



Weekly Newsletter

Autumn Term

Friday, 11th October 2019

Diary Dates

15th October
Start of English
language course
1—3pm

23rd October
PTA Pumpkin Party 3-
4pm in the playground

31st October
Closing date for
applications to
transfer to secondary
school in September
2020.



Keep collecting! We
just need a few
more to reach 300!

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We are very proud of our beautiful
writing and our incredible maths in
school this week. See more of our
fabulous work in “classroom news”.

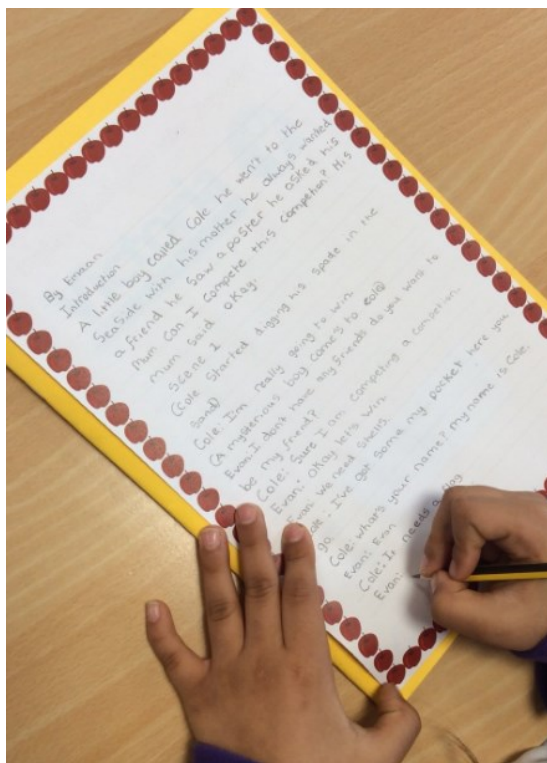
COLLECTION FROM SCHOOL

It is very important that the school exits
are kept clear at the end of the day so
that the children can be dismissed safely
to their adults. This especially applies to
the doors that year 5 and 6 leave from.
Will parents please stand below the
steps, on the playground and not crowd
around the doorway. This allows the
teachers to clearly see who is collecting
the children, which is a major part of our
safeguarding procedure. Thank you.

Enjoy the weekend!

H. Scargill

Principal



Thank you to our after school Lego
club for making these Hallowe'en
decorations for the office!

WEEKLY ATTENDANCE WINNERS

Teacher	Class	%
Miss Holmes	RA	98.0
Miss Gent	RB	89.0
Mrs Camozzi/Mrs Hill	1A	91.0
Mrs Quenby	1B	93.8
Mrs Giles	2A	95.9
Mr. Tyson	2B	87.7
Miss Williams	3A	98.2
Miss Cooper/Mrs Spencer	3B	98.6
Mrs Embling	4A	98.0
Miss Lees-Collier	4B	97.3
Miss Goodman	5A	98.0
Mr. Wolfe	5B	95.5
Miss Costanzo	6A	98.6
Mrs Wall	6B	99.3

KEY STAGE 1

★	1st place	Class RA
★	2nd place	Class -
★	3rd place	Class -

KEY STAGE 2

★	1st place	Class 6B
★	2nd place	Class 3B
★	=2nd place	Class 6A

WHOLE SCHOOL
WEEKLY AVERAGE

95.6%



HOUSE POINTS

House	Class	Points
Artists	RA, RB	1577 ★
Musicians	1A, 1B, 2A	799
Explorers	2A, 3A, 3B	1554
Scientists	4A, 4B, 6B	1470
Inventors	5A, 5B, 6A	948

This week's
house point
winners



Artists
Amazing!

Absence

If your child is not able to attend school, please telephone to let us know by 9.00am each morning of absence.

01933 223323

Medicines

Medicines prescribed by a doctor can be administered at school by a member of staff. The label with the child's name and dosage instructions must be intact and legible. An adult must bring in and collect the medication from the office.



Being late for school reduces learning time.

Please make sure your children are in school, on time, every day.

8.40am	There is staff supervision on the playground from this time. Please do not leave your child unattended until then.
8.45am	Whistle blows! Children come inside and go to their classroom. GATE CLOSES
8.50am	Registers are taken in the classroom
8.55am	Children move to their first lesson.

