



NEWSLETTER

Friday 4th February 2022

Headteacher Comment

This week our children have enjoyed a range of visits and visitors to enrich our curriculum. On Monday, our Y6 pupils enjoyed historical workshops with a visit from a World War 1 soldier. The soldier helped the children understand what it was like during World War 1 and talked about the events during that time. They took part in lots of activities and practical tasks to enhance their understanding of this historical period. Our Early Years children have been taking part in science workshops alongside their parents. Y2 also have a Science with cabbage day next week where they will be doing lots of fun experiments.

We also look forward to finishing the term with a focus on maths with our Times Tables Rock Stars Day. Don't forget to get your costumes ready!

Thanks, Mrs Higginson



Katy Higginson
Head of School



Anita Edwards
Executive
Headteacher

IMPORTANT

It has come to our attention that a number of children have been watching Poppy Playtime and other age inappropriate TV/films with disturbing content. This has caused some upset between families and friends and has scared some of our younger children.

Please can you ensure that accounts such as You Tube, other media platforms and PC's are monitored closely by parents so you are aware of what your child is accessing. Thank you.

Attendance

Week Ending

04.02.2022

R	85.9
Y1	90
Y2	87.6
Y3	86.7
Y4	95
Y5	86.7
Y6	93.9
Whole School (weekly)	89.4
Whole School (Sept to date)	90.5
Target 97%	

Congratulations

Congratulations to Miss Stead who will be joining the Senior Leadership Team as our Teaching and Learning lead, whilst Miss Tranter is on maternity leave. You will be a fantastic addition to the team!

Congratulations!



All the staff have been voting again for employee of the month. Congratulations to Mrs Finnigan a very worthy winner!



EYFS Science Workshop

The EYFS Team and all the children would like to say a huge thank you to all the adults who came to join in our science workshop on Friday morning. It is great to see everybody exploring all the science challenges and having lots of fun. Nursery and Reception carried out a range of investigations to explore and learn about lots of different science topics including electricity, dissolving, speed, gravity, rocket launching etc.



Dates for your Diary

Tuesday 8th

February – Year 2 Science with Cabbage

Wednesday 9th

February – Chinese New Year Workshop – EYFS

Wednesday 9th

February – Year 4 Trip

Friday 11th

February – TT Rockstars Day



Maths Superstar

Tayo in Year 2 was able to share his Maths with Year 5. A brilliant example of finding a fraction of an amount. Well done, Tayo.



Year 5

Year 5 have had lots of fun creating bridges for their marble run structure.



Year 6

On Monday Year 6 took part in a WW1 workshop where they experienced a virtual reality headset and looked around the trenches. The headsets also took them to a hospital. They also looked at artefact boxes filled with WW1 helmets, uniforms and rations. Year 6 had a lovely and informative day.



★ **Stars of the Week** ★

Nursery = George Williams & Delcie Grimshaw
 Rec = Conway Higginbottom & Savanah Malhami
 Y1 = Bradley Hardman-McKenna & Brody Southwell
 Y2 = Hasan Hashmi & Ebony Diamond
 Y3 = Dean Hales & Callum Higgs
 Y4 = Alfie Beaumont & AJ Lear
 Y5 = Siobhan Bullock & Amelia Jean Ward
 Y6 = Summer Rose Ginty & Christopher Renshaw

★ **CONGRATULATIONS** ★

Year 4
 Year 4 completed their final swimming lesson on Tuesday. Miss Bowers and Miss Cahill are so proud of the children! A lot of them had to dig deep to overcome anxieties and fears, but they persevered and made great progress. Every single child was awarded a certificate for their water skills and they should be very pleased with their achievements! Well done Year 4!



Please can we remind Parents/carers that dogs should not be brought onto the school grounds at drop off and pick up time. Also please can any bikes/scooters be left in the bike racks provided

IMPORTANT REMINDER

Many thanks