

VICTORIA PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

"Together we aim for the stars"

2nd October 2015

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HEADTEACHER'S THOUGHTS THIS WEEK

Dear Parents,

As a staff we have been looking very carefully at our school vision to ensure that it really encapsulates the high expectations we have for our children, in all areas of their development. As a result of our discussion, we can confirm that our revised vision statement is: "Our Vision is to work together so that everyone at Victoria Primary will be happy, caring and confident individuals who have a love of learning and achieve personal success"

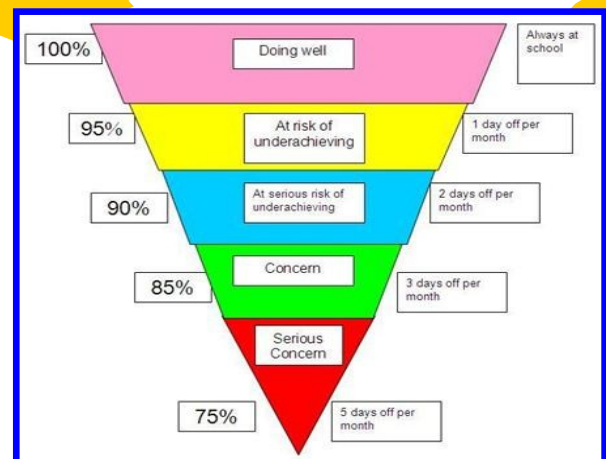
We appreciate your continued commitment in working together to make this vision a reality for our children.

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ATTENDANCE

Below is a pictorial reminder to parents on how important it is for children to attend school everyday. We would like to thank you for your continued support in this area.

School attendance for this week was **96.7%**. A special well done to Classes 9 and 15 who had the highest attendance with **99.6%**. **WELL DONE!**



STAR OF THE WEEK

Reception	Amira Saadi	Luke Morgan	
Y1	Zachary Wildin	Dexter Clifford	Benjamin Wright
Y2	Seren Stagg	Olivier Puchta	
Y3	Katie-Leigh Large	Alfie Gore	
Y4	Darcey Thomas	Zach Gilbert	Hannah Jeffreys
Y5/6	Reuben McLellan-Morgan	John Bryant	Summer Phillips-Boyes
	Gracie-Mae Jennings Slater		



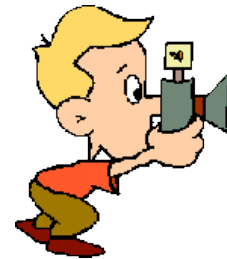
Nursery—Pyjama Day

As part of their 'When I Fall Asleep' topic, the Nursey children and staff came to school dressed in their pyjamas and had a wonderful session discussing their bedtime routines and finding out what happens when they fall asleep.....



School Photographs

On Tuesday 6th October, the photographer will be visiting school to take individual and sibling photographs. If you wish your pre-school family children to be included in the photograph, this will need to be done before the cut off time of 09.30 am. School age siblings will be photographed together during the school day.



Y1/ Y2—Visit to Technquest

On Tuesday, Year 1 and Year 2 visited Technquest to support their learning. They had a wonderful time exploring and experimenting!



Are you strong enough to lift a teacher?



Calendar 2015/2016

Autumn Term

School Photographer in

Y3/4 trip to Caerleon

PTA Quiz Night

Parent Consultation Meetings

Harvest Assembly (Please donate dried food items)

Half Term

Staff Training Day (School closed to all pupils)

Christmas Fayre

Breakfast with Santa

Last Day of Term

Spring Term

First Day of Term

Half Term

Staff Training Day (School closed to all pupils)

World Book day (Costumes required)

Last Day of Term

Summer Term

First Day of Term

Staff Training Day (School closed to all pupils)

Half Term

Summer Fayre

Tuesday 6th October

Friday 16th October

Friday 16th October

Monday 19th and Thursday 22nd October

Thursday 22nd October

Monday 26th October to Friday 30th Oct

Monday 2nd November

Wednesday 25th November

Saturday 5th December

Friday 18th December

Monday 4th January

Monday 15th to Friday 19th February

Monday 22nd February

Thursday 3rd March

Thursday 24th March

Monday 11th April

Monday 25th April

Monday 30th May to Friday 3rd June

Saturday 2nd July

Harvest

On Thursday 22nd October, the children will be visiting the Tabernacle Church for their Harvest Festival. Once again, we would like to contribute to the food bank that the church organises, and we would appreciate it if every family could donate a dried food item.

In order to create a display of the food items, we would like the items to be sent in to school as soon as possible.

Thank you for your generosity.



Reminders

A minority of parents have been parking on the zigzag markings, when dropping their children off in the mornings. As you can appreciate this is very dangerous and could easily result in a serious accident. Therefore, we would like to inform you that if this continues, we will pass on registration numbers to the local police. We thank you for your support in ensuring our children's safety at all times.

