

Weekly news WE - Friday 9<sup>th</sup> February 2024



## Message from Miss Young - Welcome back to school - E-safety

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We are really excited to share with you that we are relaunching our curriculum with new topics.

Throughout the first week back, you will receive information about these topics in order to support your child's learning at home.

Also, keep an eye on the website for updates

## This week at Moseley

- Parent's e-safety workshop at school Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> February at 4:30pm.
- Year 4 will begin their swimming sessions on Friday each Friday morning for this half term. The coach leaves school promptly so please make sure the children are at school on time.

## Important dates for your calendar.

- w/b 19<sup>th</sup> Feb Safer Internet Week
- Weds 13<sup>th</sup> March Reading Workshop 4.30-5.30pm via Teams
- Wed 13<sup>th</sup> March Year 4 Writing Workshop 9-10.30am
- Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March Year 3 Writing Workshop 9-10.30am
- w/b 4th March Creative Arts Week
- Thurs 7<sup>th</sup> March Year R Church Service Mother's Day St. Mary's
- Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March World Book Day dress up as a favourite book character. Bring in a favourite book (named if possible).
- Make a 'Book in a Box' to discuss in class
- w/b 18<sup>th</sup> March Easter Week
- Easter Service Year 3 Fri 22<sup>nd</sup> March St. Agnes 10am

# EYFS and KS1 news

In Reception, we were very lucky to have a special tennis lesson with Phil from Billesley Tennis Club. We learnt how to control the tennis ball with care and skill. Look how carefully we were able to take our tennis balls for a walk!

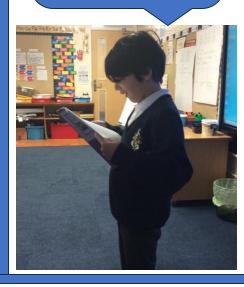




Year 2 loved writing diary entries in their Geography lesson. They imagined they were crew members aboard Captain Cook's ship, the HMS Endeavour. Some children read aloud to the rest of the class too!



I have enjoyed publishing my story of Rabbit and Bear - Aun



# This week, we will focus on Year 1

Year 1 have had a fantastic final week of this half term. We have spent some time thinking carefully about our story 'Handa's Hen' and we have published our work, with improvements, in our best handwriting. We have tried incredibly hard to present our work neatly, as well as retelling a super story! We have also finished our Van Gogh inspired final pieces. We loved learning facts about Van Gogh's life and about his still life, portraits and landscape work.



# KS2 news

Year 3 enjoyed their tennis session with Billesley Tennis Club and built familiarity using a racket and ball. In Art, the children painted their clay pumpkins, selecting a range of vibrant colours and dots!



On Tuesday this week, Year 4 were also visited by Billesley Tennis centre to join in with a tennis session. They learned some tennis skills and played some games.

Finally, Year 5 had an amazing parent workshop where the children had a chance to showcase their writing skills and work with their families. Year 5 have also been working hard to finish their abstract artwork, while also looking at analysing sources to understand parts of history.





## This week, we will focus on Year 6

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The girls were lucky enough to ask some of the Year 9 performers some questions -

### Were you nervous before the performance?

A bit, but a lot of the performers have done this before, so they are used to the pressure now - it will be worse for the Y7s, as it will be their first time performing to an audience.

### How did you put the dances and songs together?

We have a very talented dance teacher, who choreographed the routines, and we have an English teacher who is a super singer so she helps with all the songs.

### Do you get lots of support?

Our parents and teachers are very supportive - we have to do lots of rehearsals, but also make sure that we don't fall behind with our school work.

### Have you enjoyed performing as part of a large group?

We all have the same love of singing and dancing, so we all encourage each other – everyone enjoys it and you get to know a lot of other children in older and younger year groups – which is really good.

Thank you for asking such interesting questions girls – it sounds like you had a brilliant time.





























## Numbots of the week!

- YR Jason
- Y1 Ivy
- Y2 Henry









Rockstars of the week! Y3 – Ella Y4 – Lakhan Y5 – Poppy C Y6 – Siannah

## Writers' award winner



Year R - Aksel Year 1 – Finley Year 2 – Jude & Anabelle Year 3 – Rohan & Coby Year 4 – Mathilda & Kasper Year 5 – Amelie & Arisha Year 6 – Matilda & Charlie S



# Extra information

This **Tuesday - 20<sup>th</sup> February 2024 - 4.30pm till 5.30pm -** Parent e-safety workshop.

- The focus will be:
  - Children's view of technology.
  - Conversation starters.
  - Parents' guide to Roblox.
  - Q&A