



Allanson Street News

1st March 2024

Our value this month is:

Kindness



Reading

Please make sure you listen to your child read at least 3 times a week and record this in their reading records.

For those children not yet bringing a reading book home, please make sure you are reading to them as frequently as possible.

This Week's Highlights

In **Nursery** we have continued to focus our learning on plants and growing. The children have continued to learn the words and actions to retell the story of Jack and the Beanstalk using the story map. The children were very enthusiastic to use a variety of musical instruments to accompany parts of the story – Jack tiptoeing, the giant stomping, the beanstalk growing and crashing. We have planted our very own beans and many of the children are hoping that they will grow as high as the clouds! We will wait and see.

In **Reception** we have been continuing to learn about animals. We began the week by learning about animals that are found in the wild in our country. We learned our Word of the Week 'Nocturnal' and sorted animals out into whether they are nocturnal or diurnal. We read the Percy the Park Keeper Story After the Storm for our Drawing Club focus. In Maths we have been learning about the number 8.

In **Year 1** we have written our diary entries as if we were Ernest Shackleton on his adventure in Antarctica. We have been finding fact families with numbers up to 20 in maths! In history, we loved learning about Florence Nightingale and her impact on nursing today.

This week **Year 2** have started their new History unit learning all about the Great Fire of London. They made great History detectives looking through the sources to find out as much information as they could about what happened and why. In English they have wrote clear, sequenced instructions on How to take care of a dragon!

In **Year 3** we have continued our learning about the human body, thinking about which animals have 'inside' skeletons (endo skeletons) and which animals have 'outside' skeletons (exoskeletons). We have also started a new unit in geography all about mountains and have been identifying the highest peaks in the UK.

In **Year 4** we have enjoyed becoming immersed in the world of Roman Britain and the Celtic rebellion with our story 'Queen of Darkness' as we begin to plan for writing our own non-chronological reports. In Maths we have made great progress with our perimeter work and in geography we are developing our understanding of the world underneath our feet.

In **Year 5**, we have enjoyed finding out about the different climate zones in Geography and in art we have been learning all about cardboard manipulation in readiness for our art projects. In English we have carried on with our Alma unit and have created some great sentences which included a range of adverbial phrases. Mrs Onyett's class also enjoyed their second session with the fire service learning all about water safety.

This week in **Year 6** we have been focusing on shape in our afternoon revision sessions and discovering some brilliant things about symmetry, reflection and translation. We have also started to look at a brand new artist called Adonna Khare, she creates enormous pencil drawings of weird and wonderful animals.

Dates for your diary

- **March 4th** - British Values Week
- **March 8th** - International Women's Day
- **March 17th** - St Patrick's Day
- **Wed 27th March** – All Y2 (both classes) Fireground Museum trip

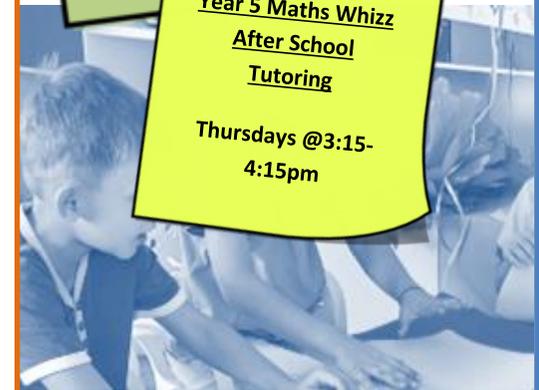
Reminders

Please make sure your child is wearing the correct school uniform. Complete guidance can be found on the school website. If you have any questions regarding uniform, please speak to your child's class teacher.

Remember that we have plenty of pre-loved uniform in our Unicycle centre. If you'd like to access this service, please contact Mrs Browne or Mrs Tyrer via Class Dojos.

Year 5 Maths Whizz
After School
Tutoring

Thursdays @3:15-
4:15pm



This Week's Value Stars!!

Nursery: Orla, Mason, Kira, Aalayah & Elijah B	Reception: Morgan K, Larry O
Year 1: Rubie, Joseph, Theo, Charlie	Year 4: Mason P, Mia H, Riley D, Millie D
Year 2: Bella C, Amy S, Mason W, Lacie-Mae B	Year 5: Milena, Jacob, India and Ellie
Year 3: Esmae J, Ethan T, Daniel G, Heidi M	Year 6: Liara M, Keira A, Kenan K, Chloe D

Attendance

Early Years – Nursery am 93.7% Nursery pm 93%

RKL 94.7% RMC 92.7%

KS1 –

Y1CS 95.2% Y1TE 93%

Y2GW 96.6% Y2LB 94.7%

LKS2 –

Y3LA 96.9% Y3LC 94%

Y4MC 93.7% Y4MM 96.4%

UKS2 –

Y5EK 96.8% Y5NO 94%

Y6JM 94% Y6KK 94.5%

School Target:
96%

(This week's winners are highlighted in yellow)



This Week's Learning at Home

Word of the Week:

Nursery – plant

Reception – nocturnal

Year 1 – Legacy

Year 2 – century

Year 3 – portion

Year 4 – conduit

Year 5 – abundant

Year 6 – atrocities

Weekly Winners



Numbots. Nursery - Year 2: How many coins can you earn?

The highest number earned over the week will get 3 dojos. **Last week's winner= Olivia S Year 3**



Mathswhizz. Years 2-6: The class with the most time spent on MathsWhizz that week will get 3 dojos each. **Last week's winners= Y5NO**



Times Tables

Rockstars.

Years 3-6: Here are your group battles where the winning classes of these battles get 3 dojos each.

Last week's

winners were = The girls!!

Next week's battles...



1st March - 7th March 2024

Year 4 204 Year 6 0 Year 5 0 Year 3 0