LATE REGISTER

MONDAY	16
TUESDAY	11
WEDNESDAY	16
THURSDAY	19
FRIDAY	18

= Over 6½ hours lost learning

We have had a worrying number of children arriving late to school this week. Children should be in the playground by 8.45am, so if they are signing in late at 8.50 for example, they are already 5 minutes late, and still have to get to class, hang up their coats and get prepared for their lesson. They will have missed registration and will be disturbing their classmates.

If each late mark = an average of 5 minutes late per child, there is a total of more than 6½ hours of lost learning time across the school this week.

Please make every effort to get to school on time.

Children who arrive late:

- ♦ miss starting the day with their peers and the beginning of lessons
- ♦ are often unsettled and confused about tasks
- ♦ disrupt the rest of the group.



It is very important that children establish good routines and habits in preparation for the rest of their lives. Punctuality is a life skill that they need to develop whilst they are young.

You should be aware that high levels of poor punctuality will now result in a referral to the Educational Entitlement Service which has a duty to investigate further. 10 or more incidents of late arrival at school could result in a fixed penalty fine of £120 or legal action being taken against you.

If your child has sickness and/or diarrhoea, please do not send them to school until they have been clear of the bug for 24 hours.

Diarrhoea and Vomiting

In adults and older children, diarrhoea and vomiting will usually get better on its own. Treatment consists of replacing the fluid that you have lost and resting the digestive system by having nothing to eat for 24 hours.

If you are concerned about babies or young children, the doctor will be happy to offer advice over the phone.

How long does a sickness bug last for?

Some people also have a slight fever, headaches, painful stomach cramps and aching limbs. The symptoms appear **one to two days** after you become infected and **typically last for up to two or three days.**

If symptoms continue after this, consult your GP.

FANTASTIC VICTASTIC AWARDS

Mrs Holmes	RA	Elianna Mata for her fantastic sorting during Maths and for explaining what she had done. Eric Owusu for his fantastic independent reading and writing this week in phonics.
Miss Gent	RB	Paulina Pryzplot for always following instructions, being ready to learn and always with a smile. Well done Paulina! Tanay Monya for his amazing effort in phonics showing great determination and for being such a caring and gentle influence to our class! Well done - so proud of you Tanay!
Mrs Camozzi/Mrs Hill	1A	Aleksandra Jabaji for her super maths work this week. Parker Lacey for his work using part whole models.
Mrs Quenby	1B	Chayce Moreton for showing respect to his peers and working well in a team . Victoria Patyk for her co-operation in the classroom and always trying her best .
Mrs Giles	2A	Jay Dave for fantastic writing in connected curriculum, showing resilience and perseverance. Kareema Ansary for fantastic art work making a face from different fruits.
Mr. Tyson	2B	Lucia Sanchez-Pawlowska for persevering with using her Fred Fingers when trying to spell new words in our Connected Curriculum writing. Darryl Wung for demonstrating an improved attitude towards learning .
Miss Williams	3A	Faiza Ahmed for her beautiful work in Literacy and Language. Mason Bibby for his accurate work on adding and subtracting in maths .
Miss Cooper Mrs Spencer	3B	Aurelia Mogila for consistent approach to her learning and always trying her best. Jacob Wasiluk for excellent listening skills and following instructions carefully .
Mrs Embling	4A	Icon Adjei for working hard on being kind and considerate Shabana Yasmeen for her super effort learning to use column addition and subtraction.
Miss Lees-Collier	4B	William Timpson for using creativity to create an incredible piece of jungle art. Poppy Rumsby for challenging herself when subtracting two four digit numbers.
Miss Goodman	5A	Sintija Stripina for showing enthusiasm and perseverance during our Fitter Future sessions. Andres Gombos for aspiring to use specific grammatical features in his writing.
Mr. Wolfe	5B	Xavier Glebecki for his excellent writing in Connected Curriculum. Zuzanna Radlo for asking interesting and relevant questions in Connected Curriculum .
Miss Costanzo	6A	Janet Omisore for perseverance during the mock SATs papers this week. Julia Wojciechowska for perseverance during the mock SATs papers this week.
Mrs Wall	6B	Nashe Takavadii for settling in really well to his new school and class. Takeiah Owusu-Ansah for always having a sunny disposition and trying hard in every lesson.



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Pumpkin Decorating Competition!

Bring your decorated pumpkin to school on
Wednesday 23 October for judging.

Entry only 50p

You could carve it, paint it, chuck glitter all
over it... so get creative and have a go!

All entries win a mini bug and the best pumpkin
wins a fabulous hamper!



Parentkind
Member Association





Please join us for our
Pumpkin Party!

