

VICTORIA PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

"Together we aim for the stars"

14th October 2022

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HEADTEACHER'S THOUGHTS THIS WEEK

Dear Parents,

Thank you to all who attended the Learning journal day and to those of you who have completed the Google Form. We will be holding these events termly, so your feedback is invaluable.

Wear Red Day will take place on Friday 21st October and Victoria school is stating loud and proud, through celebration, that we are committed anti-racists with a vision of a better society.

We aim to **CHANGE HEARTS. CHANGE MINDS. CHANGE LIVES.** Please wear red on Friday 21st October to show your support.

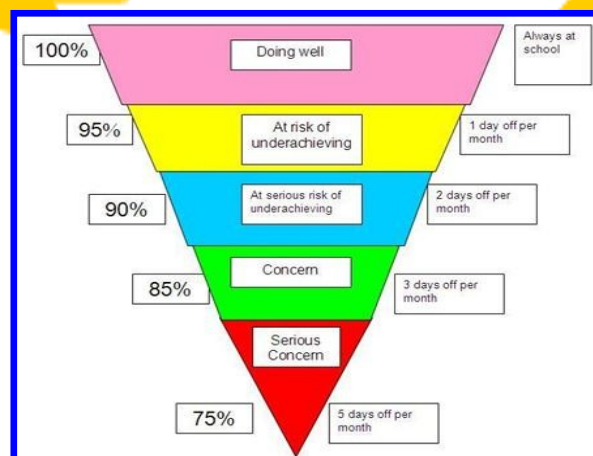
Have a lovely weekend
Mrs Daniels



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 94.5%. A special well done to Class 6E who had the highest attendance with 99.5%. **WELL DONE!**



Harvest

On Tuesday 25th October, the children from Year 1—Year 6 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, we would like the items to be sent in to school **by Monday 24th October**. There will be boxes placed under the Shelter, for the food to go in.

Thank you for your generosity.



Star of the week— w/e Friday 7th October



Reception

Max Redler

Tomos Corbisiero-Peters

Year 1

Alexis Rodd

Iris Bowyer

Year 2

Mali Eglinton

Jenna Evans

Year 3

Phoebe North

Elin Jinks

Eliza Nazar

Year 4

Alexiss Williams

George Duffy

Year 5

Oscar Williams Emily Coleman-Humphries

Year 6

Dhevika Dogra

Hugo Bound

Star of the week— w/e Friday 14th October



Reception

Ellie Roach

Rinnav Gopal

Year 1

Millie Trobe

Saoirse Parker

Year 2

Maia Hendy

Joseph Gee

Year 3

Dylan Williams

Gabriel Downey

Jude Burns

James Menzies

Year 4

Stan Karpaliotis

Vaughn Lane

Year 5

Freya Benson

Tommy Lowther

Year 6

Esme Van Keogh

Isaac Maddern

Learning Journal Day

Thank you to all of the adults who were able to attend the learning journals day. The children thoroughly enjoyed sharing their learning with you. We plan to repeat the days again in the Spring term and, in order to improve the experience, we have sent out a short google questionnaire to gauge views. If you have time, we would be very grateful if you could complete the form.



Shwmae Su'mae Day

Shwmae Su'mae Day is celebrated annually on 15 October.



Diwrnod Shwmae/Sumae Day is an annual celebration and promotion of the Welsh language in Wales.

The words shwmae and sumae are informal greetings in South and North Wales that people use to start a conversation.

The aim of Diwrnod Shwmae/Sumae day is to encourage non-Welsh speakers to start every conversation in the Welsh languages, it is seen as a way of increasing awareness.

The recurring theme of the day is that the Welsh language belongs to all Welsh citizens therefore everyone can contribute to its future vitality.

The main aim of Shwmae Day is to show that the Welsh language is for everyone, native speakers, learners or complete beginners.

Simply start your conversations with the greeting shwmae, for South Wales or su'mae, for North Wales, to get started.

Tweet us any conversations etc. which you 'give a go' to on October 15th.

Please use the hashtag #ccvps you can also use #ccvps and your child's year group e.g. #ccvps3 – for year 3

Spooky Disco

On **Thursday 27 October**, the PTA will be holding a spooky fundraising disco, in order to raise funds for our outdoor play equipment. The KS2 discos times are as follows:

Years 3-4 16:00—17:00
Years 5-6 17:30—18:30

The children will be able to wear their favourite spooky costume and, for £2.00, will have entry to the disco and be provided with a spooky hot dog and drink. There will be a tuck shop selling glow sticks and tattoos. Everything 50p.

Please send £2 into school, with your child's name clearly marked on the envelope, by **Thursday 20th October**.

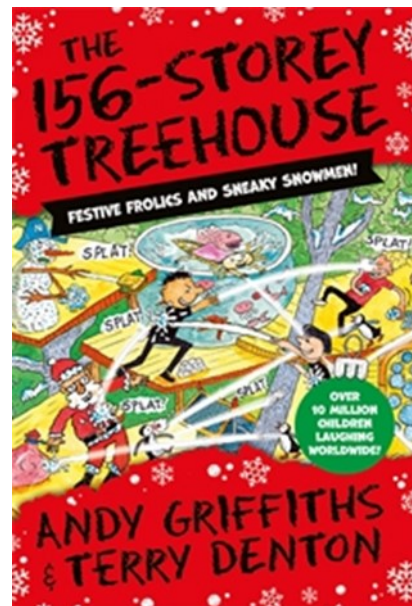


Author Visit

Andy Griffiths, author of the Jreetop series, will be visiting Year 3-6 on Tuesday 18th October. He will be providing a workshop for the children and Griffin Bookstore will be selling his books at a discounted price.

We have emailed a list of the books available and, if you would like your child to purchase a book, please complete the form and place it in an envelope with the correct money.

Please place your child's name and class on the envelope.



Calendar 2022/2023

Parent Consultations
KS2 author visit
School nurse drop in 8.30-11 am

Show racism the red card (wear red)

Harvest assembly
PTA spooky disco for KS2

Half Term

Y2 cinema trip to see Matilda
Y5 trip to The Big Pit

Y1/2 Christmas Performance

Y3-6 Christmas Performance
Reception Nativity
Nursery Singalong

Y3-6 Christmas Performance

Whole school trip to Panto

Last day of Autumn Term

INSET—school closed to pupils

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Cluster INSET—school closed to pupils

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w/b Mon 17th October **online**

Tuesday 18th October
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Friday 21st October
Tuesday 25th October
Thursday 27th October

Mon 31st Oct—Fri 4th Nov

Tuesday 8th November
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Tuesday 13th December 10am
and 2pm
Tuesday 13th December evening
Weds 14th December 10am
Weds 14th December 11am and
2:30pm
Weds 14th December evening

Thursday 15th December

Wednesday 21st December

Thursday 22nd December

Friday 23rd December

Friday 17th February

Monday 24th July

