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Issue

HSA NEWS

Relationships | Respect | Resilience | Reflection | Responsibility

Values

Foundation and KS1:

Vincent, Arthur W, Edi, Jax, Maddox, Marley, Kai and Dexter W

KS2: Darcy-Rose, Renesmee,

Logan M, Mason, Poppy D, Marley, Tommy H, Eleanor, Jake, Minnie-Mae, Eliza B, Alexis G, Oscar N, Hope, Alexis, Malakai and Mason W

Thought of the Week

'Be happy ... not because everything is perfect, but because you are focusing on the perfect moments'. Louise Lillie, class teacher

Useful links

Dates for diary, [click here](#) for academy calendar of events

And here for [Latest news](#)

Contact details

Are the contact details on your child's profile up to date? In particular, email and mobiles for messaging purposes.

Are the correct people still listed as emergency contacts and do you have the right people with permission to collect?

Why not check at the office, we can even print these details for you so you can amend if needed!

We will be sending links to the Arbor app soon, so you can check details



A message from our Principal

What an exciting week it has been. Our wonderful Schools Alive team had the amazing opportunity to perform at The Winter Gardens delivering a fantastic performance of Beauty and the Beast to close the show.

The audience was thoroughly entertained and we received a lot of positive comments. The children were so confident and talented on the stage, we were so proud. Thank you to all the staff for their hard work in making this happen.

A huge well done to all the children who took part - they represented the academy brilliantly. A huge thank you also to all the parents and carers; your support and kind words are very much appreciated.

I would also like to share that Mrs Wright has been appointed as the temporary phase leader for Y5/6. Should you wish to discuss anything related to the phase or have any questions or queries, she is the person to speak to. I know you will join me in congratulating Mrs Wright on this appointment.





Year 4 News

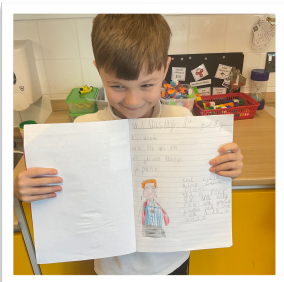
Year 4 have been super busy this half term with multiplication and division in maths, experiments in science (plus how to write our experiments up with sub-headings) and making fabric crowns in design technology (channelling their inner fashion designer).

As 4H are ending their time at Upbeat this half term, 4S are extremely excited to be starting. This is such an amazing opportunity for the children to play instruments such as electric guitar, bass guitar, electric keyboard, and the drums. They even have the opportunity to record their singing voices in an actual recording studio – WOW!

In PE Y4 are learning how to rally in tennis with accuracy, whilst still working on their throwing and catching skills. Ask 4S about the ghosts, Mrs Twiss never thought she would say “stop playing with the ghosts” during PE.

In history we have moved from the Romans into the Anglo-Saxon period. Ask your child if the Anglo-Saxons were made up from one group of people? Also ask, why did they want to move to Britain?

Lastly, in PSHE we are looking at our hopes and dreams. Many children have shared what their dreams are and they are quite varied, from wanting to perfect a dance move to being a scientist. Why don't you ask your child what their dreams are? They might surprise you.



To ill for school?

We appreciate that it can be tricky to decide whether to send your child into school when they are not feeling 100%. We would ask that you always consider when they are unwell whether they are still fit enough for school. If they are not 100% well but are fit enough to learn, then please still send them into school as normal and we will take good care of them. Of course, if your child becomes unfit for school during the day then we will let you know so that you can make arrangements to collect them. Good attendance in school is so important in your child's learning journey and every day counts.

For help and assistance when your child is unwell then please refer to the [NHS guidance](#), or if you are unsure whether to send your child into school then please always ring our academy office to get some advice and support with your decision making. We are very grateful for your support and help in raising school attendance.

Year 5 News

Since returning after Christmas year 5 have been keeping super busy with all their extra-curricular activities.

Our Schools Alive team have been working hard at rehearsals and were extremely excited to be able to perform their Beauty and The Beast masterpiece.

Some of our Year 5 pupils have been completing their Bikeability course this week with high praise from the instructors on how they conducted themselves. Bikeability is a valuable tool, enabling our pupils to prepare for our busy roads and be responsible road users. Well done to our cyclists!

It is great that so many of the year 5 pupils are taking up the extra-curricular clubs on offer, from dance to football, they are being kept busy and fit!



FEBRUARY HALF TERM FOREST SCHOOL CAMP

FEBRUARY 18 - 21, 2025
10:00AM TO 2:00PM
STANLEY PARK
MEETING AT THE BOWLING GREEN
(OTHER SHIRTS EXTEND)
£16.50 per day No lunch provided
£20 Lunch Provided

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