Wednesday 23 October
3-4pm in the main playground

Treasure Hunt, Pumpkin decorating competition,
trick or treat goodie bags and more!



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Healthier lunchbox recipes

<https://www.nhs.uk/change4life/recipes/healthier-lunchboxes>

change
4 life



Creamy hummus dip with pitta bread and vegetable sticks recipe

Complete your lunchbox with:

Banana

Sugar-free jelly pot

Small bottle of water

Method

- 1 Put the **chickpeas**, **lemon juice**, **yoghurt**, **oil**, **spices** and **garlic** in a bowl.
- 2 Using a hand blender, mix together until smooth.
- 3 Serve with the **pitta bread** strips and **carrot** and **celery** sticks.

Hummus makes a great after-school snack. If you're using a shop-bought hummus, choose a reduced-fat version.

Ingredients

2 heaped tbsp tinned chickpeas

Juice of ½ lemon

1 tbsp low-fat Greek style yoghurt

1 tbsp olive oil

¼ tsp paprika (or to taste)

¼ tsp cumin (or to taste)

1 clove of garlic (peeled)

1 large wholemeal pitta bread, cut into strips

1 small carrot, cut into sticks

1 stick of celery, cut into sticks



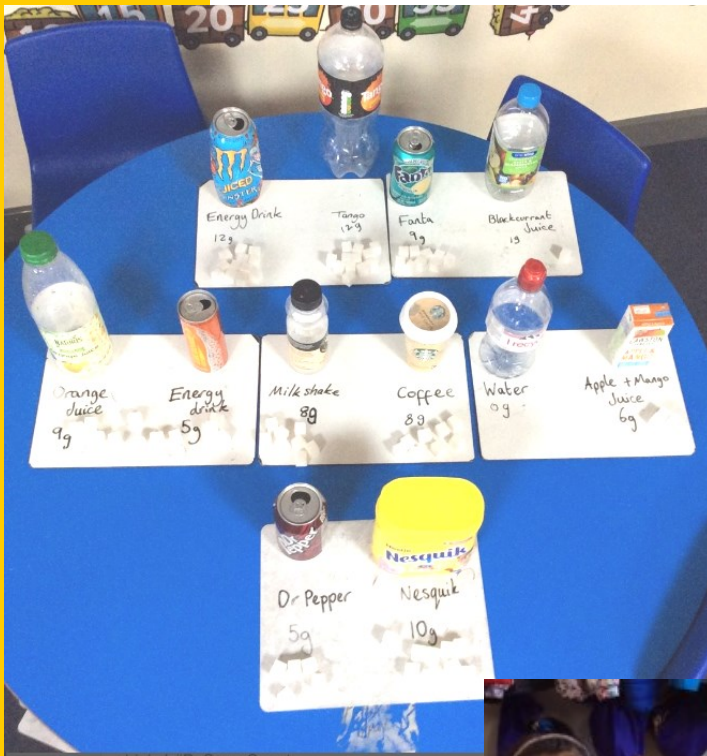
Ever green

Always add salad to sandwiches – it all counts towards your child's 5 A DAY.



Always add veg

Cherry tomatoes, or sticks of carrot, cucumber, celery and peppers all count towards their 5 A DAY. Adding a small pot of reduced-fat hummus or other dips may help with getting kids to eat vegetables.



In year 2's Healthy Afternoon we looked at the amount of sugar in different drinks. We also looked at the traffic light labels on our packaging. Each sugar cube represents 1 gram of sugar, and remember this only represents the amount of sugar per 100ml. We were very surprised to find out how much sugar is in some of our drinks! #BeSugarSmart

