

Pippins Weekly News

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SEE TOMORROW GROW

Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope you have all had an exciting week, like we have at school!

It has been a joyous delight watching all the children get stuck into their learning this week. The real focus has been to encourage reading and learning new words. This week, we took delivery of all the class texts we will be teaching throughout the year .. the children really are in for a great treat! Please do ask your child about their class text and all the new words they are learning in school! In a few weeks, Mr Khalid will be sharing details of our whole school reading challenge Children in Early Years are settling in well, getting used to new routines and learning! Please ensure all children have a hearty sleep and breakfast every day; this will fuel their learning at school.

Many of you may have noticed some building work going on in the playground ... we are about to unveil our very own writing hut! Just like Roald Dahl's 😊 I am really excited about the changes you will gently see in and around school this year ... the next project I am working on is a sensory garden for our school.

Have a lovely weekend and do enjoy this week's edition of the newsletter, showcasing all the fun learning at Pippins!

Mr Jalaf

Dates for the Diary

26th September
Fundraiser for Libya -
3:45 to 5:15

29th September
Macmillan bake sale -
3:15 to 3:45 in the
playground

17th October
Parents Evening -
details to be confirmed

18th October
Parents Evening -
details to be confirmed

**Reminder - please
check your email
for how to access
the school spider
app!**

Attendance

Rec 82%
Y1 94.2%
Y2 94.4%
Y3 96.8%
Y4 92.5%
Y5 93.5%
Y6 93 %

Follow us on instagram too
for little pictorial updates!

RECEPTION

This week in Pixie Class we have continued our 'Marvellous Me' topic. After sharing the story 'What Makes Me a Me' by Ben Faulks. We have been sharing and discussing pictures of our families and our homes, showing that we are all unique and different. We then explored our similarities and differences in our facial features such as eye and hair colour and the shape of our noses. We painted beautiful self-portraits to display on our 'wow' wall. They look amazing!

Mrs Bailey



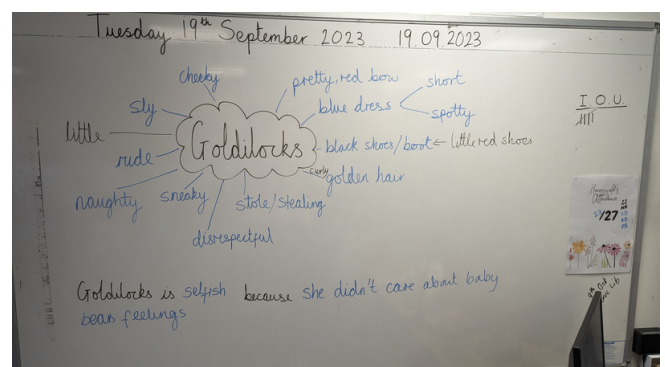
YEAR 2

It was lovely to meet you at the Meet the Teacher meeting. As I said if you have any queries or questions please grab me in the afternoon at pick-up time.

In English, we have been looking at the story of Goldilocks and the Three Bears. It has been fun and exciting coming up with adjectives to describe Goldilocks. In maths we have been looking at partitioning numbers up to 100 into tens and ones - this has been a bit tricky for Honeygold class but we are slowly starting to understand the process.

During our RE lesson this week we looked at the story of The Good Samaritan/The Kind Man. We then discussed some statements and whether the person in each scenario given to us was showing kindness or not. We decided this by placing ourselves at each end of the classroom - agree or disagree.

Miss Punja



YEAR 4

This week year 4 have been learning about the tragedies that have taken place in Libya and Morocco. Together we have researched how to help them the best that we can. Therefore, as a school we are holding a fundraiser which will be held on Tuesday 26th September from 3:45-5:15pm. Please let the office know, by Monday, if you would like to attend.



Miss Sufi



YEAR 6

Year 6 were treated to a special visit from Heathrow's engineers in which they were treated to a workshop on building roller coasters! Children were encouraged to work in teams and discuss strategies to make their project successful. It was really exciting and the children loved the experience!



Miss Kang and Mr Khalid



In Art, children having been learning about propaganda posters and how many of the general public were persuaded by it. This has been a great cross curricular opportunity for our Year 6's because they have been learning about World War II in History.



In Guided Reading, the pupils have been learning about Leelu who is feeling lost and alone in a strange new city!



In writing, we are looking at a mysterious picture book which has some strange happenings... Pupils are free to let their imaginations wonder and write some creative pieces of work!

MACMILLAN COFFEE BAKE SALE

We are very much looking forward to hosting a cake sale in our playground next Friday 29th September between 3.15pm till 3.45pm. All money raised will be donated to Macmillan Cancer Support. We will gladly accept shop bought cakes from Wednesday 27th September and home baked cakes (with a list of ingredients used) the morning of Friday 29th September. Please send the cakes in with your child when they arrive at school. All cakes will be priced at 25p upwards. As they say on the British Bake Off programme...."Ready, Steady, Bake!"

Miss Purdy



GREEN TEAM REPS

Reception - Ruben and Tony
Year 1 - Zoha and Nihal
Year 2 - Emma and Theon
Year 3 - Molly and Jenson
Year 4 - Zarrish and Charlie
Year 5 - Sianna and Taranveer
Year 6 - Zahiya and Lyndon

HARVEST FESTIVAL

Dear Parents,

We will be celebrating 'Harvest Festival' at Pippins next week. The Harvest Festival is a celebration of the harvest and food grown on the land, people can reflect and show gratitude for the food that they have.

At Pippins, we would like to recognise and help those less fortunate than ourselves. We kindly request that you send in a donation of food (this needs to be a packet or a tin, no fresh food please.) The food donations will be collected by charity and distributed to those in need.

Thank you very much for your support,
Mrs Fowler.

MULTISPORTS CLUB



**We have limited spaces
in available in Mr
Jawandha's multisport
club on a Thursday!**

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