



Allanson Street News

This Week's Highlights

- In Nursery we have been learning about the different creatures that live in the Rainforest as well as the songbirds. The children have talked about how the birds may feel being kept in the cage and what they may miss about their natural home.
- The reception children all created story maps of our trip to Chester Zoo. We have had great fun turning them into stories and posters.
- Year 1 have been learning all about the weather here in the UK! They have also worked hard to read real and nonsense words ready for their special reading booklet in June.
- Year 2 have been working very hard on their reading this week as they have completed their special reading booklets independently
- Year 3 have been sketching songbirds this week as well as writing non-chronological reports.
- Year 4 have taken part in a class debates about keeping songbirds in cages and children are able justify and explain reasons for their opinion.
- Year 5 have been working on a newspaper article that focuses on the opening of Chester Zoo in 1931 and looking at the very different opinions the local people had about a 'Zoo without Bars'.

What's Coming Up Next Week (and beyond)?

- Year 3 and 4 are very much looking forward to their trip to Chester Zoo on Wednesday.
- In Year 5, we are looking forward to learning all about the life cycle of a plant.

In Other News...

As many of you may know, Mr Billinge and Mr Boyle are retiring this summer. Mrs Hawkins will also be leaving us at the end of term to take up a teaching post in Dubai. We wish them all health and happiness in their new ventures.

I am pleased to tell you that Mrs Dingsdale has been appointed as deputy headteacher from September 2019. We will also be welcoming three new members of teaching staff in September: Mrs K Inman (Reception), Miss E Knowles and Mr A Regan. However, year group teachers will not be finalised until the end of June.

Many thanks.

Dates for your diary

13.5.19 – Year 3 / 4 Dodgeball with Ellis

14.5.19 – NO THRILLER DANCE

Year – 3/ 4 Cricket with Matthew

15.5.19 – Year 5/6 Football with Ellis

16.5.19- KS1 and KS2 Thriller Dance with Lucy

Friday 17th May – School Nurse 'Drop-in' session 9-10am

The Big Battery Hunt

Class Councillors have given out battery Hunt collection boxes to all children today. Please fill your boxes and return them to school for recycling. Boxes can be filled and returned many times until the end of the year!

This week's Stars!!

Nursery: Amelia M, Lila W, Jasmine T, Amelia H
RRG: Lexie D, Eryn M **RJT:** Lucas S, Aidan O
Attendance Winners – Mrs Glynn's Class – 98%

Medal Winners

Year 1: Lillie C, Skye W
Frankie B, Thomas DS

Year 4: Olivia O, Kaydie L
Olivia L, Joe C

Year 2: Alex W, Alex P,
Valencia HR, Corey C

Year 5: Tomasz G, Tmisha
S, Keegan T, Taylor J

Year 3: Jamie H, Paula
N, Lilly T, Shayla B

Year 6: Lilli, Lydia, Katie
R, Nikita A

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This Week's Learning at Home

Word of the Week

Nursery – important
Reception – Life cycle
Year 1 - Climate
Year 2 – resilient

Year 3 - proud
Year 4 - justify
Year 5 – timid
Year 6 -

Maths Challenge

This week, we'd love you to continue spending time with your child practising their number bonds. These are simply the pairs of numbers that can be added together to make a given number. For example, $1 + 9 = 10$, $2 + 8 = 10$, $3 + 7 = 10$ etc.
Have a chat with your child. Do they know their number bonds to 10, 20 or even 100? If this knowledge is secure, your child shouldn't have to work the pairs out, instead they should be able to recall them quite rapidly. How many fun ways can you and your child find to match pairs of numbers to practise number bonds?

Problem of the Week

For a chance to win a fabulous maths puzzle, solve this problem and pop

Class 6 have some fruit.

For every 2 apples they have 3 bananas.



They have 10 apples.

How many bananas do they have?

Sports News

Well Done to Isabella (Y4) who has just achieved her Stage 4 Swimming and Olivia (Y2) and Alfie (Nursery) who have achieved their Duckling 1 award.

Well Done to Jasmine Cooper (Nursery) who was star of the week at Karate this week too.

