



Victoria Primary Academy Weekly Newsletter

Autumn Term

Friday, 30th September 2022

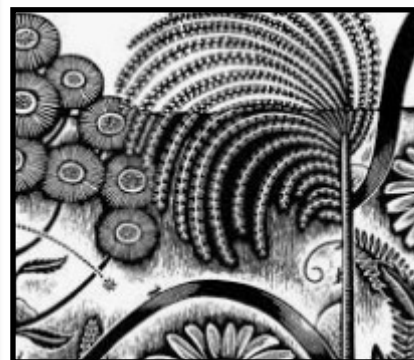
3/10 Year 3 trip

6/10 Space Day
lunch time



In the final lesson of the year 2 drawing and mark making unit they were inspired by the work of Beth Krommes.

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Thank you to the families and friends who came to support our sports days this week. We have been very fortunate that each

event has been able to go ahead without being rained off (apart from the very last few minutes today!) Well done to all the children did their best to do well for their houses.

Attendance and punctuality.

Good attendance and punctuality is important if children are to get the most out of their education. Children who are late miss out on important work at the start of the school day. Children who miss a lot of school obviously miss lessons and therefore do not make progress that they should. ***If you are having difficulty getting your child to school please speak to a member of the office staff for support.***

Enjoy your weekend

H. Scargill

Principal



Space
themed
lunch 6th
October



We are saying goodbye to Miss Nandi today who is leaving us to be able to spend more time with her family.

Miss Nandi joined Victoria in April 2015 and the children and staff are very sad to see her go.

We wish you all the best for the future, Miss Nandi.

Keep in touch!

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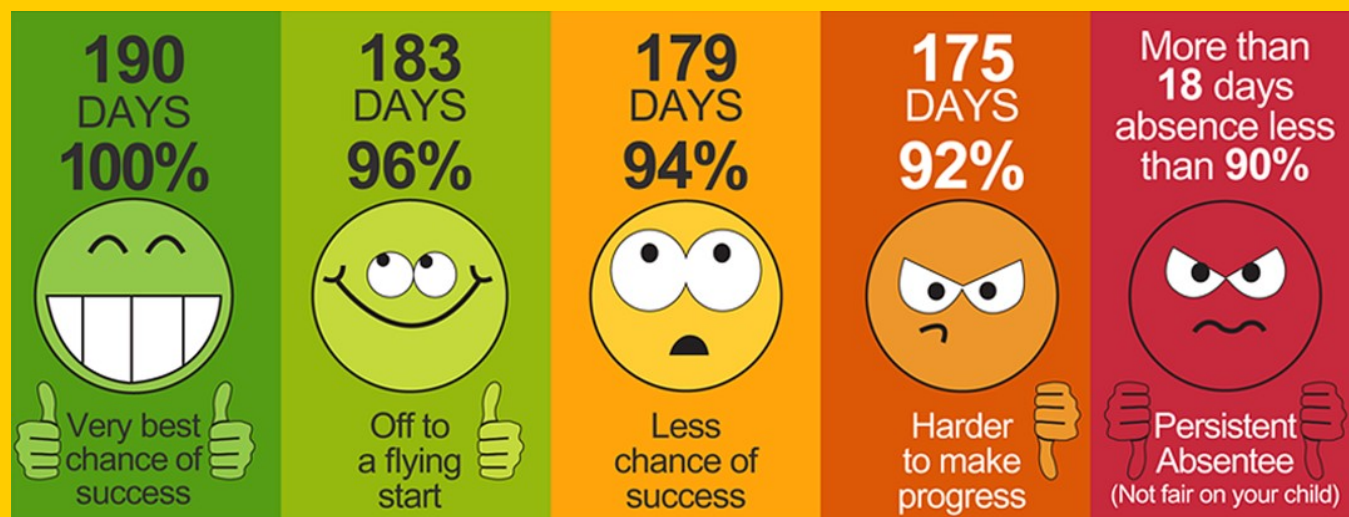
If your child is not able to attend school, please telephone to inform us by 9.00am or send a parent mail.

01933 223323.

