

Hannah More Primary School Newsletter

28th January 2022



Hello everyone

This week we have had SRE lessons across school and I have been impressed with how maturely the children have been, asking important questions during lessons. We have been pleased to welcome mums back for fitness sessions, taking place every Monday morning, and it was great to see so many coming joining for parents' mindfulness on Wednesday.

Year 6 had a brilliant time at the Life Skills centre on Wednesday, learning a lot about staying safe and showing gold-standard behaviour whilst there. Year 4 have been busy practising for their performance which they will be performing to school and parents on February 17th.

Next week we have Parents' Voice on Friday, this is a great opportunity for parents to meet with school, more information below.

On Wednesday next week it is Hannah More's birthday! The children will learn about her and her life and some elements of local history on the day. In the afternoon children will decorate a cake as part of the celebration.

Sadly because of current high rates of covid we will not do the international food festival as normal. We'll reschedule it later in the year.

Thank you to everyone who entered our competition and a huge well done to Asia-Lee and Musna for being chosen as the winners this week!

Have a restful weekend,
Sue Ramsay,



Year 1:	Rihan
Year 2:	Ramzi and Honor
Year 3:	Juelz
Year 4:	Retaj and Fayola
Year 5:	Premaja and Emelle
Year 6:	Yusra and Bushra

Reception

Reception had more 'Supertato' fun this week. Lots of children chose to make a superhero vegetable characters and pea catchers in busy time. We had many great stories written and acted out too! As mathematicians we learnt about different ways of making 5 e.g. $3 + 2$, $4 + 1$ and $5 + 0$. At home, please listen to your child read their reading book. Encourage them to read fluently, with a 'story voice'.

Year 1 learnt how to add numbers to 20 by counting on. They practised finding different number bonds. In English children independently wrote a character description of the burglar in our story Avocado Baby. They did a fantastic job! At home please read with your child five times a week. Practise reading and writing numbers 20.

Year 1

Year 2

Year 2 wrote a fantastic advert to persuade people to buy Traction Man in English this week. They moved onto division in maths. In Jigsaw we learnt about caring for others, keeping clean and life cycles. Please read with your child five times a week. Practise your 2, 5 and 10 times table including doing them out of order.

Year 3

This week the fantastic authors in Year 3 wrote their own super quest stories. Miss Mahmood loved reading them and was impressed with the details. As mathematicians, the children have begun looking at adding and subtracting amounts of money. Please make sure your child is reading five times a week on Bug Club. Let us know if you need help logging in.

Year 4

As mathematicians we divided two and three digit numbers, including with remainders. As authors we wrote expanded noun phrases and prepositional phrases. We also used tuned and non-tuned instruments as musicians to represent hot air balloon travelling the sky. At home ask children to represent different parts of their week using non-tuned instruments you have (or can create!) at home.

Year 5 had another wonderful week. We did some fantastic swimming, played fairly in PE and were excellent role models when we had younger children in our class. We wrote in our publishing books for the first time and amazed our teachers with our descriptive language! Please practise multiplication tables and weekly spellings.

Year 5



Year 6 had a great week this week. We were very lucky to be able to go to the Life Skills centre and learn all about how to stay safe from danger and what to do if there is an emergency. The volunteers and staff at Life Skills were very complimentary about our children and their behaviour, and Mrs Jackson and Mr Thomson were very proud of all of them. They wrote fantastic persuasive speeches, made great progress with their understanding of percentages and had some really mature discussions as part of SRE.

RESPECT: We have been focusing on respect towards adults again this week. Please continue the discussion at home. Practise multiplication and weekly spellings.

**Conversation clubs
taking place online
and in person.**

To find out where and when
they are being held, please
visit: www.esolcc.org

For details on how to join,
please contact:

esolconversationclubs@bristol.gov.uk or 07768500673

**FREE
CONVERSATION
CLUBS
IN BRISTOL**

Covid-19 and Flu vaccination drop-in session



Please come along to:

**The City Academy
Russell Town Avenue
Redfield
Bristol
BS5 9JH**

Saturday 29 January 9am-5pm

**Open to anyone 12 years and over for 1st, 2nd, 3rd
or Booster Covid-19 vaccinations, if eligible
Flu vaccinations available for 5-16 year olds and
adults, if eligible**

If you need support or information about Covid-19 please call Caafi Health
on 0117 924 7442 or email bnssg.massvaccination@nhs.net

Family Swim Sessions

for Hannah More families - **Saturdays 6 -7pm**
Come and enjoy a swim at Easton pool for only £1 per person!

- **March 26** • **June 11**
- **May 21** • **July 16**

Tickets on sale from the Monday before each swim.

Children under 8 must have an adult in the water with them.



Ladies only fitness

Every Monday from 9-10am in the Sports Hall. No need to register, just turn up. All welcome!



Competition!

We have two more activity boxes to be won. Full of lots of fun activities including cooking, crafts and puzzles! To enter, please write a short paragraph explaining why you would like to win one and what activities you would like to do. Miss Ramsay and Mrs Barbour will choose two winners next week so make sure to do your best handwriting, spelling and presentation!



Parents Voice

Friday 4th February @ 9:30

Join us for the next Parents Voice meeting to find out about the latest developments, meet governors and raise concerns. At this meeting Governors want to seek opinions from parents about Headteacher recruitment. The meeting will run again on zoom the following Tuesday at 8pm.