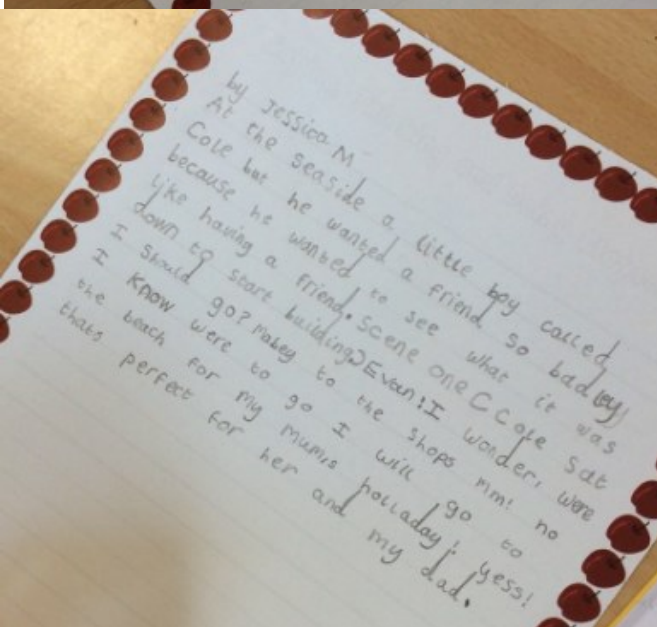
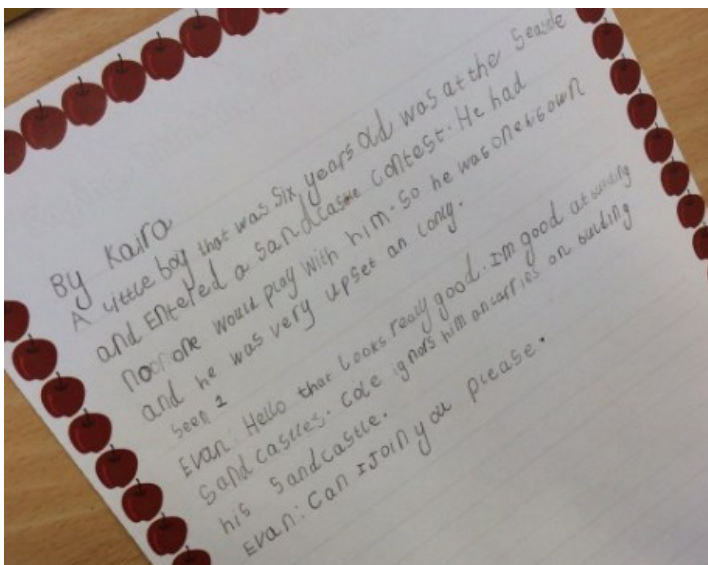


In year 1 for Healthy Afternoon, we thought about different food groups and coloured a plate to show the different food groups. We also designed menus and carried out a survey asking each other what our favourite fruits are.



In reception, we all went on our own leaf hunt around the school collecting leaves, signs of autumn as we go!

This is linked to our story book 'going on a leaf hunt' and our current topic of the season autumn.



Class 3A have been working hard on their 'beautiful work' to be proud of.

We have been using the part whole models in year one this week.



3B made switches for their electrical circuits. Without instructions to start with so we needed great investigation





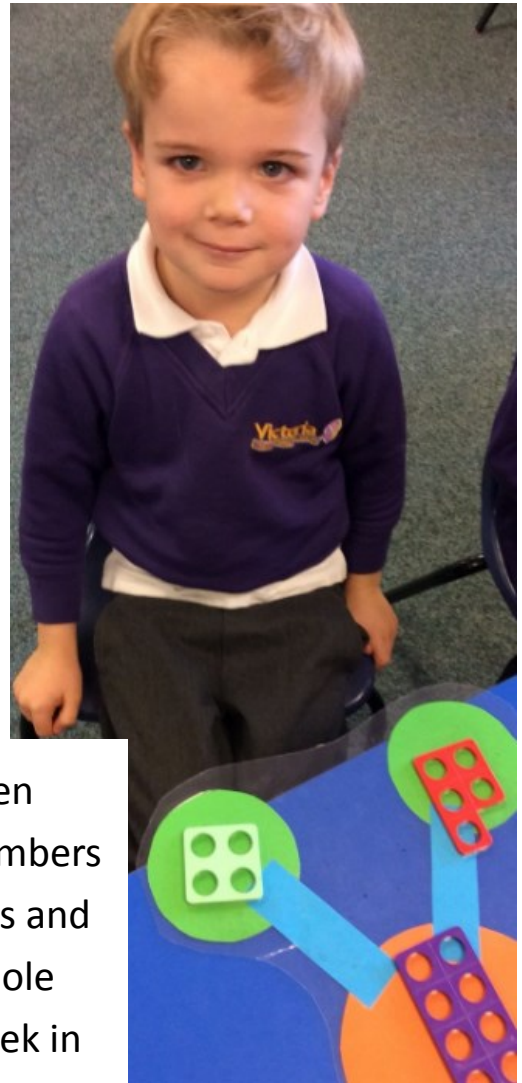
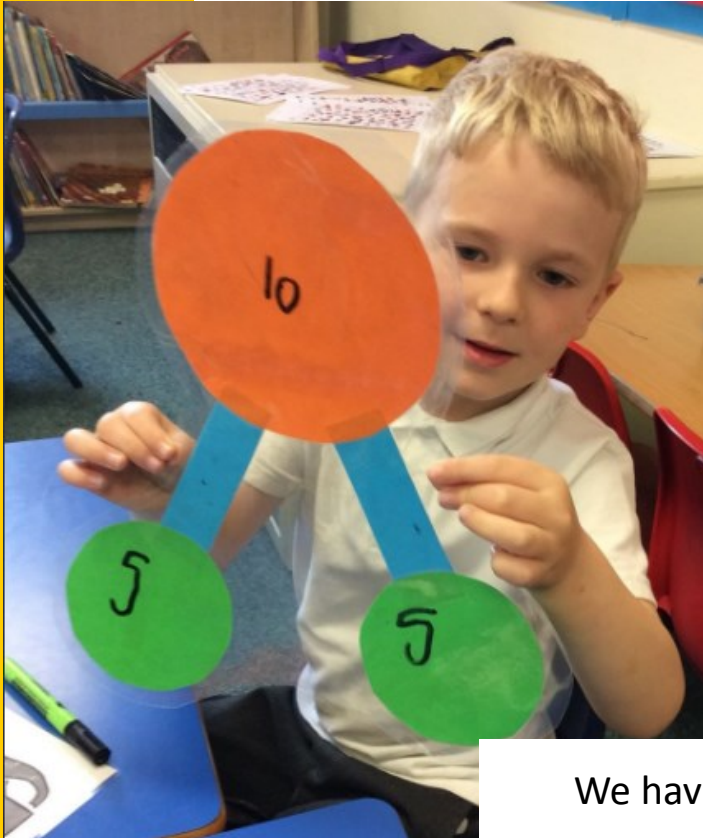
Year 3 enjoying some colourful PE and trying out different floor patterns.



