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December



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# Weekly Newsletter

## Year 3 Stay and Learn



Thank you to all the parents/carers who joined us for this week's year 3 stay and learn. The focus was Linkages and Leverages. The children were looking closely at mechanisms and how they create movement. They created prototypes to create a moving picture.



## Year 4 Trip To Burrs Country Park

Year 4 had a fantastic fieldwork trip to Burrs Country Park on Thursday where they threw apples into the River Irwell to test the speed of water at different points. We used stopwatches to record data and even observed the weir! The children were a delight and represented our school excellently.



## Dates for your Diary

Fri 9 Dec	Y2 & 3 Pantomime at Albert Halls
Fri 9 Dec	Bolton Hospice Elf Run
Tues 13 Dec	Y6 Stay & Learn 1:30pm
Wed 14 Dec	KS1 Nativity 9:30am
Thurs 15 Dec	KS1 Nativity 2pm
Tues 20 Dec	EYFS festive song show 9:30am
Thurs 22 Dec	School closes for Christmas break
Mon 9 Jan	School opens for spring term

[Click the icon to visit the Events Page :](#)



## Designated Safeguarding Leads and Safeguarding Links

**Emergency Duty Team**  
(01204) 337777

[Home – Bolton](#)  
[Safeguarding Children](#)



**Mrs Hodge Mrs Abraham Mrs Hall**

**Bolton Safeguarding Children**  
**Keeping children safe in Bolton**

**BOLTON SAFEGUARDING CHILDREN**  
**CONTACT BOARD 01204 337479**

**REFERRAL & ASSESSMENT**  
**01204 331500 (9AM-5PM)**





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## Anger Awareness Week

LJP Top Tips:

Dealing with Stressful Moments: 5 De-Escalation Techniques for Avoiding the Meltdown



ANGER FOR KIDS...

**Tyler Says...**

In honour of Anger Awareness Week, which began yesterday, we are sharing some resources from The Lily Jo Project which are designed to help adults and children navigate feelings of anger. Click on each of the images to discover more...



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OF ANGER MANAGEMENT

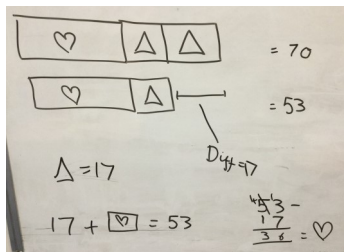
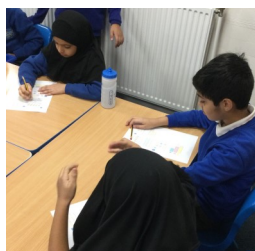


the *Lily Jo* project

Breathing technique:  
4, 5, 6 breathing

## Its Maths Month

For the final week of Barvember our year 4 children have been working hard completing the maths challenges and here is one more for you to try at home...



Wed 30<sup>th</sup> Nov

**BARVEMBER** 2022



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5 lollipops cost the same as 2 chew bars.



A lollipop costs 4p.

How much does a chew bar cost?

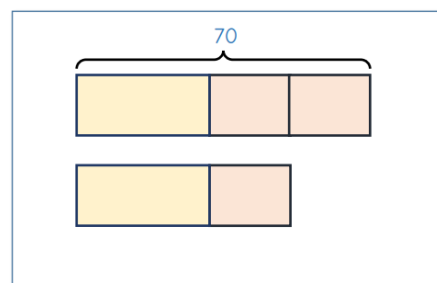
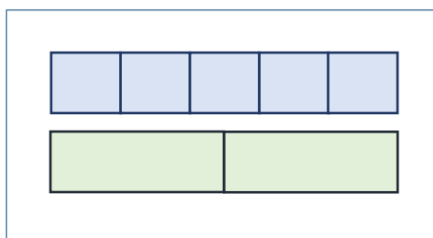
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$$\text{Heart} + \text{Triangle} + \text{Triangle} = 70$$

$$\text{Triangle} + \text{Heart} = 53$$

Work out the value of each symbol.

You can access free  
White Rose Maths  
resources  
via the QR code below...





## We've Made it to the Bolton News!



As many of you have already seen, Devonshire Road Primary School had a fabulous review in the Bolton News this week, if you haven't had a chance to read it, click on the picture above. Thank you to everyone who sent in such wonderful feedback, here are just a few of your comments...

*'Well done to everyone you guys do a brilliant job and we are proud to say we are Devonshire Road school.'*

*'Absolutely brilliant to see this ... happy it's been acknowledged as the effort and demeanour of staff is exemplary.'*

*'Amazing news! Well done to all the staff.'*

We received a lovely call this morning from one of our parents who was traumatised to lose her purse yesterday. After school, there was a knock on the door, it was one of our lovely, honest children who had found the purse and returned it to mum's home.

