



Allanson Street News

22nd March 2024

Our value this month is:
Independence



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 around the story "The Very Hungry caterpillar". The children have worked on drawing a story map, using all the key events from the story. In Maths, the children have developed their learning about shape and used these to design butterflies, making sure that each wing was the same on both sides. They have also explored adding texture to their pictures using tools, materials to design their Easter card.

In **Reception** we have been learning more about animals through reading lots of non-fiction books. We talked about the contents page and the glossary and what those pages are used for. We have made our own animal fact book about our favourite animals. We have also been learning about how animals use camouflage to protect themselves and we printed our own animal patterns. We continued our learning about Blackpool Zoo by creating our own map for a zoo talking about our choices. In Maths we have been learning more about number 9 and number 10.

In **Year 1** we have been writing our instructions on how to look after a pet star. We have included verbs to give commands too! We have continued to work hard on our numbers within 50 and can identify one more and one less! In science, we used our senses to guess the flavours of different yogurts. In history, we have been learning about Edith Hughes, a nurse and social worker from St Helens who helped to create the St Helens British Red Cross Fund to raise money for ambulances during the Great War.

In **Year 2** this week we have been learning all about column addition. The children have done a great job applying their place value knowledge to help them solve different calculations. In English, we have been planning our own diary account of the Great Fire of London.

In **Year 3** we have been thinking about food prep, safety and hygiene ready to cook our hotpots! We have also been thinking about the muscles in science and naming some of the common ones.

In **Year 4** we have been learning the art of persuasion and looking at the features of persuasive letters. We have also been considering the pros and cons of living near to a volcano and discovering extinct volcanoes in Britain! In Maths we have also been working hard in Maths to further our understanding of fractions and mixed numbers.

In **Year 5**, we have been finding out about the six main biomes across the world and comparing differences between them. We have also thoroughly enjoyed completing out art sculptures. The children this week have also worked hard to consolidate their understanding of fractions and can find more confidently find fractions of amounts. We are very proud of all their efforts.

This week in **Year 6**, we have immersed ourselves into our spooky, suspense-filled writing. We have studied angles in triangles and quadrilaterals in Maths and explored chapters of The Railway Children in reading. We also got to conduct our own research into the legacy of the Vikings.

Dates for your diary

- **Wed 27th March** – All Y2 (both classes) Fireground Museum trip

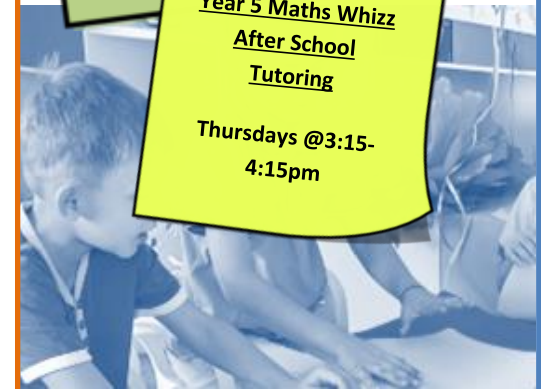
Reminders

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: Arlo T, Louie, Francesca & Savannah	Reception: Bella M, Mya H-W, Freya T, Olivia H.
Year 1: Logan M, Isla S, Olive, Kaloyan	Year 4: Maia C, Patrick W, Max C, Amelia H
Year 2: Martin McP, Lily-Mae B, Keon A, Thomas H	Year 5: Skylar, Lisa, Vinny, Ella H
Year 3: Neriman H, Zach M, Isabelle R, Charlie M	Year 6: Riley M, Elektra R, Jakub L, Layla S

Attendance

Early Years –	Nursery am 93.6%	Nursery pm 92.6%
	RKL 94.6%	RMC 93.2%
KS1 –	Y1CS 94.8%	Y1TE 93%
	Y2GW 96.6%	Y2LB 95.2%
LKS2 –	Y3LA 97.2%	Y3LC 94.2%
	Y4MC 94.1%	Y4MM 96.5%
UKS2 –	Y5EK 96.7%	Y5NO 93.6%
	Y6JM 94.1%	Y6KK 94.6%

School Target:
96%

(This week's winners are highlighted in yellow)



This Week's Learning at Home

Word of the Week:

Nursery – texture	Year 3 – valley
Reception – camouflage	Year 4 – seismographs
Year 1 – responsibility	Year 5 – misleading
Year 2 – composition	Year 6 – intersect

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= Aamane A Y3**



Mathswhizz. Years 2-6: The class with the most time spent on MathsWhizz that week will get 3 dojos each. **Last week's winners= Y6JM**



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 =

Y5NO + Y4MC

Next week's battles...



22nd March - 28th March 2024

Blue Team

Red Team

Can you remember which team you are on? Log in to see.