



Victor Seymour Infants' School

Newsletter 33: 5/6/26

Dear Parents, Carers and Guardians,



Welcome back to school! The changeable weather continues so please do send in a sun hat and a rain coat each day.



Wise Owls

Wise owls are reflective. They use what they already know to help with new learning. They can talk about how new learning is getting better. Congratulations to the following children:

Louie, **Abishoya**, **Cassiel**, **Freddie**, **David**, **Maya**, **Melodi**, **Summer** and **Daniel**.



Personal Achievements

- Layla** for her achievements in gymnastics.
- Ava** and **Queenie** for their gymnastics medals.
- Gauri** for climbing Mount Snowdon.
- Grace** and **Wassim** for their football medals.
- Matthew** for completing 55 piano lessons!
- Isaac B** for his gymnastics medals.



Sylvie for her achievements in dance competitions.

Eva for being brave for her blood test.

Daniel for his swimming achievements.

Roan has received a Headteachers Award for making amazing choices both at home and in school!



We look forward to seeing you all at the Creative Gallery at 2:45pm TODAY!! Please go to your normal collection place and the teachers will open their doors at 2:45pm.

Thank you to the wonderful Mrs Hams who has planned and organised our Creative week. Her energy, enthusiasm and raw talent for all things creative has inspired the entire school. THANK YOU!!



Have a wonderful, happy and safe weekend!
Samantha Morrissy



Sports Day 2026!



WHEN: Friday 26th June

TIME: 1:30 pm until 2:45 pm

WHERE: Grove Park



The PTA will be providing refreshments throughout the event.



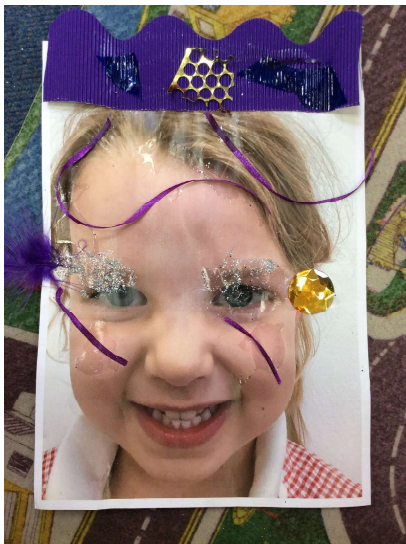
Creative Week 2026



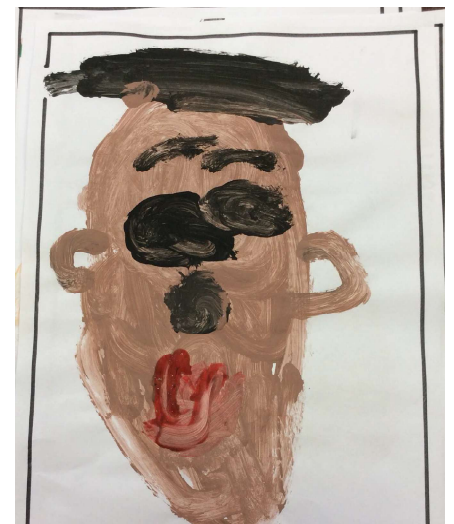
What an absolutely spectacular, vibrant, and beautifully messy week we have had! The children have embraced Creative Week, and our artists have blown us away with their focus on the National Gallery's *Take One Picture* project, featuring 'A Muse - Calliope' by Cosimo Tura (left).

Looking at just a single painting all week allowed the children to slow down and become true explorers. They didn't just look at the art - they lived it. Here is a tiny glimpse into what our classrooms transformed into.

Nursery- Both Silver and Gold class have been creating a variety of artwork, including creating self portraits, adding crowns to their photos, becoming mini Calliope's, painting sea creatures and making an ocean with their feet and paint!

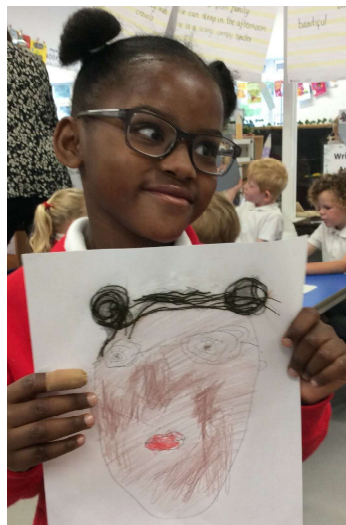


A collage from Silver class, combining all of the children's sea creatures in an epic underwater scene!