The Education Entitlement Team at Northamptonshire County Council are aware of all unauthorised absence of more than 5 days, taken at one time or accumulated throughout the term, and you may be liable for a **fixed penalty fine or further action.**


COMMON AILMENTS	TIME OFF SCHOOL	TREATMENT
Headache	o days	Plenty of fluids and paracetamol at the beginning of the day.
Earache	o days	
Stomach ache	odays	
High Temperature unless over 38°	odays	Please let us know if your child feels slightly unwell and we can monitor throughout the day.
Coughs	o days	We will contact you if your child becomes too unwell to remain in school.
Colds	o days	
Sore Throat	o days	
Conjunctivitis	o days	Recommended treatment from pharmacist.
Head Lice	o days	

ATTENDANCE MATTERS



- **Regular school attendance** is an important part of giving your child the best possible start in life and is important to your child's future.
- Of the 365 days in a year, 190 days are in school and 175 days are non-school days to spend with family, friends, on holiday, shopping or appointments.
- **Our aim is to achieve 96%** attendance for our pupils which represents good attendance and is shown in the traffic light graph below.

TOP HOUSE THIS WEEK

HOUSE		WEEKLY POINTS	RUNNING TOTAL
Balmoral		1640	3415
Buckingham		1569	3460
Kensington		1308	3061
Osborne		1625	3454
Windsor		1489	3154

CLASS ATTENDANCE OF THE WEEK

Teacher	Class	%
Miss Holmes	RA	x
Mrs Hensman	RB	x
Miss Malpas	1A	97.1
Miss Smith	1B	92.4
Mrs Walmsley/Mrs Brindle	2A	98.3
Miss Seabridge	2B	97.9
Mrs Embling	3A	95.2
Miss Campbell	3B	94.5
Miss Slow	4A	92.1
Miss Gent/Mrs Reeves	4B	92.8
Mr Mephram	5A	95.7
Miss Husbands	5B	97.9
Miss Costanzo	6A	96.0
Mrs Richardson	6B	98.0

Top house of the week!

BUCKINGHAM

KEY STAGE 1

	Gold award	Class 2A
	Silver award	Class 2B
	Bronze award	Class 1A

KEY STAGE 2

	Gold award	Class 6B
	Silver award	Class 5B
	Bronze award	Class 6A

WHOLE SCHOOL WEEKLY AVERAGE



95.7

VICTASTIC CERTIFICATES AWARDED TO.....

Miss Holmes	Cooper Dawson or his fantastic investigation skills, independently working out what objects are magnetic and what objects are not . Sidra Islam for independently and quickly naming all of the phonics pictures we have looked at this week.
Mrs Hensman	George Stovold for his fantastic positive attitude to his learning. He has shown great enthusiasm in all areas. Isabella Martinca for her fantastic positive attitude to her learning. She has shown great enthusiasm in all areas.
Miss Malpas	Jacob Durrant-Maher and Deniel Deja for continuously following instructions and working exceptionally hard!
Miss Smith	Abbas Ahmadi for excellent behaviour and for showing all the school values. Kevin Pavelescu for fantastic work in Maths this week and for always challenging himself in lessons.
Mrs Walmsley	Silver Dajbabi for thinking carefully about our class story and could answering questions about the characters
Mrs Brindle	Dacey Roach for being a true friend and modelling how to speak to a partner.
Miss Seabridge	Kaenan Taylor for being a great role model for his class. Kaenan is always ready to learn and tries his best with all of his work. Maciej Wolniak for working hard in our history lessons this week. Maciej used the word raged in a sentence to describe the Great fire of London.
Mrs Embling	Ismaeel Ali for working extremely hard in all lessons to complete the work on time and to a great standard. Aiden Dajbabi for creating some great work in Art. He is drawing with great care and detail.
Miss Campbell	Gabriella McClaren for her super work throughout the curriculum and answering questions too. Gabriella is always prepared and ready to learn. Kierra Burgess for her super writing in History making predictions about Palaeolithic times.
Miss Slow	Nastia Cieniuch for her fantastic independent writing, in our English topic Journey this week! Alyssa Alexis for demonstrating brilliant classroom behaviours, being a great role model to her peers. Well Done!
Miss Gent	Makanaka Chiurunge for settling into school life at Victoria in a brand new class, already demonstrating our school's social norms and Victoria values brilliantly!
Mrs Reeves	Sarah-Janelle Tetteh for her contributions in class this week, and her writing in English this week so far. Keep up the good work Sarah-Janelle!
Mr Mephram	Nimra Butt for her superb independent writing. Tristan Mierins for his outstanding effort in his independent writing.
Miss Husbands	Kenzie Robertson for demonstrated all the school values. Tone Loasby-Rice for persevering with his handwriting and producing a lovely English write.
Miss	Kaira Newby for her perseverance in maths. Ruby Cooper for her enthusiasm in English.
Mrs Richardson	Natalia Gierej for an amazing effort with reading and recording what she has read. Mustafa Ali for sharing excellent thoughts and ideas in history.



