

School Newsletter

6th December 2019





Tues 10 December (9.30am)

Reception Christmas
Production (parents welcome)

Weds 11 December (2.00pm)

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Thurs 12 December
School Closed
(General Election)

<u>Fri 13 December</u> PTFA Festive Treat Friday Christmas Jumper Day

<u>Tues 17 December</u> KS1 Christmas Parties (own clothes)

Weds 18 December
Christmas Dinner (for children
on school dinners only)

Thurs 19 December
KS2 Christmas Parties
(more information to follow)

Baby News

Mrs Kalemi is expecting a baby, and will be leaving us, temporarily, at the end of this term. Miss Bottomley will be the new class teacher in 5L for the rest of the year.

School Closure

Polite Reminder - due to the General Election, school will be closed to pupils on Thursday 12 December. We reopen at the usual time on Friday 13 December.

Children learn best from first hand experiences...



Our Curriculum Intent underpins all that we do in school, and one of the key parts of this is that,

'Pupils are immersed in rich, relevant and contextualised first-hand experiences, which enthuse, excite and challenge them.'

So, staff are always looking for ways in which to bring learning alive. These pictures capture just some of the ways in which we have done this so far this term.









Fireworks and chocolate apples for Y1!







Attendance Matters

This Week's Attendance 90.9%

> Class with the Best Attendance 1L - 96.5%

Most Punctual Class 3L & 3B

Remember Attendance Matters; Be in School All Day, Every Day

RockSteady

We are so proud of our three bands who performed to an audience of children, and over 30 parents earlier this week! If this musical opportunity is one that you want your child to get involved in, please refer to the information sent home this week, or feel free to ask your child's class teacher.







Parking

Earlier this week, we were again contacted by the unhappy proprietors of The Beaumont Arms Pub, who are still having issues with people parking outside their gates. They advise that this is a FIRE ESCAPE exit which is regularly being blocked. They are extremely worried about this situation, and have now put up additional signs to try and deter cars from parking in that area. When parking, please can parents consider that the people living around school also have children to get to school, jobs to go to and appointments to attend. Please do not block driveways, or cars in to spaces. Emergencies can arise at any time and, therefore, residents need to be able to get out, and emergency services need to be able to get in, at all times.





Each week, we focus on work undertaken by a different class. This week, it was the turn of 3L ... this week we have been focussing on electricity and looking at how circuits work. We are now using these skills to create our own versions of the game, 'operation'. We have had to look at which materials will be best to use and how we can make



the bulb light up on our game. We have been discussing insulators and conductors and how to create a complete circuit. Our circuits will go inside our boxes and we have created our own designs to go on top. The children have really enjoyed designing and making their games. We have included some photos of our designs...



Festive Friday

We will be under the canopy in Reminder that the last of this KS1 playground

Please join us for hot chocolate, games, refreshments, stalls and a raffle.

Tennis

from term's after school tennis sessions 3.30pm on Friday 13 December. took place on Wednesday. There will be no more after school sessions before Christmas.



Useful Information

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Are you 'assembly' ready?

- 1) Next week's theme is 'Makers'.
- 2) Can you think of any synonyms for our theme?
- 3) Talk about the sorts of jobs that you think the theme includes?
- 4) Go on 'Life' and post your thoughts and ideas.