

Friday
27
January



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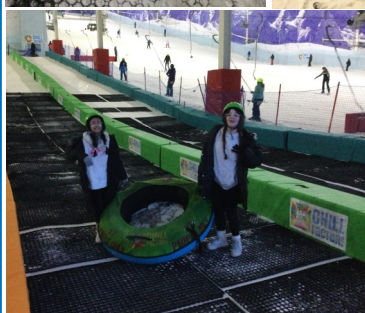
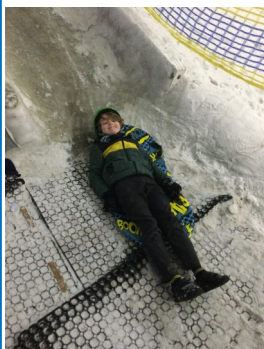
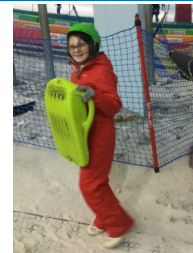


Y6 PE WOW to Chill Factor



CHILL FACTOR

On Tuesday, our year 6 children had a terrific time at Chillfactor. As part of their P.E. WOW they had the opportunity to learn how to ski and experience the feeling of whooshing down a ski slope on toboggans and donuts. They even found the time to make the odd snow angel!



Dates for your Diary

Mon 30 Jan	Y6 Crucial Crewe trip
Tues 31 Jan	Y3 trip to Tatton Park Y5/6 Netball Tournament
Wed 1 Feb	Y5 Maths Workshop
Thurs 2 Feb	Y2 PE WOW to Blackburn Ice Rink
Thurs 2 Feb	Y1G Phonics Workshop
Fri 3 Feb	Y1S Phonics Workshop
Mon 6 Feb	Y5/6 Hockey Tournament
Tues 7 Feb	Y1 Welly Walk
Fri 10 Feb	Express Yourself Own Clothes Day
Wed 15 Feb	Y3 PE WOW to Howe Bridge
Fri 17 Feb	Y5 Drumming performance for Parents/Carers
Fri 17 Feb	School Closes for half term
Mon 27 Feb	School re-opens for spring term 2

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For Children's Mental Health Week 2023, children will be completing work in their PSHE lessons with a Mental Health and Wellbeing theme. **They are also invited to come in their own clothes on Friday 10 February with the theme 'Express Yourself!'**



Designated Safeguarding Leads and Safeguarding Links

Emergency Duty Team

(01204) 337777



Mrs Hodge Mrs Abraham Mrs Hall

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01204 331500 (9AM-5PM)

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COFFEE & CONVERSATION MORNING

EVERY WEDNESDAY
In the annexe at 9am

MOST WEEKS THERE WILL BE A DIFFERENT THEME

Our Coffee & Conversation Mornings continue this term. All Parents and Carers are welcome to join us for a chat, a warming brew and a tasty pastry. This provides a perfect

opportunity to meet other parents/carers.

Here are the topics for this term:

30 January	Behaviour Support
6 February	SEND with Miss Gent
13 February	Arts and Crafts
27 February	Reading with Miss Bullough
6 March	Sign Language
13 March	Family Learning
20 March	Wellbeing
27 March	People from the Community

Our ECO Council

The Eco council have been very busy making bird feeders for around the school this week. We would like to encourage more wildlife into our school grounds by providing a delicious little treat for the animals during the winter, when food can be scarce. Hopefully we will see a variety of birds and different animals making use of our feeders. Thank you to Mr Burton for hanging our bird feeders around school.



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You can find out everything you need to know about our school on the website by using the link below.

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ਜੇਕਰ ਤੁਹਾਨੂੰ ਸਾਡੀ ਵੈਬਸਾਈਟ ਨੂੰ ਪੜ੍ਹਨ ਲਈ ਮਦਦ ਦੀ ਲੋੜ ਹੈ, ਤਾਂ ਕਿਰਪਾ ਕਰਕੇ ਇਸ ਨੰਬਰ ਤੇ ਸੰਪਰਕ ਕਰੋ :

”کو ہماری ویب سائٹ کو پڑھنے کے لیے مدد کی ضرورت ہو تو برای مهربانی 01204333614 پر کال کریں۔“

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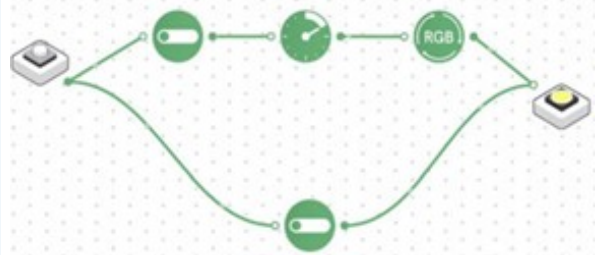
Year 2 R.E.