Recycling Week

Why Is It Important to Recycle?



Recycling reduces pollution.



Recycling reduces landfill.



Recycling saves energy.



Recycling saves resources.

In assemblies this week we have been talking about recycling.

Why is it important? Do we have a responsibility to do it?

These are big questions and ones which affect our lives daily.

Word of the week

Responsibility

the state or fact of having a duty to deal with something or of having control over someone. To be held accountable for something.

It is a noun.



This is a word that the children are taught about and is one of our school values. See if you can use this word with your child this week. What do they understand by it?

What does responsibility mean to you?



Jokes of the week

"Where do frogs keep their money?"

"In river banks!"

Hafiz, Class 5B



"What did the egg say to the doctor?"

"You crack me up!!"

Omi, Class 2A



"Where do pirates do their shopping?"

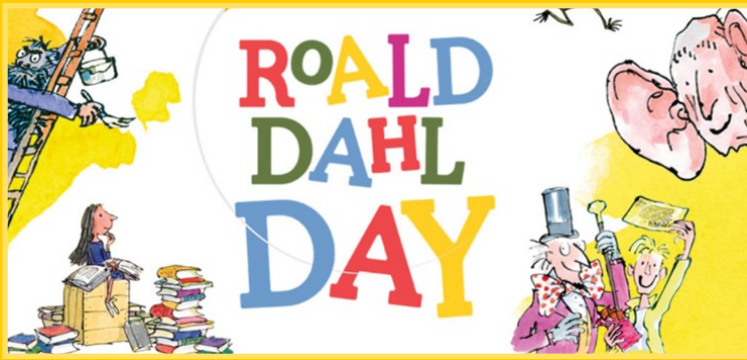
~"Aaargos!"

Chelston, Class 5A

"What happened in the race between the lettuce and the tomato?"

"The lettuce was "a head" and the tomato was trying to "ketchup!"






COMPETITION WINNERS

My Book Review

Title: BFG - Roald Dahl

Author: Sahasra Tummala 2A

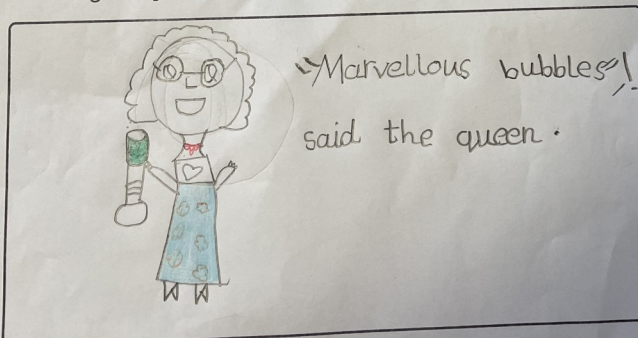
Did you like the book? 

Rate the book by colouring in the stars.

What was your favourite part?

When the maid opened the window the queen was surprised to see the girl from her dream.


Draw your favourite scene from the book.



My Book Review AADYA . T 2B

Title: Matilda

Author: Roald Dahl

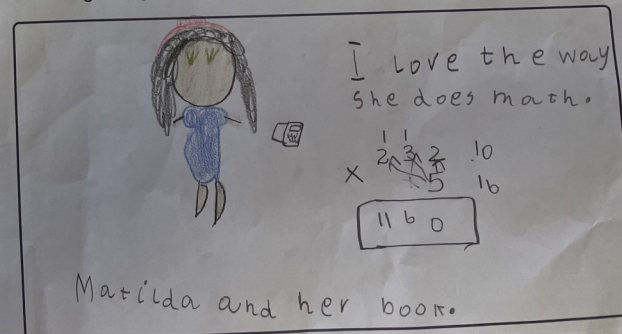
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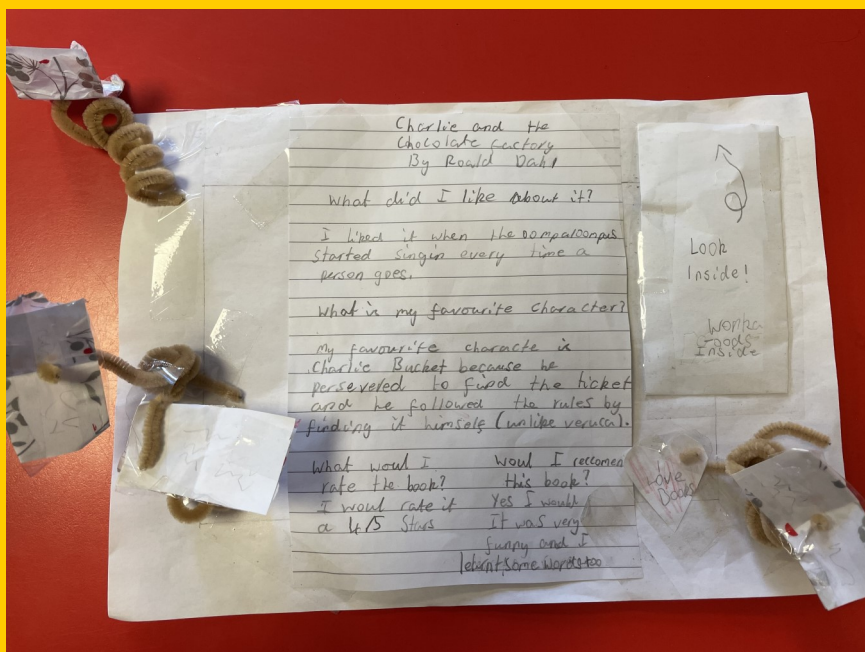
Matilda finally got to live with Miss Honey after her parents went on a long holiday ever after.