Reception- Each class took its own approach to exploring the painting. Some of the children's ideas included creating a regal crown, drawing a self-portrait as a muse, painting 'Calliope', collaging a mermaid with colourful scales and using fabric markers to make a pattern!



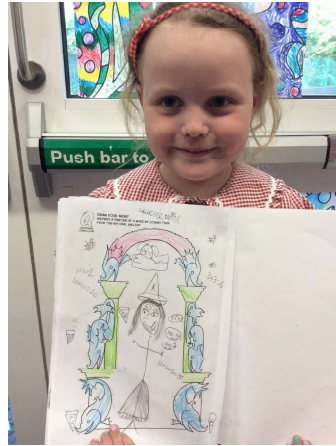


Year 1 - We were lucky enough to have Mark from Quickdraw Comics Club join us on Monday to lead a workshop- he had some exciting activities and challenges for us! We created a sketch of a 'muse' of our own, inspired by our influences and interests.





Mark visiting Year 1 classes



Year 1 creating their 'muses'



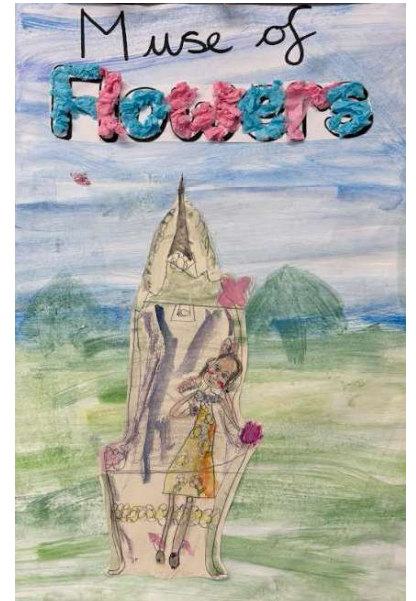
We created our own mythical sea creatures from clay!



We printed using recycled materials to make fabric inspired by Calliope's robes.

Year 2

The classes have worked through an entire process this week. From having a workshop with Mark from Quickdraw Comics Club to create a sketch of their own muse, to having their photograph taken in a muse-like-pose! They then used their photos as reference to create their own painting, added it to a background and collaged text above!



Thank you to all the staff and children's support and enthusiasm to make this week such a colossal success!
Mrs Hams- Art & Design Lead



Summer Term Dates

Friday 26th June	Sports Day
Friday 10th July	Y2 Sleepover
Tuesday 14th July	Y2 performance of Peter Pan at 9:30am
Wednesday 15th July	Y2 performance of Peter Pan at 9:30am
Thursday 16th July	Last day of school for Nursery - Gold and Silver visit to Grove Park - 9:30 - 12:30 pm
Friday 17th July	Last day of school for YR, Y1 and Y2



Should I send my child to school?

Please read the NHS guidance [here](#)

Special Educational Needs (SEND)

Mrs Wilkinson is running parent drop in sessions.

Who can attend? Any parents.

When will appointments happen? Wednesday between 9 - 10 am and 2 - 3pm.

How long will a session be? 30 minutes

Please sign up for an appointment [here](#) if you would like to discuss any worries.

Clubs page

External companies who run clubs after school at VSI. Click on the logo to book a place!



Martial Arts: Pickup at 4.15pm

- Mondays Y1 & Y2 (Pickup at 4.15pm)



Football Club: Pickup at 4.15pm

- Tuesdays Girls Football Y1 & Y2
- Thursdays Boys Football Y1
- Fridays Boys Football Y2



Story telling & Dramatic play: Pickup at 4.15pm

- Wednesdays Y1 & Y2



French Club: Pickup at 4.15pm

- Thursdays Y1 & Y2



INTRODUCING: THE PANTRY PROJECT

WE ARE THRILLED TO ANNOUNCE THE LAUNCH OF OUR NEW SCHOOL FOOD-SHARE INITIATIVE, **THE PANTRY PROJECT**.

At our school, we believe that a well-nourished student is a ready-to-learn student. The Pantry Project has been designed to support our families by providing easy access to fresh, nutritious food items whenever they might be needed.

1, 2, 3 HOW IT WORKS: PARTICIPATION IS SIMPLE, DISCREET, AND OPEN TO ALL

- **To Request:** Simply send an email to PANTRYPROJECT@VSI.SCHOOL to request a food bag.
- **Collection:** Once your bag is ready, it can be collected directly from the school office.
- **Privacy Matters:** We understand that some families may prefer a more private collection. If this is the case, please let us know in your email, and we will happily arrange a more discreet pickup location or time.

WHAT'S INSIDE?

