



Hello everyone

This week I thoroughly enjoyed observing some teaching and learning in classes. I was particularly impressed with the engagement and focus shown by the children. There has been a fantastic start to the year's learning!

Teachers really enjoyed meeting parents and finding out more about you and your children at our 'Getting to Know You' meetings this week. Thank you to everyone who came along. Please speak to your child's teacher and make an appointment if you missed the meetings.

Next week our after-school clubs start. The office have worked really hard to make sure everyone has had the chance to get to grips with the new online booking system. There are still a few spaces left in some clubs, so do ask if you still need help to book. We do also need parents to read the newsletter and keep up to date with information from school!

We are extremely pleased to have secured funding to build an extension to our community room. We hope this will offer better facilities for our community, including a crèche room. In the longer term we hope the new community centre will offer evening and weekend activities as well. Plans are at a very early stage, as we have only just been awarded the funding to go ahead. We want parents and community members to get involved right from the start, so please let me know if you are interested in taking on a role in this exciting development.

Have a lovely weekend,

Sue Ramsay, Headteacher

## CLUBS AND ACTIVITIES

After-School Clubs will start next week.

Club lists will be displayed at the end of today by the SuperKid Wall. Homework Club will be open to all children every Thursday after school.



Year 1: Brayden and Fayola

Year 2: Sara and Alex

Year 3: Hala and Thalia

Year 4: Abdullrizak and Doha

Year 5: Amal and Rajwa

Year 6: Linaz and Abdirahman



Parent and Toddler  
Group at Hannah More!

Mondays 9.00 - 11.00

Open to everyone from the  
local community!



ONLY  
£1

Kids should be having fun



Please return your signed  
consent forms to the school  
office by **FRIDAY 28TH SEPT**

if you would like your child to  
receive the flu nasal spray  
vaccination.



Tuesday 9th October

**Parent Open Morning!**

*Further details to follow in  
next weeks newsletter.*



## Alive 'N' Kicking

*Bristol's Healthy Lifestyle Programme*



- ❖ FREE 10 week programme to learn more about healthy eating and physical activity
- ❖ Weekly recipes to encourage your family to find new healthy meals to cook on a budget
- ❖ FREE weekly physical activity sessions
- ❖ Make smoothies, healthy wraps & fruit kebabs

Starts Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> October

Easton Leisure Centre, 4:15pm-5:30pm, every Thursday for 10 weeks

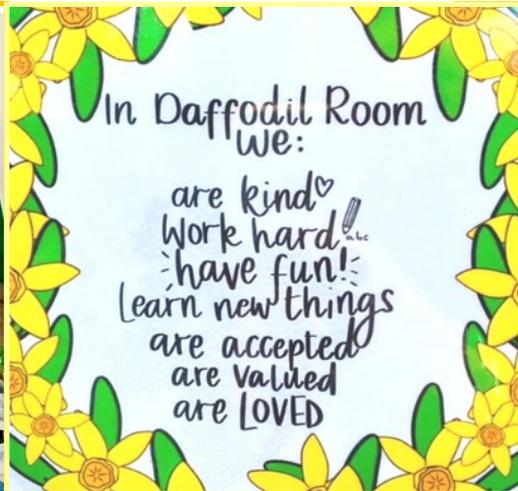
For more information or to sign your family up;

Call: 01179 422602

Email: [bristol@ank.co.uk](mailto:bristol@ank.co.uk)

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Daffodil is our new resource room designed to provide support for children who have an Autism spectrum condition or have significant communication and language difficulties. It is a calm, safe space where children can learn in an environment tailored to their needs, whether that be a sensory need or an academic need.

Daffodil Room is run by a specialist learning support assistant, who has extensive Speech and Language and Autism training. Additional support is provided by two other highly skilled assistants.

## Speech and Language Therapy

Hannah More Primary



**Friday 12th October, 2pm - 3:30pm**

- Informal sessions for anyone with a child attending the school.
- Pop in to chat about your child's speech and language development.
- We can talk about any concerns and answer your questions
- We can also give you tips and ideas to support speech and language development.
- Free service to anyone with children at the school.

To book a slot please ask your child's teacher or email: [carolyn.williams@bristol-schools.uk](mailto:carolyn.williams@bristol-schools.uk)



**Open from 8.00 - 8.45am.... and its FREE to all children and parents to come and eat breakfast at school.**



# More 4 Kids



Everyday after school care from 3.15 until 6.00pm - £8 per session

Fun and interesting indoor and outdoor activities plus snacks provided.

Fun is guaranteed!

# What have we been learning?

## Reception

We have been working hard to learn how to behave in a gold standard way in and around school and had fun getting to know all of our new class mates! Parents, next week we will be focussing on families. Please bring in a photo of your family so we can talk to the children about it, maybe of special occasion that they can tell us all about.

## Year 2

We have started to explore a new book, 'Traction Man'. We created brilliant performances using props from the story. We also started a new enquiry called 'What could my school be made of?' and started to investigate the properties of different materials. At home, ask your child about their 'Traction Man' story and ask about any new words they've learnt.

## Year 4

We have started our new enquiry where we will investigate 'What is the difference between noise and sound?'. To support this enquiry we started exploring the book 'Ossiri and the Bala Mengro'. We used the text to write non-chronological reports about travellers! At home, please read with your children and help them to practise their times tables.

## Year 6

We started the week with some practice SATs papers which the children worked very hard through. Our book this term is Beetle Boy, so Year 6 have started to read this, acting out some scenes and interpreting the new vocabulary. In maths we discovered the concept of millions and have been understanding numbers up to 10 million using place value counters and other methods. At home, make sure your child gets into the habit of reading for 15 minutes every night!

## Year 1

This week Year 1 have started reading a new book called 'The Magic Hat.' We have been writing predictions and retelling the story with actions! At home, read with your child and ask them to retell the story 'The Magic Hat' to you.

## Year 3

This week Year 3 have started to read a new story in literacy called Arthur and the Golden Rope. We have also started a new enquiry called 'How do we find out about the past?' and looked at artefacts from different times and places. At home, please read with your child and support your child with their homework over the weekend and make sure they bring it in on Monday.

## Year 5

We had a visit from the 'Explorer Dome' this week which took us on a trip to space to launch our first enquiry as Scientists! We also began reading our novel: 'Cosmic' and we wrote descriptions of the main character 'Liam'. In maths, we looked at place value including rounding, Roman numerals and partitioning numbers into tens of thousands, thousands, hundreds, tens and ones. Ask your child to tell you about how our novel links with our enquiry.