



Bellfield Infant School News

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Dear Parents & Carers

*Happiness and wonder
inspires success*

Next week will be half term and hopefully if the warm weather stays it will be an opportunity to enjoy the overdue sunshine. The children have worked so hard this past half term and really do deserve to relax and have some fun.

Nursery have made another visit to the outside learning area to really investigate what was there. Our last visit was to look at the trees and plants but this time the children had the opportunity to play the outside instruments, climb the trees, squelch in the mud and generally have a lovely time. This time they had wellies on so they could squelch in the mud as much as they liked and on our return to the nursery playground they washed their wellies with help from Mrs Jenkins.



Reception children have been experimenting with colours this week and discovering all the different shades of colours they can make by mixing different colours together. They have also been looking at the rhyming book, 'Oi Frog' and thinking of their own rhymes. This would explain when Mrs Simm popped into Reception she was greeted with, "Mrs Simm sits on a pin" by one of the children!

Year 1 have been measuring themselves using standard and non-standard measures. They have compared their measurements with one another. They have also designed and made a pair of new shoes for the giant in their story.



This week Year 2 have completed their assessments and their teachers are pleased with their result especially when you consider the disruptive year they have had. They have also been looking at the 'Quangle Wangle' poem by Edward Lear and have tried to think what a Quangle Wangle is.

Attendance this week (excluding Nursery)
was 93.68%

Class	Attendance %
Nursery	91.58%
RD	92.18%
RE	93.75%
1B	100%
1R	89.71%
2B	88.67%
2W	97.57%



**Well Done to Class 1B who achieved
100% attendance this week!**

Unfortunately, our Wrap Around care will not be re-opening for the foreseeable future as it is no longer financially viable. School is having to go down the re-structure and redundancy route which is a very drawn out process for all involved. COVID has changed things so drastically and this has impacted on the need for parents needing wrap around care.

Little Men and Misses Children's Day Nursery have taken our remaining children who still need this facility. They are on Bristol Road South just a few minutes walk from school and they drop off and collect from the Infant School.

Mr Miley is leaving us today as he has successfully gained another job in a completely different field. He first came to Bellfield Infants School as an agency sports provider and then came to work for us full time, where he has worked both as a Teaching Assistant and a sports coach. We wish him all the best in his new career.

We now have a vacancy on our Governing Body for a parent governor. If you are interested or know someone who you think would be good in this role, please fill in the nomination slip and return it to school. This is an important role as it gives the parents a representative on the Governing Body. We shall send these out with the children today.

Awards

Star of the Week

Nursery: - Grace

For super sound work and for trying hard to listen carefully.

Class RD: - Shahd

For always trying her best and making fantastic progress in her writing.

Class RE: - Jorja

For super sentence writing this week.

Class 1B: - Ivy

For her improved attitude towards her learning.

Class 1R: - Georgia

For her re-tell of 'Jim and the Beanstalk.'

Class 2B: - Nyiemah

For great progress in all subjects.

Class 2W: - Rayan Ab

For an all round, outstanding week.

Dates for your Diary

Mon 31st May 2021 - Fri 4th June 2021
Half Term - School Closed

Mon 07/06/21 - School re-opens

Mon 07/06/21 - Nursery Parent Consultation 1pm - 4pm

Tue 08/06/21 - Reception Parent Consultations 1pm - 4:30pm

Wed 09/06/21 - Reception Parent Consultations 1pm - 4:30pm

Mon 14/06/21 - Year 2 Parent Consultations 1pm - 4:30pm

Tue 15/06/21 - Year 2 Parent Consultations 1pm - 4:30pm

Wed 16/06/21 - Year 1 Parent Consultation 1pm - 4:30pm

Thur 17/06/21 Year 1 Parent Consultations 1pm - 4:30pm

Thursday 22nd July - Wed 1st September
Summer Holiday - School Closed

Thurs 02/09/21 - Staff Training - School Closed

Fri 03/09/21 - Staff Training - School Closed

Mon 06/09/21 - Autumn term begins



Bookworms



Lunchtime



Class RD: - Scarlett

Class RE: - Kian

Class 1B: - Jayden

Class 1R: - Timothy

Class 2B: - Danielle

Class 2W: - Elliott

