



Congratulations to the following children who have impressed me with their wonderful work and attitudes since the last newsletter:

- Lennon T in Y1 for stretching himself independently in maths
- Ayrton and Lennon T for fantastic number work and writing
- Amelia in YR for making a fantastic aeroplane in the woodwork area
- Kyrrah-Mae in Y4 for excellent purple learning in maths
- Sam R and Ellie K in Y4 with great sentences using 'because'
- Maxime in YR for wonderful reading
- Charlie, D, Alfie B, Marley and Vinnie in Y1 for wonderful descriptive writing
- Faith in Y4 for fabulous independent maths and a good growth mindset
- Ollie and Chace in Y3 for great questions about the Stone Age
- Grace in Y5 for amazing history research and explanations

Well done to them all!



Young Reporters

Enclosed with this newsletter are two reports by Headley Park Y5 pupils on this morning's praise assemblies. The children took all the photos and wrote the reports themselves, with no adult help. Well done Teegan and Drake - two excellent budding journalists!



Knitting Club - Request for wool donations

If you have any spare wool you could donate, knitting club would be very grateful. Please bring in to office or give to Mrs Pryde or Miss Blackman.

Lunchtime Vacancy

One of our lunchtime supervisors will soon be going on maternity leave, so we will have a vacancy for 5 hours a week (Monday-Wednesday 11:30am-13:10pm). If you or anyone you know might be interested, please ask the office for more information.



Uniform Reminder

Just a reminder that PE kit should include **red** hoodies only (not black). They should be plain red or with the HP logo - no other logos or stripes please. Thank you for your support.

Cycle Track

We have a new track at the end of our field for children to use at play times. Classes who show considerate and respectful behaviour in the lunch hall will be selected by lunchtime staff to use the path the next day. Please look out for messages on seesaw for when your child's class will be on the track so they can bring in their bikes and scooters if they want to. We will aim to spread it out fairly across the year groups and normally it will be the following days:

Y1 and Y3 - Tuesday

Y2 and Y4 - Wednesday

Y5 - Thursday

Y6 - Friday

Mondays could be any year group, whichever class in the school behaves most considerately on the Friday before. We will explain all this to the children in assemblies next week and it will start on Tuesday.



Water Bottles

Children can bring in bottles to drink from through the day and we have water coolers throughout the school where they can fill them up. Please note that they should not have any other drink other than water in their bottles. Other drinks (not fizzy) are allowed in their packed lunches but not at other times of the day. Thank you for your support.

Big Draw

We will be holding our Big Draw again - this year on Friday 29th September. This is the day when all the classes spend the day with their sketchbooks, visiting different teachers to complete an art challenge. It is always a very enjoyable day and the children produce some fantastic artwork. As they will all be doing art at the same time, we will need some extra aprons. If you have any art aprons or old shirts they could use, we would be grateful if you could send them in with your child on the day. Thank you.



Nut-Free School

We have several children in school with SEVERE nut allergies so it is vitally important that nuts and nut products (including peanut butter and cereal bars with nuts) are NOT brought into school for snacks or in lunch boxes. Thank you very much for your co-operation.



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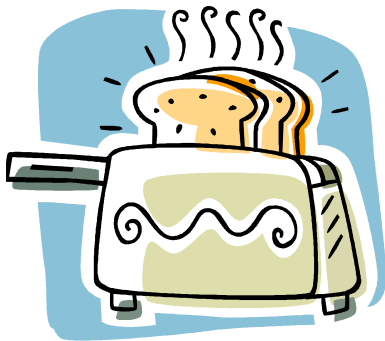
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Parents' Coffee Mornings and Afternoons

Thank you to all those who attended last week's coffee morning on supporting learning at home. We discussed reading, spelling, phonics/sound buttons, learning logs, and useful apps and resources. We also discussed topic maps and reports / parents evenings which will be organised slightly differently this year. The next meetings are scheduled as follows: They are held in the staffroom and all are welcome:

