

VICTORIA PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

"Together we aim for the stars"

17th March 2023

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HEADTEACHER'S THOUGHTS THIS WEEK

Dear Parents/Carers

We have had a wonderful week of sharing our learning—parents, carers, teachers and classmates have had an opportunity to see the wonderful learning that the children have participated in so far this year. It was particularly pleasing to see the mix of online and paper based learning.

If you were unable to attend the learning journal day, please do not worry as the children had plenty of opportunities to share their learning with other familiar friends and adults.

Finally, a reminder that parent/teacher meetings will be taking place next week.

If you cannot make this very important meeting, then please contact the class-teacher to organise an alternative date. Have a lovely weekend.

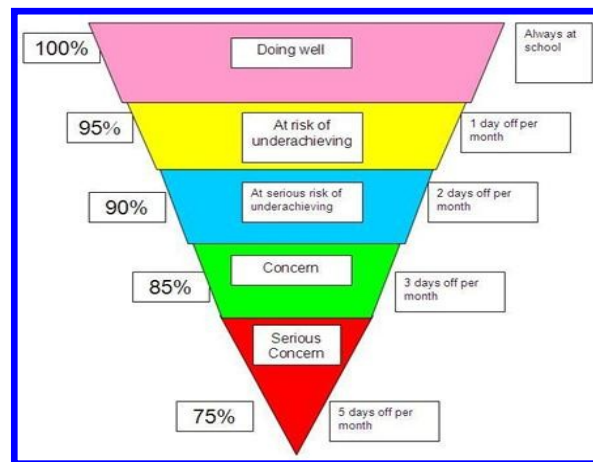
Mrs Daniels

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 94.4%. A special well done to Class 5DH who had the highest attendance with 100%.

WELL DONE!



Year 2 Kerbcraft

Year 2 have been busy learning the rules of road safety. This definitely fits in with our school rule of 'Be safe'.



Star of the week—Friday 10th March



Reception

Ivy Cartwright Gracie Ellis Myan Keshra

Year 1

Dakoa Ferriday-Delanbanque Ella-Mae Whitcombe-Mansi

Year 2

Huw Burroughs Harry Paterson

Year 3

Poppy Maddern Riya Mortimer Millie Haydock

Year 4

Eleanor Chick Eva Corsi

Year 5

Jacob Smith Kasie Coyle-Jones

Year 6

Paris Cant Renesmee Joughin-Roberts

Welsh Speaker of the week

Congratulations to all of the children who have tried hard to use incidental Welsh and the phrase of the week.



PTA Updates

10th March—PTA Quiz . What a wonderful evening was had by all! A great big thank you to everyone who supported—a huge **£800** was raised.



30th March—Pizza and Prosecco Night. Come and meet the PTA and see the wonderful work that they do.

FREE pizza and prosecco!

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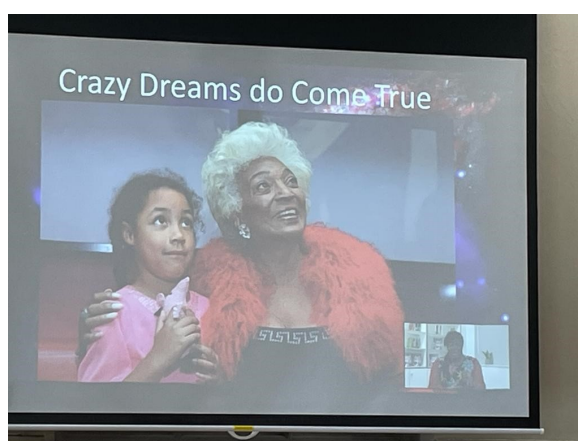
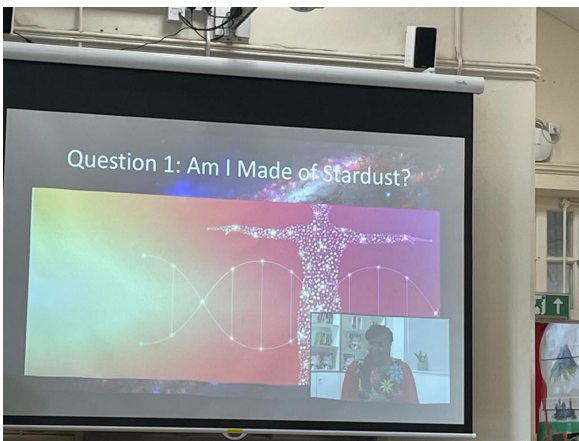
Dr Maggie Aderin-Pocock's live talk with Year 6

Year 6 watched a live talk from Dr Maggie Aderin-Pocock where she spoke about her new book called "Am I Made of Stardust?". In the talk she spoke about some of the subjects that are covered in her book, including space themed questions like, fusion inside stars and black and white holes. She also told Year 6 about travelling to exo-planets, which was a popular subject. She also gave an insight into her childhood when she was diagnosed as dyslexic and had inspirations for becoming a space scientist. Overall, it was an educational and inspiring experience for the pupils who thoroughly enjoyed it.

Sebastian Khoshooee

Ffion Matthews

Thomas Hall



Calendar 2022/2023

Parent/teacher meetings (online)

w/c Monday 20th March

Class Photos

Monday 27th March

PTA Pizza and Prosecco Night

Thursday 30th March

Last day of Spring term

Friday 31st March

First day of Summer term

Monday 17th April

PTA Danceathon

Friday 21st April

Whole school theme week

w/c Monday 24th April

Bank Holiday

Monday 1st May

Bank Holiday

Monday 8th May

Y6 residential

Mon 8th May – Fri 12th May

Y5 residential

Weds 7th June—Friday 9th June

Y4 swimming

Mon 12th June—Fri 23rd June

Half term

Mon 29th May—Fri 2nd June

Summer Fayre

Saturday 8th July

INSET—school closed to pupils

Monday 24th July

Rock Your Socks 2023

Every year on **March 21**, people all around the world come together to celebrate World Down Syndrome Day by wearing brightly coloured, mismatched socks.

Wear your wild and wacky socks on Tuesday March 21st and celebrate World Down Syndrome Day

