

VICTORIA PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

"Together we aim for the stars"

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HEADTEACHER'S THOUGHTS THIS WEEK

Dear Parents,

This term is very busy and seems to be flying by! Please ensure that you regularly look at the diary dates page to note any new events. Recently, I have noticed that the children are increasingly concerned about Global warming. Whilst their interest and concerns are admirable, it is important that they do not become overly worried or upset about the issue. I have included a link to a parent pack, entitled Exploring Climate Change, which will hopefully support parents in empowering our young people to make a change. I would be interested to hear your thoughts on the pack.

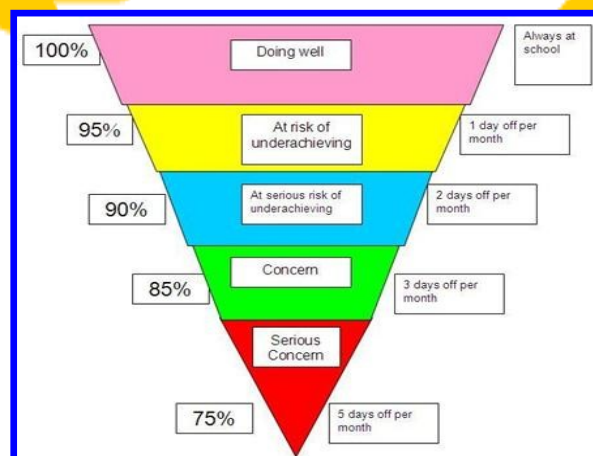
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Have a lovely weekend,
Mrs Daniels

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 95%. A special well done to Class 1B who had the highest attendance with 99%. WELL DONE!



Allergies

We currently have a number of children in school who have potentially life threatening food allergies.

For this reason, we would like to politely remind you that we are a nut free school. No nuts or nut based products should be brought into school or included in packed lunches.

Thank you for your support in this matter.



STAR OF THE WEEK



Reception

Tyler Lingham Harry Cahill

Y1

Sophia-Rose Spear Emily Egglestone Oliver Twining

Y2

Jacob Sanders-Jones Idris Evans

Y3

Jake Hooper Jack Harding Isabel Lewis

Y4

Grace Williams Lily Richards

Y5

Scarlett Bowerman Theo Ekermawi

Y6

Alice Bennett Gracie Jones Jack Carradice

Reception Immersion Day

Reception had lots of fun sorting their cuddly toys and sharing their favourite bedtime stories. They loved having the classroom filled with blankets, cushions and fairy lights to make it feel cosy and magical.



Chinese New Year

Reception children have had a lovely time this week learning about Chinese New Year.



Year 6 Cycling Proficiency



We would like to congratulate those Year 6 children who over the last two weeks have braved the weather conditions and completed their cycling proficiency course, achieving National Standards level 1 and 2.



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This course is designed to develop road sense, awareness of traffic dangers and to improve children's ability to ride safely on the road. During the course the children were taught a number of basic manoeuvres the playground and then on the public highway.



We would like to say a very big thank you, to those parents who came into school, during a couple of very cold and wet weeks to help during the cycling sessions. Without the continued support of volunteers it would not be possible to provide this cycling proficiency training course.



Calendar 2019/2020

KS2 Reading Workshop
Y2 Immersion day (costume needed)
Y4/Y6 Techniquet Workshops
FP Numeracy workshop
Y2 film event
Y2 cake Sale
PTA Quiz Night
Curriculum Workshop

Thurs 30th January
Friday 31st January
Fri 31st January
Tues 4th February
Friday 7th February
Fri 7th February
Fri 7th February
Tuesday 11th February

INSET—school closed to pupils

Friday 14th February

Half Term

Mon 17th Feb—Fri 21st Feb

Sponsored Bounce
Eisteddfod Celebrations
World Book Day
Y1 cake sale
Parent Consultation Meetings

Fri 28th February
Mon 2nd March
Thurs 5th March
Fri 6th March
Mon 9th March
Weds 11th March
Tuesday 10th March
Tues 17th - Weds 18th March
Thurs 19th—Fri 20th March
Mon 23 March—Fri 27 March
Tuesday 24th March
Weds 25th March
Friday 27th March
Mon 30th March
Fri 3rd April

Y6 Lifeboat trip
Y6 Magistrates in the community
Mother's Day Secret Room
Whole School STEM Week
Y2 trip to Bryngarw
Y5 Harry Potter Trip
Y3 Bristol Zoo Trip
Class Photos
Last day of Spring Term

INSET—school closed to pupils

Friday 22nd May

INSET—school closed to pupils
(Additional day to implement new Curriculum for Wales)

Friday 26th June

INSET—school closed to pupils

Monday 20th July