Year 2 visited a local mosque to support their learning of Islam within their RE lessons. The children learnt about how and why Muslims pray, about how to show respect for the Quran and the role of Imaan. The children learnt lots and were well behaved, asking lots of interesting questions.'



D & T Club

In D&T club this week, the children have been using SAMs Lab to create a circuit to make a nightlight. Even though we are only 2 weeks into the club, the children have hugely impressed me with their resilience and enthusiasm. Next week we will be adding a motor to make the nightlight move!



Swimming and Water Safety

Last week, we shared the achievements of our year 4 children who have just completed a two week intensive swimming course. Feedback from the children and staff has been fantastic, we were also really proud to receive wonderful feedback from the leisure centre.

Our year 5 children will be starting the statutory swimming lessons straight after Easter, if you are not sure what equipment your child needs please contact the school office.



Swimming

Children must have the correct kit to enable them to swim effectively and safely. We don't want any child to be excluded from swimming because they don't have the correct clothes. If you are struggling to provide swimwear for your child, please contact the office and we will do everything we can to help you out.

A member of the public in the swimming changing room asked what school we were from and commented that the children are so well mannered and well behaved.

Linda (the instructor) said the children are the best group she has taught and is proud of every single one of them for making progress.

16 of our Y4 children achieved end of Y6 outcomes—this is incredible!



These are the requirements of the Bolton School Swimming organisation. Underwear and Jewellery must be removed before entering the pool. Clothing should not be baggy as this restricts swimming.

Hair longer than chin length, or covering the eyes, must be covered by a swim cap.

DO YOU LOVE TO SWIM?



DID YOU KNOW THAT CHILDREN UNDER 17 CAN SWIM FOR FREE AT BOLTON LEISURE CENTRES

FOR MORE INFORMATION SCAN THE QR CODE



Swim England share several reasons why your child should learn to swim, **the most important one is that swimming is the only sport which can save your child's life.** Other reasons to learn to swim are:

- It's lots of fun for everyone & children especially love getting in the water and enjoying themselves
- It keeps your child's heart and lungs healthy, improves strength and flexibility, increases stamina and even improves balance and posture
- Swimming provides challenges and rewards accomplishments, which helps children to become self-confident and believe in their abilities
- It gives your children plenty of opportunities to make friends and grow in confidence





Achievements



Be kind,



Weekly Newsletter

Inspire

Samuel Crompton



Respect

Rosa Parks



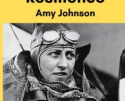
Ambition

Abu Bakr al-Razi



Resilience

Amy Johnson



2nd 481

3rd 447

4th 390

1st 550

Olivia B (YRH)
Abu-Bakr H (Y3AB)
Uriah I (Y1G)
Ibrahim A (Y1G)
Muhammad-Zayd (YRL)
Chloe E (Y5M)
Moiz A (Y3A)
Noor-Al-Haya (YRL)



Gold
Eva P
(Y4W)



Bronze

Alayna (Y2N)

Gold

Zarah (Y2F)

Platinum

Khadijah K and Rae (Y1G)
Casey, Lewie and Anum (Y1S)

Diamond

Mustafa (Y1G)

Ismail (Y1S)

Ruby

Moosa M and Viraqj (EYFS)

Cooper and Ava (Y1G)

Joshua, Zain, Safiyah and Taylor (Y2F)

Hugo (Y2N)

Emerald

Abdul-Qayyam (EYFS)

Yusha and Jabran (Y1G)

Mahnoor (Y1S)

Sapphire

Deacon (Y1S)



Out of School Achievements

We love hearing about all the wonderful activities our children are involved in out of school. Please email us details and a picture so that we can celebrate their achievements with the whole school community.