Date	Time	Topic	Led by
Thurs 14 th Sept	8:50-9:20am	Supporting learning at home	Ms Fredrickson
Wed 27 th Sept	8:50-9:20am	Behaviour and bullying	Mr Laken
Wed 11 th Oct	2:45-3:15	Reading and Phonics in KS1	Mr Inskip
Wed 18 th Oct	2:50-3:20pm	e-safety and online communication	Mr Inskip
Tues 7 th Nov	2:50-3:20pm	Spelling	Miss Grant
Wed 15 th Nov	8:50-9:20am	Transport	Mr Mountjoy
Thurs 23 rd Nov	8:50-9:20am	Christmas plans	Ms Fredrickson
Mon 11 th Dec	2:50-3:20pm	Purple Learning (Growth mindset)	Mr Laken



Breakfast Club

Following the letter last week about proposed changes to Breakfast club, we can now confirm the slightly amended arrangements for breakfast club from Tuesday 31st October:

Children can attend from 7:30am at a cost of £4.50 per session

If you book and pay in advance, children can attend from 8:00am at a cost of £3.50 per session. If children booked in for 8am arrive early, they will be allowed in but parents will be charged the extra £1.

We will review the pricing at the end of term 3 as it may need adjusting depending on numbers.

Every Day Counts

Enclosed with this newsletter is a leaflet explaining the importance of high attendance at school. As you know, we have a strict policy of only authorising absence in term time in extreme extenuating circumstances. If you think this may apply, you need to request authorisation with at least 2 weeks' notice if possible. Thank you for your support. We are currently at 97% attendance and hoping that we can keep this up!

Parents' Evenings and Reports

We are changing slightly how we organise these this year for different year groups:

Nursery:	Parents of nursery children will be informed of their progress via the ILD and will be invited in to discuss their child's progress at least twice through the year, on an individual basis.
Reception:	Parents are invited to meet with the teacher on an individual basis three times a year at the end of the child's long observations. Parents will be given a copy of the ILD record at the end of term 6 with a brief summary report.
Year 1 Year 3 Year 4 Year 5	First Parents' evening will be in term 2 (week beginning 6 th Nov) to discuss how the children have settled in and their targets for the year. Second parents' evening will be in Term 6 to report on their achievements and progress through the year. You will also be given a written summary of their academic results. The written report will be at the end of term 4/ beginning of term 5 (Easter) to inform you of the child's progress so far and what they still need to work on before the end of the year.
Year 2 Year 6	First Parents' evening will be in term 2 (week beginning 6 th Nov) to discuss how the children have settled in and their targets for the year. Second parents' evenings will be in term 4 (week beginning 26 th Feb) to discuss children's progress so far and what they still need to work on before the end of the year. Written reports to summarise achievements through the year and SATs results will be given out at the end of term 6.

Key Dates Terms 1 and 2

Mon 25 th Sept:	Tag Rugby League starts
26 th -28 th Sept:	Bristol Together Trip to Bordeaux (5 x Y5)
Wed 27 th Sept:	Coffee Morning 8:50-9:20
Wed 27 th Sept:	Fitness Day
Fri 29 th Sept:	Big Draw
Thurs 5 th Oct:	Writers' Tea Party
Thurs 5 th Oct:	Y3 trip to Avebury
Fri 6 th Oct:	Y1 Trip to Seaquarium
Wed 11 th Oct:	School Photos
Fri 13 th Oct:	Y2 trip to @Bristol (<i>We are Curious</i>)
Thurs 19 th Oct:	Harvest Assemblies - parents of Y5 children invited to attend
Fri 20 th Oct:	End of Term 1
Mon 30 th Oct:	INSET DAY - school closed to children
Tues 31 st Oct	Term 2 starts for children
6 th - 9 th Nov:	Parents' Evenings (Y1-6)
Tues 7 th Nov:	RSPB workshops (YR/Y1/Y2)
Tues 7 th Nov:	Parents' coffee @ 2:50pm
13 th -17 th Nov:	Parliament Week
Wed 22 nd Nov:	Spanish tapas workshop Y5/6
Thurs 23 rd Nov:	Parents' Coffee 8:50
27 th Nov - 1 st Dec:	Road Safety Week
Tues 28 th Nov:	Y5/6 Betty Bus
Wed 6 th Dec:	CST Christmas Concert @ Colston Hall 8pm
Mon 11 th Dec:	Parents' coffee 2:50pm
Wed 20 th Dec:	Christmas Dinner and Christmas Jumper Day
	Last Day of Term for children
Thurs 21 st Dec:	INSET - End of Term 2