Draw your favourite scene from the book.



Sahasra Tummala and
Aayda Tummala
Class 2A and 2B

Lacey Genge
Class 6B



NOTICEBOARD



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Remember, for all children in YR, Y1 and Y2 all lunches are free!

PLUS! WIN PRIZES, PRIZES, PRIZES!

The class with the most lunches booked on 6th October will win a new wet play game for their classroom.

There will be 3 winning classes picked from years 1 and 2, years 3 and 4 and years 5 and 6.

Order today and give your class a chance of winning!

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Congratulations to:

Key stage 1 winners—**Sahasra and Aayda**
Class 2A and 2B

Key stage 2 winner—**Lacey** Class 6B

Class 2A and 2B

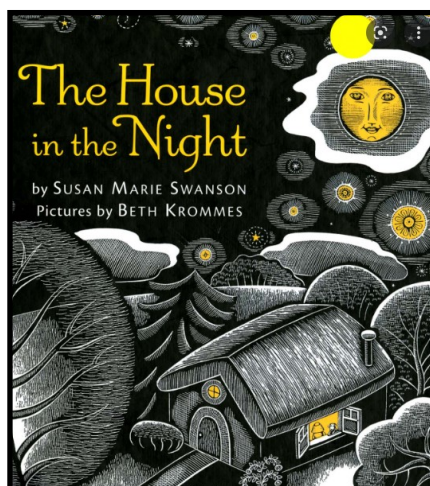
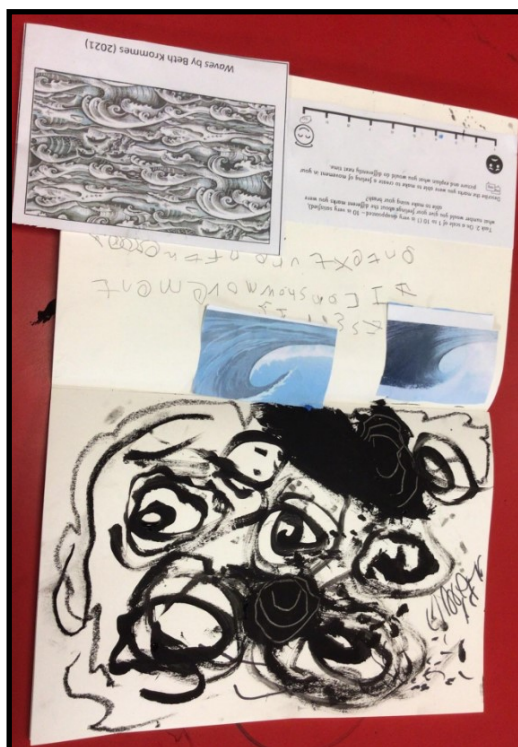
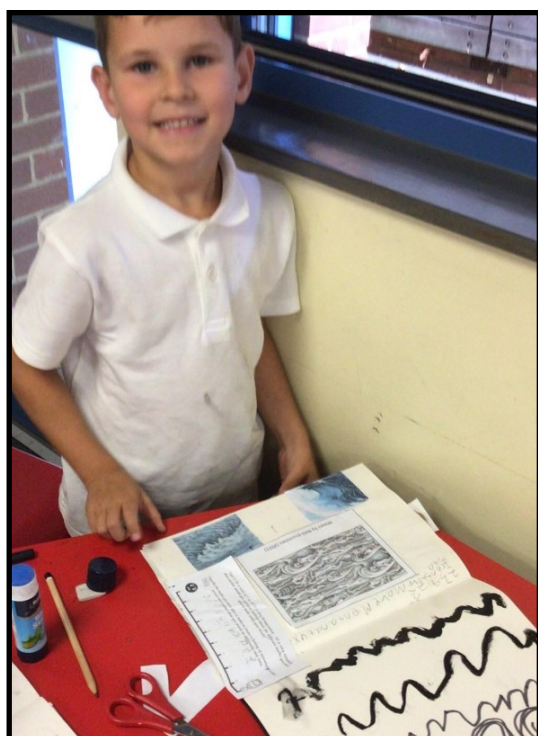
Key stage 2 winner—Lacey Class 6B

