



Bramble's News



Being the best we can be

20th November 2020

Message from Mrs Gynn

I would like to start this week's newsletter with such a big thank you.

All of the sponsor money sent into school has now been counted.

Thanks to your fantastic efforts, an enormous total of:

£2,001.30

has been raised. Wow!



The Friends of St James have worked so hard organising the sponsored walk. The Committee now have the wonderful job of deciding how to spend the money in the best way to benefit all of your children. It is so exciting!

Thank you to all those involved.

All of Early Years have been learning about nursery rhymes. Poppy class have been so busy doing such a lot of different things; great making, drawing and so much more.

Daisy class have been performing nursery rhymes brilliantly. Super videos!

Sunflower class have developed their own rhyming strings - super writing.

We have welcomed Miss Bradley into school this week. She will be staying with us for the next couple of weeks, working with all of the children in Bluebell class and Miss Edwards.

It has been wonderful this week, to see Bluebell class being teachers! They have shown all of the adults just how much they have learnt, especially all of their phonic skills.

Buttercups have had their best math's heads on, when they created part, part, whole models in all sorts of ways.

Snowdrops have explored words - adding suffixes to the end of a root word, e.g. jump - jumping, jumped.

Dandelions showed some super ball skills as they learnt how to play dodge ball.

I really hope the children have been able to tell you all about it. If not yet, try asking them about their week.



Certificates have been awarded to:

Exploring
the World

Super
history,
geography or
religious
education
work

Oliver -
Daisy
Class

Express
Yourself

Wonderful
art, design
technology,
music or P.E.
work

Razvan -
Snowdrop
Class

Let's
Investigate

Fantastic
maths or
science work

Maja -
Dandelion
Class

World of
Words

Great
reading,
writing,
speaking and
listening or
drama work

Aroura -
Buttercup
Class

Being Your
Best

Jena -
Bluebell
Class

Wow!

Faith -
Sunflower
Class



We celebrated with:

Willow who is now 4!

Callum and Jax who are 5!

and Wyatt who is now 6!

Happy Birthday to you all!



**Look at how amazing our school was
last week:**



858 stories shared



1,696 skills celebrated

360 messages shared

100% positive feedback

**The value for
November:
Honesty**

What's Coming Up?

Non-uniform Day: 27.11.20



Art day: 30.11.20 - making Christmas!

Christmas jumper day: 11.12.20



Christmas Lunch: 15.12.20

Break up for Christmas / Non-uniform Day: 18.12.20

Spring term begins: 5.1.21



Cinematic Pantomime: 5.2.21

Head Lice

We have had a case of Head Lice reported in school. Please can all parents follow the instructions below. It is advice from NHS England on the best way to deal with a case:

1. Treat head lice as soon as you spot them.
2. You should check everyone in the house and start treating anyone who has head lice on the same day.
3. There's no need to keep your child off school if they have head lice.

What to do: Wet combing

*Lice and nits can be removed by wet combing. You should try this method first.

*You can buy a special fine-toothed comb (detection comb) online or from pharmacies to remove head lice and nits.

*wash hair with ordinary shampoo

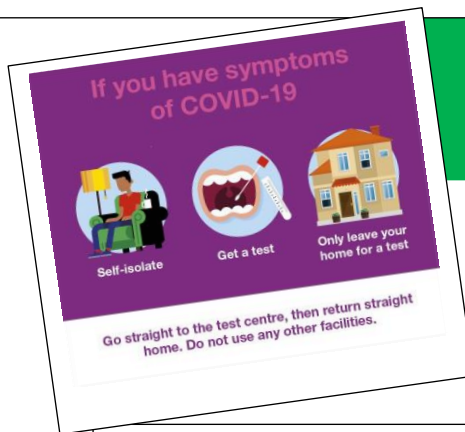
*apply lots of conditioner (any conditioner will do)

*comb the whole head of hair, from the roots to the ends.

It usually takes about 10 minutes to comb short hair, and 20 to 30 minutes for long, frizzy or curly hair.

*Do wet combing on days 1, 5, 9 and 13 to catch any newly hatched head lice.

Check again that everyone's hair is free of lice on day 17.



Reminders & Notices...



The deadline for school applications is: **5.00 p.m. on 15th January 2021**

We are unable to offer any more open events. If you know anyone who is needing a Pre-School or school place - PLEASE ASK THEM TO TAKE A LOOK AT OUR WEBSITE AND VIEW THE NEW VIDEO THAT WILL INTRODUCE THEM TO OUR SCHOOL - IT IS WORTH A LOOK!



Falconer's Hill Academy

are hosting open events for all year 2 children who will be transferring to junior school in September 2021

Thursday 3.12.20 & 10.12.20 at 4.15 - 4.45 p.m.

Friday 4.12.20 & 11.12.20 at 4.15 - 4.45 p.m.