



IF WE BELIEVE, WE CAN ACHIEVE

COLLABORATION - CONNECTIVITY – INDEPENDENCE – INNOVATION – QUESTIONING – REFLECTION - RESILIENCE

Dear parents and carers,

Thank you for the feedback we have received on the website. It's good to hear the positives but please also let us know if you experience any glitches so that we can get them sorted quickly!
If you have any outstanding data collection sheets, please return them asap as they provide necessary information for the school office.

Parents and Friends

Yesterday, Parents and Friends had their first meeting of the year as they embark on their charity status. As previous committee members leave, there are some fresh faces and a real drive to support the school in our aspiration to provide children with rich life experiences. If you are interested in joining or helping out 'ad hoc' please speak to any of the following parents who will be happy to give you some more information:

Becky Burchell	Amy Cole	Kerry Huxter
Emma Aitken	Liam O'Brien	Clair Brown
Caroline Loader	Georgette Brewin	Gemma O'Brien
Millie Bones	Gabi Barnes	Jen Chapman
Lucy Barr	Katie Mitchell	
Claire Alborough	Rob Farrington	

Elections

Elections took place today to appoint new ambassadors in years 1-4. Children placed their votes in the ballot boxes and the following children have been elected:

School Parliament: **Nancy, Mali, Eleanor, Freya, Ollie and Allegra**

Eco Ambassadors: **Arabella, Emily, Vivi, Tyler, Iris and Ruby**

Rights Respecting Ambassadors (RRS): **Blue, Davey, Patrick, Woody, Sam and Eva**

Their first meeting will take place next Thursday when they will discuss their plans for the year. Please see the ambassador pages on the website for updates.

In the next few weeks we will also be selecting reading ambassadors for year 3 and sports ambassadors from year 4.

Samba

Pioneers and navigators began their samba lessons today. Super listening and collaboration was evident and that was just week one!



Chess Club

Chess club started this week and all the children impressed us with their thinking skills!



Friday Dining

Congratulations to Molly, Elsie, Rian, Emily and Blue who were selected to bring a friend to 'Friday Dining' today. They were chosen by their class teacher for displaying the qualities of our Jigsaw learning this week.



A snapshot of learning for this week:

Explorers have been using berries to make a berry crumble as well as squashing them and using the juice to paint with!



Adventurers have been building on their new routines and looking at who is special to them and helps them to be marvellous.

Adventurers first visit to the library!



Voyagers have been examining castles and considering their functions and made the most of sharing their learning with parents this morning.



Navigators and Pioneers have been introduced to the artwork of Mark Adam Webster and creating paper collage interpretations, as well as, finding out how rivers form and using evidence to suggest where specific features might be found e.g. in the lower, middle or upper course.



A snapshot of learning for next week:

Explorers will be basing their enquiries around a sunflower theme.

Adventurers will be discovering the title of their new theme and exploring the first signs of autumn. They will focus on developing their questioning and reflection behaviours.

Voyagers will be building castles and considering where they are located as well as similarities and differences between given examples. Year 2 will be introduced to imperative verbs and using them to write instructions.

Navigators and Pioneers will be writing diary entries for 'Lob' using first person as well as building their own river in the grounds and learning French numbers to 20.

Upcoming Dates (all dates now on website on the google calendar)

Friday 23rd September Parent drop in Navigators and Pioneers

Friday 30th September Macmillan Coffee Morning for the community

Tuesday 4th October Parents' meeting for reception 6pm

Kind regards,

Mrs Rachael Musselwhite (Headteacher)