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Head Teacher's Awards W/E 27 January

Emelia E	YRL	For applying what she has learnt in her maths lessons independently during discovery time using the scales to measure the weight of different objects.
Ali A	YRH	For being a wonderful mathematician and for being able to recall different ways to make number 6.
Casey H	Y1S	For being incredibly enthusiastic about his learning and for growing so much in independence, writing a superb newspaper report on Rosa Parks.
Muhammad-Masood	Y1G	For being very resilient with his writing. He has written so many sentences and carried on even when it is tricky.
Ayaan Y	Y2F	For making lots of progress in reading and phonics and always trying hard in every lesson.
Alyana P	Y2N	For putting more effort into her reading both within school and at home.
Veer V	Y3A	For always having the biggest smile on his face to match his attitude to work. Well done for some amazing independent writing this week.
Ayla J	Y3AB	For always having a positive attitude to her learning, being a good friend and always trying her best.
Jonah B	Y4W	For having lots of enthusiasm towards our new Geography unit: The Polar Regions. You were fascinated by the research you found and this was clear when sharing with your peers.
Abdullah T	Y4HB	You always put a smile on other peoples faces and work so hard in every lesson. We are especially impressed by your Maths work!
Ameilia S	Y5D	For your outstanding efforts in P.E. this week—I was blown away with your poise and control. You are a gymnast in the making. Keep it up!
Shamaiel A	Y5M	For his outstanding progress in Maths. He has responded well to working with Mrs Cavanaugh in pre and post teaching interventions and is working well within each lesson. Well done Shamaiel!
Rayhan K	Y6B	For showing great resilience and having lots of fun during our skiing trip.
Paige J	Y6C	For overcoming her fears and completing all the activities at Chill Factor.



Class of the Week

Well done to Y1G who were Class of the Week, for the second time this term, with 99%. Every child in class received a 'Good Attendance' pin badge!



Weekly Newsletter

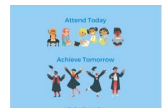
337 children had
100% attendance
last week.
Well done to all of
you!

Whole school
attendance to date:
95.3%

Class of the year to
date:
Y4HB
96.9%
For the first time
this academic year!
Keep it up!

Aiming for Excellent Attendance

Read our policy by clicking on the picture:



Our weekly attendance prize, Class of the Week, continues to bring out the competitiveness in our children, they love collecting the pin badges.

Punctuality

Thank you to everyone who has tried so hard to get their children into school on time last week. As promised, we will be celebrating good punctuality in a similar way to our termly attendance draw. Children who regularly attend school on time will be entered into a draw for cinema family activity voucher.

Our breakfast Club runs as a drop in service and costs just £1.50, this is a really good way to make sure your child eats a healthy breakfast, gets vital socializing time with peers and also gets to class at 8:45am ready for the class Early Morning Task.

During w/c 16 January 376 children arrived in school
on time for their lessons each day.



If you need any support with your child's attendance or if you have difficulties getting them to school on time, speak to Mrs Hall.



Notices

Be the Best you
can Be!



Many thanks to all those who came to our Autism Support Group yesterday. It was lovely to see so many new faces as well as those who have been regular attenders over the years. This friendly group is made up of parents/carers and staff who have children on the autistic spectrum. We meet termly to support and encourage each other and share ideas over a warming drink and a piece of cake.



IMPORTANT REMINDER

You must inform school immediately of any change in circumstance e.g. change of address or mobile number.

ESOL Classes

Our ESOL classes, started again on 19 January 2023 at 9am and will run for an 8 week course. If you are interested please leave your name with the school office. In the meantime click on the link below for free online sessions:

ESOL Courses
Free English Lessons Online

Devonshire Road Curriculum

At Devonshire Road, we pride ourselves on a high-quality curriculum that helps the children to commit learning to their long-term memory. Our website holds lots of resources and information about what the children study in each year group, including the knowledge organisers that children use for quizzes each week. Why not take a look on the link below to see what your child is currently learning about!



Parent & Toddler Group
Every Friday 9.00am - 11.15am
0 - 4 years, £1.50

Light Refreshments
Various Activities each week
including visits from outside agencies
eg. Health Visitors etc.

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Learning Links

Click here to access free online courses for parents/carers, which are available through the National Teaching Service.



The School Reading List

Suggested reading books for primary & secondary aged children in the UK



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