A collection of Roald Dahl books. On the left is a large box set titled 'ROALD DAHL COLLECTION' in bold, stylized letters. The box features a yellow background with a purple top and a small illustration of a girl reading. To the right of the box set are several individual books standing upright. The spines of the books are color-coded and feature illustrations of characters from the stories. The titles visible on the spines include 'THE BFG', 'CHARLIE AND THE CHOCOLATE FACTORY', 'MATILDA', 'THE WESLEY BEAN', 'THE GIRL ON THE TRAIN', 'THE GIRL WHO SWAM FROM JAPAN', 'THE GIRL WHO LIVED IN THE BOAT', 'THE GIRL WHO SWAM FROM JAPAN', 'THE GIRL WHO LIVED IN THE BOAT', 'THE GIRL WHO SWAM FROM JAPAN', and 'THE GIRL WHO LIVED IN THE BOAT'. The books are arranged in a slightly overlapping manner, showing their colorful spines.

The winners have
received a full 15
book Roald Dahl
box set!!

CLASSROOM NEWS

In the final lesson of our drawing and mark making unit we were inspired by the work of American illustrator, Beth Krommes. The children had to use multi media to show the texture and movement of the sea. We listened to a piece of music called Fingle's cave and discussed images of the sea. We had to select our marks very carefully. The sketch books are genuinely beautiful.



THIS WEEK'S SPORTING CHAMPIONS

1A

Year 1 sports day 100m sprint winners:-

Jacob Durrant-Maher

Dylan Adjaikeze

1B

Elisha Sahue

Sophia Dumitru

Denial Deja

2A

Year 2 sports day 100m sprint winners:-

Weronika Mielniczuk

Marley Simpson

2B

Kayson Monroe

Omari Monroe

Happy Mahara

3A

Natan Buda for always being enthusiastic in P.E.

3B

Daisy-Mai Mackellar for facing her fear on the balance board in PE.

4A

Alice Raines for showing great improvement in swimming! Keep up the good work Alice!

4B

Aiden Dube for concentration skills in Dance this week, learning the next sequence of our routine in unison with his peers. Well Done Aiden!

5A

Sharnee Burton for her perseverance during sports day and continuing to take part even after a nasty fall.

5B

Jake Holland for showing excellent sportsmanship during sports day.

6A

Olivia Grzesiak for supporting others during sports day.

6B

Rares Iamandii for his enthusiasm for all sporting activities.

After school Club Activities

Monday Gardening	Tuesday Craft	Wednesday Table Tennis	Thursday Construction	Friday Cinema
Bank Holiday	String wrapped Mummy		Town	Chill out Scooby-Doo!
Tidying up the Environmental area	Handprint black Cat		Animals	Scooby-Doo and the Alien Invaders
Planting Daffodils	Paper plate Bat		Amusement Park	The Little Vampire
Halloween decorations	Paper plate Witch		Monsters	Scared Shrekless
Putting up decorations	Halloween decorations		Free build	Pooh's Heffalump Halloween movie

Tuesday	Football Key Stage 2	3.15—4.30pm
Thursday	Multi-skills Key Stage 1	3.15—4.30pm

Clubs started week beginning **Tuesday 20th Sept** until **Thursday 20th October** at a total cost of **£12.50** for 5 weeks.

Please send your completed form to the office.

Limited spaces available! PLEASE DO NOT ASSUME YOUR CHILD HAS A SPACE.

Once your child has been allocated a space you will be sent a payment notice on ParentMail to make payment. This will need to be paid within 2 days. If you are struggling with this, please pop in to the office for us to help. We do not want your child to miss out on a club.