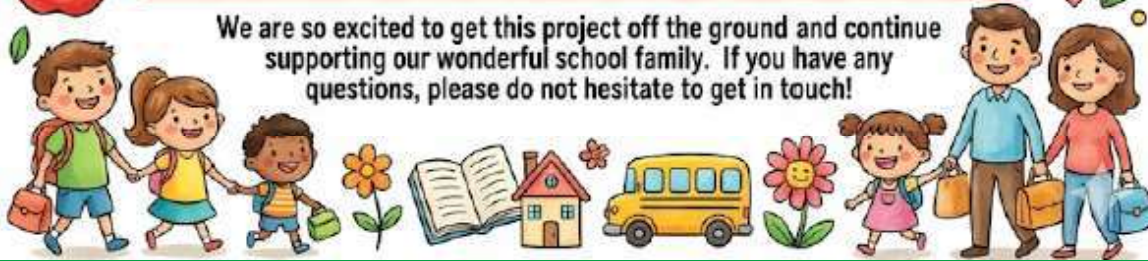
- While contents may vary week to week based on availability, you can generally expect to find:
- **Fresh Produce:** A variety of salad items and vegetables.
 - **Food-to-Go:** Convenient items perfect for quick meals or snacks.



IMPORTANT NOTE ON ALLERGENS

The health and safety of our community is our top priority. Please be aware that **ALL ITEMS ARE PRE-PACKED BY SUPPLIERS**. As such, each individual item will have its own **COMPLETE ALLERGEN INFORMATION CLEARLY PRINTED ON THE PACKAGING**. We kindly ask that you **CHECK THESE LABELS CAREFULLY BEFORE CONSUMPTION**. Please note that Food To Go items will need to be consumed by midnight on the day of collection.

We are so excited to get this project off the ground and continue supporting our wonderful school family. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to get in touch!





**THE
FOOD
HUB**

WEEK COMMENCING
13/4 27/4 11/5
01/6 15/6 29/6 13/7

MENU

Week 1

MONDAY	Cheesy Pasta 2,6	Cheese Pizza 2, 6 ✓	Mixed Vegetables A/F	School Cake 2,3
TUESDAY	Pasta Bolognaise 2	Falafel With Tomato sauce 2 ✓	Peas & Garlic bread 2	Fruit Jelly A/F
WEDNESDAY	Roast Chicken With Yorkshire Pudding 2,3,6	Vegetarian Parcel 2, 6 ✓	Cabbage & Carrots A/F	Apple Crumb Cake 2, 3
THURSDAY	Chicken Fajitas 2,6	Cheese & Tomato Pinwheels 2, 6 ✓	Broccoli & Carrots Rice	Vanilla Shortbread 2
FRIDAY	Fish Fingers or Salmon Fish Fingers 2, 4	Veggie Fingers 2 ✓	Chips Peas or Beans A/F	Selection of Pudding

**AVAILABLE
DAILY**

Wholemeal bread, fresh salads, a variety of seasonal fresh fruit, yogurts & jacket potatoes.
Please note that all our dishes can be adapted to suit the majority of dietary requirements.

little bites for every future

Catering provided by Greenshaw Learning Trust. All products are locally sourced wherever possible. All food is cooked fresh on the school site each day.
"We are dedicated to minimising our carbon footprint by actively reducing food waste throughout our operations, from ensuring to serving. Through staff training, supplier collaboration, and customer engagement, we are committed to making a positive environmental impact."



ALLERGEN KEY

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| 1. Celery | 6. Milk | 11. Crustaceans |
| 2. Gluten | 7. Molluscs | 12. Soybeans |
| 3. Eggs | 8. Mustard | 13. Sulphites |
| 4. Fish | 9. Peanuts | 14. Tree nuts |
| 5. Lupin | 10. Sesame | A/F Allergen Free |







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WEEK COMMENCING
20/4 4/5 18/5 8/6 22/6 6/7

MENU

Week 2

MONDAY	Basil and Tomato Pasta 2,	Cauliflower Broccoli Bake 2,6 	Peas & Carrots A/F	Strawberry Mousse 6
TUESDAY	Beef Burger 2, Halal	Veggie Burger 2, 	Wedges & Sweetcorn A/F	Blueberry Muffin 2,3
WEDNESDAY	Chicken Sausage Roast Yorkshire 2, 3,6,	Quorn Sausage Roast 2, 	Cabbage & Carrots A/F	Shortbread 2,
THURSDAY	Chicken Curry 2	Creamy Lentil Curry 2,12 	Mix Vegetables Rice	Citrus Drizzle Cake 2, 3
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