



Victoria Primary Academy Weekly Newsletter

Autumn Term

Friday, 7th October 2022

18/10 Parent consultations
3.30—6pm

20/10 Parent consultations
5.30—8pm



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In their science lesson, year 2 have been looking for species that live in our local area.

They visited the environmental area and made a tally of each species.

The children felt like investigators with their clipboards.

It was very exciting.



Appointments for **Parent Consultations** will go live for you to book from 7pm today on Parent Mail.

You should receive an email to alert you to the bookings being open.

Please check Parent Mail from 7pm.

Appointments are for:-

Tuesday, 18th October, 3.30—6pm

Thursday 20th October, 5.30—8pm

The children thoroughly enjoyed the Space Menu on Thursday this week.

The lunch serving area was decorated with planet, rocket and astronaut balloons, posters and shining stars. Each of the children who had booked a lunch received a space sticker.

Several children new to school lunches have asked to book again on a regular basis.

Enjoy your weekend!

H. Scargill

Principal



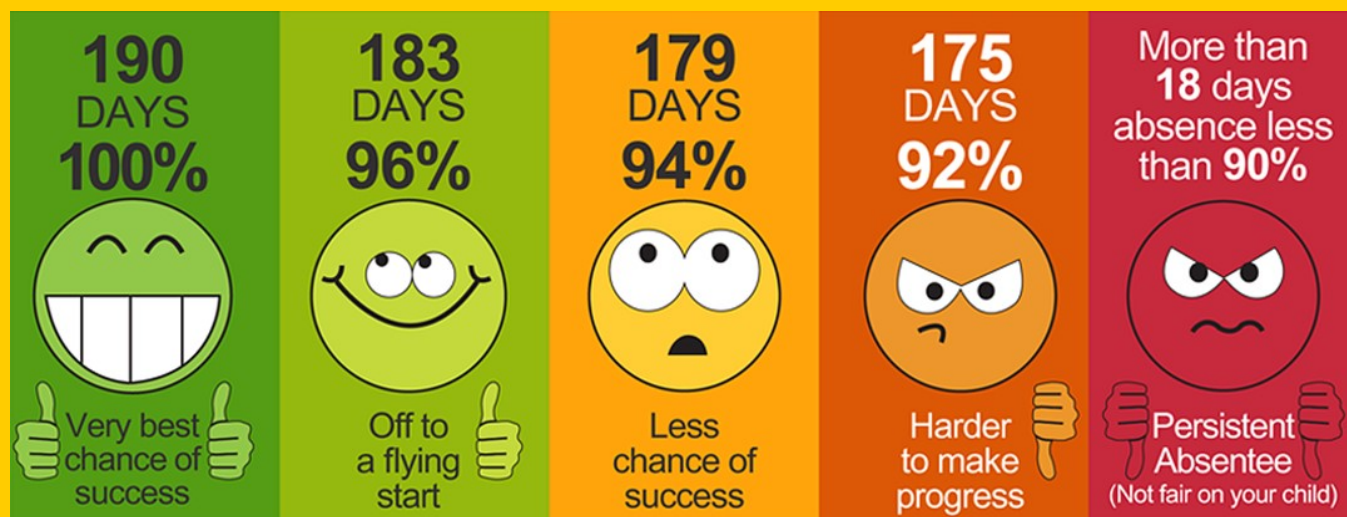
If your child is not able to attend school, please telephone to inform us by 9.00am or send a parent mail.

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	o days	
High Temperature unless over 38°	o days	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	1850	5265
Buckingham	1730	5190
Kensington	1420	4481
Osborne	 1852	5306
Windsor	1722	4876



CLASS ATTENDANCE OF THE WEEK

Teacher	Class	%
Miss Holmes	RA	94.2
Mrs. Hensman	RB	92.4
Miss Malpas	1A	93.1
Miss Smith	1B	87.9
Mrs. Walmsley/Mrs. Brindle	2A	98.0
Miss Seabridge	2B	96.1
Mrs. Embling	3A	94.5
Miss Campbell	3B	97.3
Miss Slow	4A	95.3
Miss Gent/Mrs. Reeves	4B	93.9
Mr. Mephram	5A	95.3
Miss Husbands	5B	96.7
Miss Costanzo	6A	98.0
Mrs. Richardson	6B	93.7

Top house of the week!

OSBORNE

KEY STAGE 1

	Gold award	Class 2A
	Silver award	Class 2B

KEY STAGE 2

	Gold award	Class 6A
	Silver award	Class 3B
	Bronze award	Class 5B

WHOLE SCHOOL WEEKLY AVERAGE



95.0%

VICTASTIC CERTIFICATES AWARDED TO.....

Miss Holmes

Benjie Allan for his excellent matching this week in Maths. Benji can confidently say when objects match and when they do not match and can justify his answers by using the vocabulary same and not the same.

Mia Devgut for her fantastic effect this week in phonics. Mia knows all of the sounds we have looked at so far and is able to write them independently!

Mrs Hensman

Anastasia Stravachi and **Harnimrat Kaur** for settling so well and having a brilliant first week of school.

Miss Malpas

Olivia Laporata- Olivia is new to school this year and has settled in beautifully. She works well with all of her peers, tries hard at everything that she does and is a super role model for the children.

Ayyan Abbas- Ayyan is coming in with a super smiley face and is really settled. He is also trying really hard, particularly in Maths!

Miss Smith

Zofia Fiuk for fantastic work in Maths and for always challenging herself.

Adrian Najwer for brilliant work in phonics and for showing fantastic listening.