Well done Ayesha K Y6C we are very proud of you and Mrs Hodge is rewarding you with a book of your choice!







## Our School Governors

The school Governors held this term's Full Governing Board Meeting on Tuesday evening. This meeting is a time for all governors to pull together the term's work – and it has certainly been a busy term! Governors were actively involved in the Ofsted Inspection in October and had chance to celebrate the wonderful report on Tuesday evening, and to recognise the hard work of everyone involved. Other work for governors this term has included monitoring attendance, reviewing school budgets and policies, celebrating achievement and progress for our children, and supporting school to always be improving. We have spent time in school looking into how Maths is taught and observing maths lessons and had a taste of school dinners with the children!



## Spring Term Clubs

Here is the list for next term's extra-curricular clubs that start on Monday 16 January:

## Monday

**Makaton Y1 Mrs Ford & Mrs Kramer**  
**Science Y3/4 Mrs Smith and Miss Gent**  
**French KS2 Mr Mayo**  
**Multi Skills EYFS Ed Start**

## Tuesday

**Dance EYFS & KS1 Mrs Clarkson**  
**Design Technology Y3/4 Miss Davidson**

## Wednesday

**Multi Skills Y1/2 Ed Start**

## Thursday

**Wellbeing Y3/4 Mrs Atcha**  
**Multi Skills Y3/4 Ed Start**

## Friday

**Multi Skills Y5/6 Ed Start**

If your child would like to be considered for a place in any of the clubs please click on the appropriate link below (deadline 6 December)

[EYFS & Key Stage 1](#)

[Key Stage 2](#)

Your allocated tickets will be available to collect at the school office from Wednesday 7 December at 8:30am.

Spare tickets will be available on a first come first serve basis from 8:30am Thursday 8 December.



## Bolton Hospice Elf Run Friday 9 December

We will be supporting Bolton Hospice by holding our annual 'Elf Run' next Friday. If you wish to support this wonderful local charity, either return the sponsor form with money raised or donate via Just Giving by click on the picture. Many thanks.



[www.devonshire.bolton.sch.uk](http://www.devonshire.bolton.sch.uk)

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

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



This week's KS2 Reading Challenge award recipients were:

Gold
Luke S and Harlow G (Y6C)

**READING CHALLENGE**

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Muhammad Zayd	YRL	For being so dedicated to his phonics learning at home. Well done.
Marwa M	YRH	For giving 100% in everything you do and for working hard to learn and perform all the songs for our upcoming performance.
Akif R	Y1S	For being a shape expert in maths and for showing great resilience when completing repeating patterns.
Uriah I	Y1G	For being an excellent mathematician this week and sharing his knowledge about shapes.
Menaal H	Y2F	For consistently being the best she can be. Menaal works hard, she is always ready for learning, follows instructions and takes on feedback to improve her work.
Alayna P	Y2N	For excellent maths work on shape this week, learning names of 2D and 3D shapes and counting sides.
Aizah A	Y3AB	Aizah really impressed in basketball, she was able to do her 90 degree angles to position her ball and use her guide hand to score.
Muhammad A	Y3A	For working hard in every maths lesson. He shows resilience and doesn't give up.
Eesa M	Y4W	For being a terrific helper in class and always being willing to share with friends.
Khadija A	Y4HB	Your enthusiasm on our Geography field trip was infectious! It was wonderful to see you participating, discussing the surroundings and enjoying yourself.
Ayesha B	Y5D	For your continuous effort with arithmetic and your determination across all subjects. Well done!
Lucas J	Y5M	For improving his ability to regulate his emotions more consistently. Keep it up Lucas!
Ayesha H	Y6B	For writing a detailed and thoughtful narrative based on .our class novel,
Paige J	Y6C	For making great progress with her maths arithmetic.



## Class of the Week

Well done to Y1S who are our Class of the Week with 98.3%.



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339 children had  
100% attendance  
last week.

Well done to all of  
you!

375 children came  
into school on time  
each day they  
attended.

Whole school  
attendance to date:  
95.84%

Class of the term to  
date:  
Y4W  
97.3%

This is fantastic,  
keep going!



## Devonshire Road Primary School

## Every Minute of Learning Counts







# Notices

Be the Best you  
can Be!



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Wednesday 7 December theme is Phonics and Reading.

**Parents & Carers Welcome**

Please join us for

## COFFEES & conversation

It's a great opportunity to meet other parents/carers and professionals in a relaxed atmosphere.

Every Wednesday from 9th November 2022  
Devonshire Road Primary School  
(In the hall)  
9.00 - 10.00 AM

### ESOL Classes

Our ESOL classes, which take place on a Thursday morning are now full. We are hoping to start another course in January 2023. If you are interested please leave your name with the school office. In the meantime click on the link below for free online sessions:

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## 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

