NEWSLETTER

St John's Highbury Vale CE Primary School



The class with the best attendance at 98.5% was Year 4.





The class with the best punctuality with 1 late all week were Year 2 and Year 5.

This week's attendance	
Reception	96.6%
Year 1	90.7%
Year 2	90.7%
Year 3	97.7%
Year 4	98.5%
Year 5	92.3%
Year 6	94.6%

Explorer

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Rec: Sarah and Ruby

Y1: Niki and Adelina

Y2: Chloe and Victor

Y3: Ke'ke and Felix

Y4: Ayana and Naomie

Y5: Sam and Evie

Y6: Jibreel and Leonides

Y2: Joshua

Y3: Mark

Y4: Favour

Reception News



This week we have been drawing representations of number.

We represented numbers up to five, in different arrangements, by drawing different colour dots.













Year 1 News



In year one this week we have begun to master our place value to 20 in maths and are writing character descriptions about our story, The Lonely Beast. For PE this term, our focus is on team building. Today we experimented with a parachute and learned about how it's important to work together!







Year 2 News



On Monday, Year 2 enjoyed participating in Forest School activities. They went on a bird photo hunt to crack a secret code. Then, they made their own bird feeders using apples and raisins. We love birds!











Year 3 News



Year 3 have been out and about in nature this week! They went on a scavenger hunt in forest school and made bird feeders. Back in the classroom, in geography we started learning about the 12 regions of the UK and physical and human geographical features. The children showed lots of friendship as they worked in their groups to solve the puzzle.







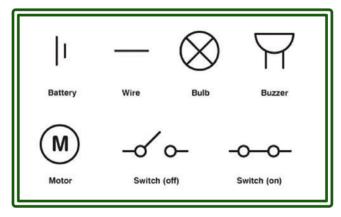
Year 4 News

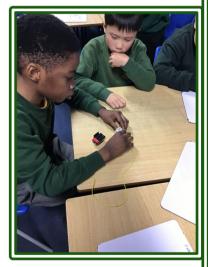




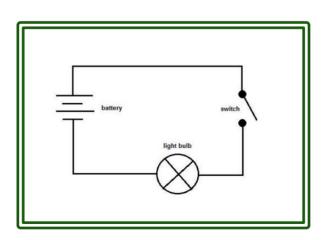
This week in Year 4, we have been learning about building circuits and the components required in order to make one work. We planned out our own diagrams on how to make a complete circuit, and then used wires, batteries, bulbs and switches in order to test out our designs and see if we can light up the bulb! We look forward to continuing our work on electrical circuits, and doing further experiments in the weeks to come.

















Year 5 News



On Monday we were lucky enough to have an in-school workshop from Jess, a professional actor and member of the Coram Shakespeare group who gave us lots of inspiration and ideas for our Shakespeare production of The tempest. We have also been tackling some really tough maths, learning all about multi digit multiplication which was tough and I want to give everyone a huge well done for sticking with it and doing their best!









Year 6 News





Last Friday, we had the opportunity to consolidate our learning of the circulatory system through learning about what our heart does and how we can monitor it. As well as being able to see a real life pigs heart and lungs to fully understand their function. We looked at how to keep our bodies healthy; we used an ultrasound machine to hear a heartbeat and we looked at blood pressure. Thank you so much Kirsty for volunteering your time to come in!









Special Visitors





Miep the dog, from Empathy Animals, will be visiting us every Tuesday.

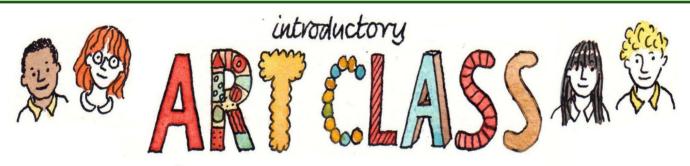


Rabbi Mendy spoke to Y1 - Y3 children about Judaism.



Any other news





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