Class 6B are working on a Diamond Nine activity for our Internet Safety session.



Year 5 are excited to try the clarinets for the first time today!

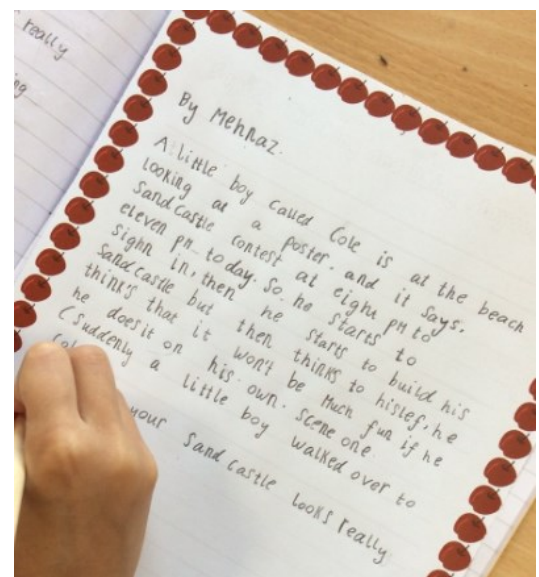


We have been representing numbers in different ways and using part whole models this week in year one





In Reception we have been exploring our number of the week, which is number 2!



Christmas has come early in year 4 as we begin rehearsals for our Christmas concert

More beautiful work from 3A

Parents and Carers, please come in to school and join us for your child's class assembly!

Tuesday	Key Stage 1	Key Stage 2
Class assemblies	10.00am	10.15am
Autumn Term		
24th September 2019	Class 2A	Class 6A
8th October 2019		Class 3A
19th November 2019		Class 6B
Spring Term		
28th January 2020	Class 1A	
4th February 2020	Class RA	
3rd March 2020	Class RB	
10th March 2020	Class 2B	Class 5A
Summer Term		
28th April 2020		Class 4B
5th May 2020		Class 3B
23rd June 2020		Class 5B
30th June 2020	Class 1B	Class 4B

PE Timetable—2019/20

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Hall	Year 2	Year 3	Year 1	Year 5	Year 6
MUGA	Year 2	Year 5	Year 6	Year 1	Year 3
Swimming	-	Year 4	-	-	-

Please make sure that your child has their full kit in school on the days they are scheduled to do PE.

It is a good idea for children to bring PE kit to school on Mondays and leave it in their classrooms until Friday, when they may take it home to be washed, bringing it back again on the Monday.

Year 4 children must bring in their swimming costume and towel every Tuesday morning until the Easter break.
Thank you.