Mrs Walmsley

Happy Mahara for working hard in all of your work. You have shown fantastic effort in your writing and you are sharing your great ideas with the rest of the class. Well done Happy!

Mrs Brindle

Emilija Donska for producing a wonderful piece of writing in phonics. You have written your ideas beautifully and tried your best. Well done Emilija.

Miss Seabridge

Justin Savu – Justin has worked independently in phonics to spell green words using his Fred fingers and he has been an excellent partner, taking turns to read the story green words.

Kayson Monroe – Kayson blew me away this week in phonics with his excellent letter writing and with his Fred in his head. Kayson worked hard to make sure his letter was engaging and exciting.

Mrs Embling

Kornelia Bijak for her good explanations about physical and human features.

Henry Kingston for working hard writing a poem about Autumn.

Miss Campbell

Emmanuel Enigboken for his super Maths work comparing 3 digit numbers.

Elza Fibiga for her super Maths work comparing 3 digit numbers.

Miss Slow

Shamari Puckering-Hermas for his efforts in swimming this week! Well Done Shamari

Albert Dorofte for his fantastic attitude to all areas of his learning, consistently demonstrating the Victoria Values!

Miss Gent

Gloria Pop for her efforts in Geography this week! Keep up the good work Gloria!

Mrs Reeves

Isabel-Maria Romila for her produced piece of Geography work understanding physical and human features.

Mr Mephram

Zuha Abbas for her fabulous homework and start towards her own knowledge organiser.

Mati Barchan for his excellent book review as part of his homework.

Miss Husbands

Shruti Ghimire for always approaching everything she does with a positive attitude.

Sofia Partene for having an amazing first week at Victoria.

Miss Costanzo

Adam Peach for fabulous work in history

Naimah Miah for fantastic editing of her writing

Mrs

Bihter Hasan for excellent demonstration of skills in DT.

Richardson

Jaxon Moore for brilliant focus and working supportively on his table.

Word of the week

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?

Tolerance

The ability or willingness to tolerate the existence of opinions or behaviour that one dislikes or disagree with.

It is a noun.

It is from Latin tolerate, tolerantia and late Middle English meaning the action to bear hardship or the ability to bear pain and hardship.

What does
tolerance
mean to you?



Jokes of the week

“What did one mouse say to the other mouse?”

“Mice to meet you!”

Why don't they play poker in the jungle?

Too many cheetahs.



Why did the frog take the bus to work today?

His car got toad away.



“Why did the tiger not eat the Joker?”

“Because he would taste funny.”

Omi, Class 2A





In assemblies this week we have been talking about Black History Month and why we have it?

Since 1987 in the UK we have marked Black History Month as an opportunity to celebrate, learn and value the significant role African and Caribbean people have had in the UK, and to explore black heritage and culture.

We are looking at past and recent history and seeing how the contributions of African and Caribbean people have often been distorted, overlooked and even ignored.



Can you make an A4 size poster about a black person past or present who has inspired you?

It does not have to be someone famous, it can be someone from your family or a friend.

There will be 2 overall winners.

Winners will receive a book.

All entrants will receive a Victastic Point, a pencil and sticker.

The best of the poster will be displayed in a display folder in the library for all to see and read.

Deadline: Thursday 20th October

We want to hear from you!

If you have stories about inspirational people, artefacts, family trees, languages, food - anything you wish to share about black culture and heritage -then make a small film, take a photo or message about it on Class Dojo to your child's class teacher.

We would love to hear from you – share your histories and heritages and we can learn more about some of the families we have at Victoria Primary School.





Click on the handle below to see details on school life, class topics, news and updates.

@vicpriaca

NOTICEBOARD



You can find us on Facebook on @VictoriaPrimary Academy



PARENT CONSULTATIONS

Appointments are for:-

Tuesday, 18th October, 3.30—6pm

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Bookings go live on Parent Mail from 7.00pm this

NO PARKING ON SCHOOL SITE

A quick reminder, especially for our new parents, that there is no parking allowed on site. Please find safe street parking and walk your children into the school grounds. Thank you.

GARDENING CLUB



"This week in the gardening club children enjoyed planting daffodils. We worked together to choose the right spot, dig the holes, plant bulbs and top them with the compost. We had so much fun and we can't wait to see our beautiful flowers growing in spring."

Mrs Worosz



THIS WEEK'S SPORTING CHAMPIONS

1A

Kamari Edwards- Kamari is new to school and has shown great excitement in PE. He has listened and has worked well as a team with his peers.

1B

Jacqueline Milos for really trying her best when practising the 100m sprint.

2A

Tanya Hewage who has worked very hard in PE this week. I noticed you working well in your team and trying your best. Well done Tanya.

2B

Liliana Sitko – Liliana was excellent this week in PE. She was enthusiastic and encouraged her peers in the team game.

3A

Dominic Simpson who has shown that he has an excellent sense of rhythm.

3B

Lovia Manu Baiden for showing great sportsmanship during our Sports Day.

4A

Sanskruti Joshi for showing the Victoria value of perseverance this week in swimming! Keep going Sanskruti!

4B

Freddie Foster-Stone, Erika Koncz, David Dragomir, Asim Rokab, Aiden Dube for demonstrating fantastic team work in dance. Well Done!

5A

Salman Islam for his sportsmanship during PE, and helping other to succeed by being a superb partner.

5B

Oliver Nowak for always putting 100% into every activity.

6A

Alenei Deja for outstanding effort on Sports Day.

6B

Ruby Maple for outstanding effort on Sports Day.

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.

All clubs are now full—we will be rebooking new clubs after half term.