

Snapshots of the Week

Week: 23 November to 27 November 2020



This week...

Reading Champions

10 reading champions have been selected from able readers in KS2 who also display all our school values and have the natural skill to nurture reluctant readers in KS1. Considering the current COVID restrictions, our Reading Champions will not be able to go freely to their designated class. We will be thinking creatively about how best we can do this. e.g. virtual stories etc. We are incredibly proud of these reading role models and look forward to working with them to inspire a love of reading in the younger part of the school.

Reception

This week saw us welcome back reception. Firstly, we would like to thank all the parents for their incredible efforts during the self-isolation period, it was amazing to see all the fantastic learning which took place on Tapestry. This week saw us carry out our first phonic assessment, which demonstrated the amazing progress the children have made since starting reception. This week has also seen us focus on the idea of celebrations with a focus on birthdays, as we lead up to Christmas.

Year 3 'In the Shadows'

This week our Year 3 Learners have made an excellent start to the learning in our new 'In the Shadows' module. In Art, we've been learning about and drawing silhouettes. Shobhna Patel's beautiful pop up version of 'The Nutcracker' has provided us with opportunities to explore engaging vocabulary, consider the themes in the book and write a character description about the fierce-looking Mouse King! Our Science learning has given us the chance to discuss the effect of light and identify sources of light. The children have worked incredibly hard this week and their enthusiasm for the learning in this new module has really shone through.

Year 4 'Getting Switched On'

For the next few weeks we are looking at how they can build electrical circuits and develop their Design and Technology skills to create a product. In English, we are looking at non-fiction texts and how these are organised for the reader to access the information or facts that they require. In Maths, we have focused on multiplying and dividing by three and six using real life word problems.

Sports Ambassadors Video

A massive well done to all the Hebes bubble Sports Ambassadors as their first guided Dance video became available to all classes from Reception through to Key Stage 2 to enjoy this week. An upper body workout video from the Honeysuckle Sports Ambassadors will be available to all our BFS learners in the next few weeks.

PE Challenge

Next week will see the Key Stage PE challenges return. Key Stage 2 will be competing to see which class bubble team can complete a 5000m relay challenge the quickest. Key Stage 1 will be competing to see which class bubble can complete a 2000m relay challenge the quickest and our learners in EYFS will be rolling a tennis ball for accuracy!

Good luck everyone!

Christmas Tree

We are unbelievably grateful for the kind donation of a Christmas Tree from Canford Magna Garden Centre. They have also generously donated 2000 lights, we will look to have a grand switch on next week! We hope this brings some festive smiles to your faces.

We will update you all next week regarding Christmas Cards and Festivities.

Reminders for the first week back...

Drop off and Pick Up

Thank you for all your support in ensuring you keep socially distanced whilst you walk around our site. Please can we ask that whilst queueing for the gates in the morning that your child stays with you and does not group with friends.

Drop off will be 8.30am – 8.50am

Pick up will be 2.50pm – 3.15pm

PE Day

Please remember on your child's set PE day to send them in wearing their PE Kit.

RECEPTION – Wednesday

YEAR 1 – Monday

YEAR 2 – Thursday/Friday

YEAR 3 – Wednesday

YEAR 4 – Tuesday

December 2020						
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Red – Last Day of Term
1.30pm Pick Up or 3pm

Designated Safeguarding Leads

Rebecca Wood

Designated Safeguarding Lead

Lisa Thompson-Purvis

Designated Safeguarding Lead

Fiona Lord

Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead

Louise Graves

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