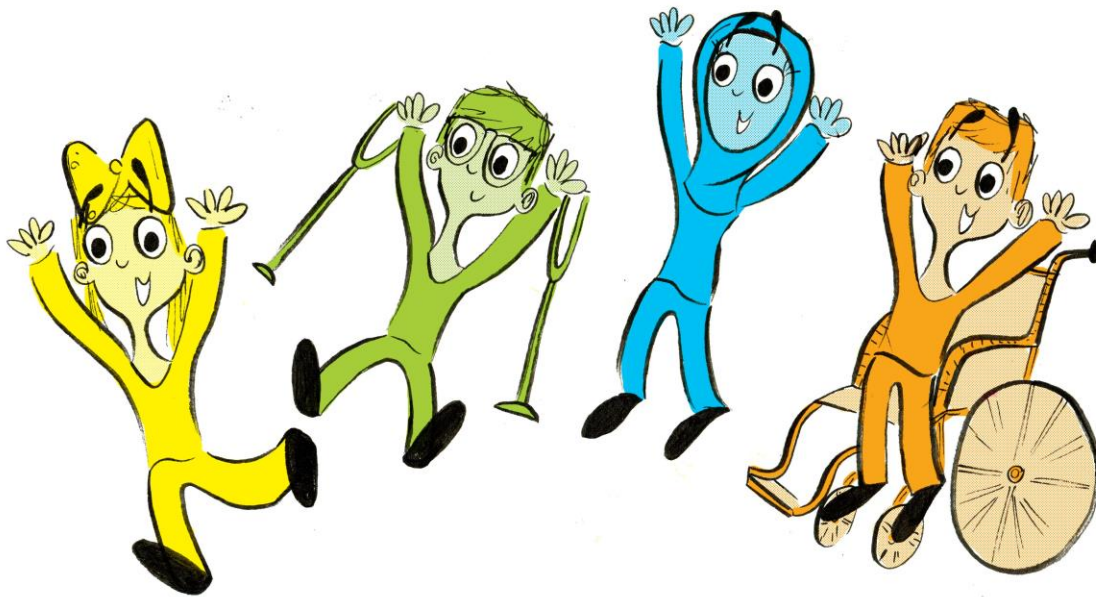
## Upcoming Summer Dates 2023



Wednesday 12th July - School Closes

**School opens on Tuesday 29th August**

## Contact Us



If you need us, have a question or a query then get in touch:

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