



# Allanson Street News

7th October 2022

Our value this month is:

## Respect



### 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 been talking about the feelings of happy and sad, the children have practised showing those emotions on their face and recalling times when they have felt happy and sad. The children listened to the story "Pete the cat and his 4 groovy buttons" and developed their understanding of more and fewer as they compared amounts of buttons.

This week in **Reception**, we have explored the number 3 by counting, adding and comparing amounts. Using the Autumn items collected as part of homework, we have been learning about Autumn. We created leaf drawings using pastels, developing our line and shading skills. We also had our very first official Forest School session – it was so much fun!

This week in **Year 1** have blown us away with their maths work. They have all worked hard to compare numbers and have used the greater than, less than and equal to signs to help!

**Year 2** have enjoyed learning more about the continents of the world this week and writing some amazing facts in their English books. In maths we have also been so impressed with the children's complex partitioning of 2-digit numbers. A great effort Year 2!

**Year 3** have been exploring the features of Stone Age and Iron Age houses in history and thinking about what it would be like to live in a Palaeolithic cave! In Science we have been learning about what opaque, transparent and translucent means, and using this information to create the darkest cave for our toys!

This week, **Year 4** have continued to learn about the culture of the Ancient Maya, expanding our knowledge to find out about their beliefs, the many Gods they worshipped and the things they believed happened to people after death. We are very proud of the insightful questions the children asked- Year 4 you are becoming true historians!

This week, **Year 5** have investigated how streamline objects effects water resistance and air resistance. We have also looked at a range of persuasive techniques and wonder how many they may use at home this weekend?

This week, **Year 6** have begun our new geography work about South America. We have used atlases and globes to identify the continent it's in and the different countries that are in it. We've also begun a colourful piece of artwork that is inspired by a South American artist called Romero Britto. I think it's safe to say that our favourite activity this week was our sign language lesson. The children (and staff) absolutely loved it.



## Dates for your diary

- **11<sup>th</sup> October 5pm-**
- SATs meeting for parents / carers of Year 6 children.
- **13<sup>th</sup> October** – Year 1 trip to Z Arts in Manchester
- **19<sup>th</sup> October** - Craft fair (further information to follow)
- **21<sup>st</sup> October**- School closes for half term
- **1<sup>st</sup> November** - School opens.



**Year 5 Maths Whizz**  
**After School Tutoring**  
every Tuesday 3.15 –  
4.15. (If you need a  
letter, please message  
your child's class)

## 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 Dojo.

# ★ This Week's Value Stars!!

**Nursery:** Bella, Ella, Oliver D & Fynley

**Reception:** Ollie P, Sophie D, Kanan W-H, Michael G

<b>Year 1:</b> Martin, Isaac L, Jessica T, Tyler	<b>Year 4:</b> India B, Jessica M, Chloe B, Mateo G
<b>Year 2:</b> Ziad HK, Oakley, Abriella A, Isaac WA	<b>Year 5:</b> Thomas, Madison K, Kiera A, Mia
<b>Year 3:</b> Mia H, Matthew N, James P, Amelia H	<b>Year 6:</b> Jessika T, Lilly P, Valencia, Sydney

## Attendance

<b>Early Years –</b>	Nursery am 84.2%	Nursery pm 85.3%
	RKL 95.7%	<b>RMC 96.7%</b>
<b>KS1 –</b>	<b>Y1TE 96.6%</b>	Y1CS 95.2%
	Y2GW 92.8%	Y2LB 94.3%
<b>LKS2 –</b>	Y3LC 92.4%	<b>Y3EH 98.9%</b>
	Y4MM 94.5%	Y4MC 95%
<b>UKS2 –</b>	Y5NO 95.2%	Y5EK 94%
	<b>Y6KK 97.9%</b>	Y6JM 95.7%

(This week's winners are highlighted in yellow)



# This Week's Learning at Home

## Word of the Week:

**Nursery:** feelings

**Reception-** Autumn

**Year 1 –** Local area

**Year 2 –** rigid

**Year 3 –** piercing

**Year 4 –** glyphs

**Year 5 –** resistance

**Year 6 –** located

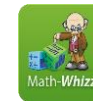


## Weekly Winners



**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=Daniel G Y2GW.**



**Mathswhizz. Years 2-6:** The class with the most time spent on MathsWhizz that week will get 3 dojos each. **Last week's winner= Y6KK**



**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 = Y6JM, Y4MC, Y3EH, and Y5EK.**

**New battles:**

7th October - 14th October 2022

Y5NO Y3LC

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Y6JM Y4MC

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Y5EK Y3EH

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Y6PT Y4MM

