

Newsletter 16 Term 3
19th January 2024



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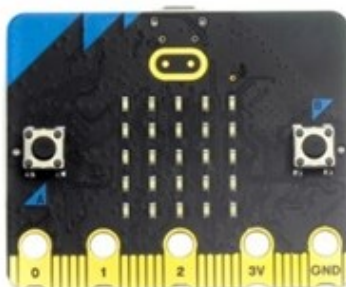
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Showcases

This week we hosted our first showcase of the year.

Measuring Pulse Rate (bpm)	
At rest (before exercise)	45
Immediately after exercise	51
Two minutes after exercise	50
Five minutes after exercise	49
Ten minutes after exercise	46
Twenty minutes after exercise	45

Thank you to all of the parents for coming to our Year 6 showcase. The children thoroughly enjoyed sharing their learning and demonstrating different elements of our curriculum. Some of the showcase activities shown were Merchant of Venice 'Blind Date', a performance of the Hakka, bar modelling workshops,



dance demonstrations, measuring pulse and microbit coding.

We are looking forward to welcoming parents to our other year group showcases throughout the rest of this year.

Year 5 - 14th February 2024

Year 4 – TBC to link with Brass Project Concert

Year 3 – 6th March 2024

Year 2 – 24th April 2024

Year 1 – 8th May 2024

Dates

January

22nd Young Voices

February

5th EYFS Stay and Play 9am (parents welcome)

6th Safer Internet Day

14th Year 5 Showcase 9am (Parents welcome)

14th Year 4 Residential Parent's Meeting 5.30pm

16th End of Term

26th Training Day

27th Children return to school

PE NEWS



We are very proud of our year 5 gymnastics team who performed excellently at the gymnastics tournament last Friday. They insisted on Mr M being in the team photo!

Welcome

We are delighted to introduce our Associate Teachers for the Spring Term.

- Miss Brindley to 1KB
- Miss Gilkes 1AH
- Mrs Harper 2MF



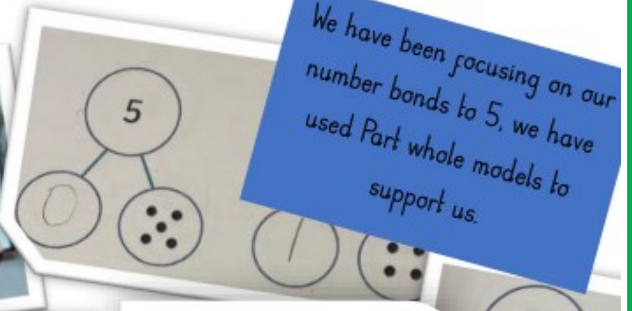
EYFS News

We have had a fantastic start to the Spring term. Look at what we have been up to!

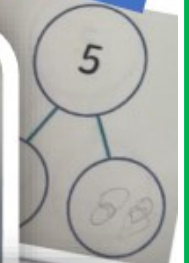
We are learning the Merchant of Venice story. We enjoyed the Venetian blind date assembly. We have begun learning the characters in the story and are focusing on a Venetian



We have been focusing on our number bonds to 5, we have used Part whole models to support us.



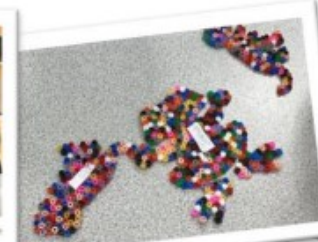
We met a Rugby coach from the Saints and enjoyed learning some skills used in tag Rugby.



In Understanding the World, we are learning about what we couldn't do as babies but can do now.

Venetian Market

We have emersed ourselves in to our T4W story – The Merchant of Venice – by having our own venetian market. By following our Venice story, we have made our own Caskets. We made Hamma Beads, Vintage Cornflake Cakes, and Magnets to sell.



Thank you so much to all that came to our Venetian Market. We had such a fun time and we hope you did too!

Super Stars

Well done to all the children who have worked so hard this week and demonstrated lots of our school values!

RJF: Peter for his enthusiasm and engagement in all lessons and his home learning.

1AH: Anfaal for always showing she is ready to learn and challenging herself.

2MF: Dominic for his determination and effort in Maths this week.

3EB: Oliver B for always trying his best in Maths and finding new ways to challenge himself and develop his understanding. Keep up the hard work!

4NC: Tavi for setting a good example in class. Tavi approaches all activities with a positive attitude and tries her hardest in all that she does.

5AK: Adaline for showcasing her amazing drama skills in our Shakespeare drama day!

6LW: Raphael for being a confident mathematician.

RKC: Kiara for showing she is ready to learn and for always being kind and caring to her friends!

1KB: Messiah for always trying his very best in all his learning.

2FJ: Jacob for magnetic eyes during lessons and demonstrating some brilliant drama during our English lesson.

3IH: Milan for trying really hard with showing me he is ready to learn! He has worked so hard on his strong sitting magnet eyes to show active listening, well done!

4SL: Nali for his excellent contributions to our Merchant of Venice Drama sessions.

5GD: Aston for showing a fantastic knowledge of the Merchant of Venice and for being outstanding in our drama day.

6GH: Thomas for being my percentage king!

Bronze Awards

Well done to the following children who have been awarded their bronze badges this week.

Manasa & Omotara in 1KB

Beau & Holly in 2MF

Kai, Sofiya, Abdullah & Skye in 3EB

Mila in 3IH

Noa & Alfie in 4SL

Ethan, Willow, Albert & Aluar in 5AK

Harvey & Scarlett in 5GD

Sultan & Tamosa in 6LW

George, Daniela & Meral in 6GH



Rainbow Star of the Week



Our Rainbow star of the week is Camden in 5AK for his amazing effort in English this week. Well done Camden!

School Packed Lunches

Earlier this week we sent out information regarding Healthy Lunchboxes. Please take some time to read the information to ensure your children are provided with a balanced healthy packed lunch.



Attendance

	1st	
	5AK	
2nd		3rd
6LW		3IH/4SL