



LP 2 Newsletter



"Luceat lux Vestra"

Welcome back to school. It is so lovely to see you all! I have been very impressed with all the children in the LP2 class. They have all returned to school with an excellent attitude, and an eagerness to learn!

In our Mathematics lessons, we have been learning about 'Place Value' (Tens and Units) and 'Addition and Subtraction' The children have all worked hard to answer a range of challenging questions using a variety of problem solving methods. Well done!

In English, we have been reading and partaking in activities based on novels 'The Day the Crayons Quit' by Drew Daywalt and 'Fantastic Mr Fox' by Roald Dahl. The children have also enjoyed improving their spellings and grammar by learning about sentence structure, conjunctions, nouns, verbs and expanding noun phrases.

In History, we are thoroughly enjoying learning about World War 1 this term. So far, we have discussed the reasons why the War happened and the countries that were involved in it. We have learnt about the British Army and have created traditional uniforms for the soldiers. We have also created models displaying what life was like in the trenches in 1914.

Reading

To improve your child's reading and understanding, please ensure that your child is doing daily reading at home and that their reading records are being signed. Your child also has a 'Brilliant Books List' inside their reading records. Please encourage your child to read these books over the year. If your child completes the list, they will receive a special award in Assembly!

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Reminders and Upcoming Events

Please remember to read your child's diary every day and sign it at the end of each week.

Monday: Spelling Tests

Thursday: Booster Class *For those children who have been asked to attend.

Friday: Times Tables Tests

Remembrance Day – 9/11/20

Children in Need – 13/11/20

Please come to school in non-uniform. Thank you to all those who have already brought in their £3 donations for this wonderful cause.

Healthy Day – 13/11/20

The children will take part in activities about keeping a healthy lifestyle on this day.

New Junior Parent's Evening – 10/11/20 at 4pm

We invite all Lower Prep 2 Parents to come in to school and gather important information about moving into the Junior School.

Now that your child is in LP2, They need to be doing the following activities as extra homework.

They must be able to read and spell the words on the LP2 word list.

They must practise learning their times tables from 2 to 12 and be able to recall them quickly.

They must learn their weekly spellings and be able to use them to write a sentence.

They need to choose a book at home to read as well as their class reading book. They should now be reading one home book a week. That is 52 books in one year!

Class Achievements

Autumn Art Competition Winner: Aaminah

Assembly Trophy:

Rhaya: Hardworking

Milan: Positive attitude

Ibrahim: Handwriting

Yusuf: Number work

Zara: Positive attitude and Homework

Zakariya: Geography

Stars of the Week: Aaminah, Ibrahim, Zara

Top Reader Awards: Rohail, Aaminah, Milan, Zakariya