

Issue 2 | Friday 29th September 2023

NEWSLETTER

St John's Highbury Vale CE Primary School



The class with the best attendance at 99.4% was year 4.



The class with the best punctuality with 0 children late all week was year 2.

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Y1: Aris and Indie N
Y2: Ariadne and Isaac
Y3: Ruby and Theo D
Y4: Charlie and Alberto
Y5: Dorian and Andreas
Y6: Callum C and Martha

Friday 22nd September :
Y1 Henry, Y2 Robyn, Chloe,
Vienna-Grace and Nell. Y3
Ellie, Y4 Ella and Naomie, Y6
Kyle

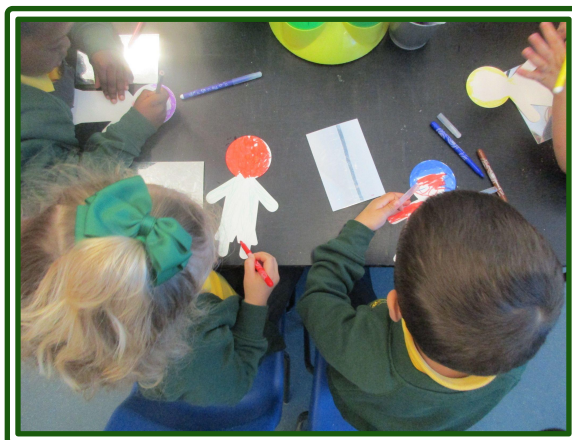
Friday 29th September:
Year 1 Nova, Y2 Naomi,
Lawrence, Y3 Clara, Y4
Sophia and Naomie, Y6
Magie, Mariia and Brandon



Reception News



This week, Reception class have been continuing to explore our classroom environment. We have been reading stories, drawing pictures and building models. The children are forming relationships with the team and with their peers.

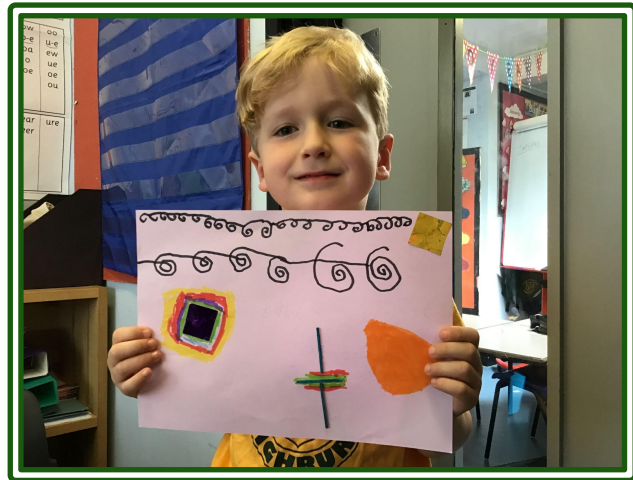




Year 1 News



Last week was full of a lot of new learning for Year 1. We are getting into the routine of setting up our books for learning and focusing on our presentation. This week we have started our kindness project art piece. We are excited for you to see the final product, but for now all we can show you is our backgrounds we started to create this week. We hope you like them!





Year 2 News



This week in Year 2 Maths, we have been looking at 2D and 3D shapes. We got out the 3D shapes and sorted them according to those that roll and those that stack. Our favourite song from this week is ... "I'm a circle, circle, I wanna be a square!"





Year 3 News



It's been a busy week for year 3. We've practiced multiplication by making maths arrays with pasta and investigated the properties of rocks in science. We also finished our first story time book The Hodgehog by Dick King Smith! What's more, we even squeezed in a trip to the Stamp Exhibition. Lots of people said the children were 'a delight and a credit to the school'! Shine bright year 3!

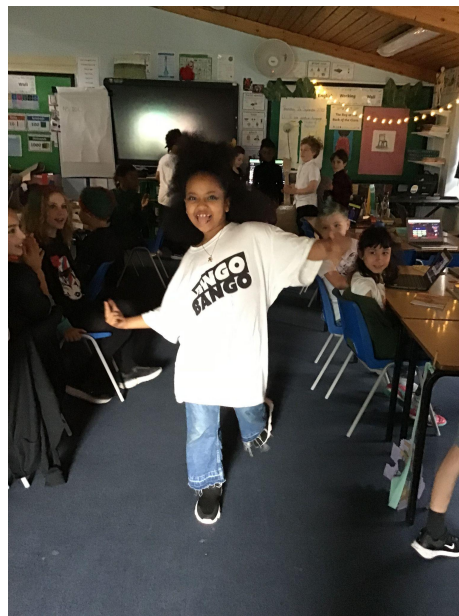




Year 4 News



This week in Year 4, we have practised our times tables EVERY DAY so that we were fully prepared for Times Tables Rockstars Day on Friday!

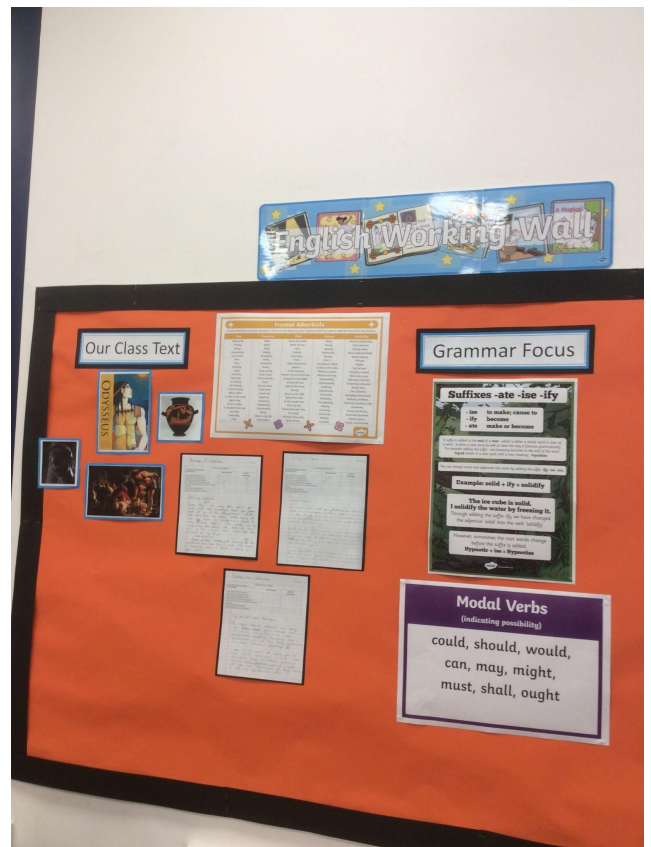




Year 5 News



This week, like every week, Year 5 have enjoyed reading books. We have a comfy reading corner where children can sit back and get lost in an exciting adventure or sad tale. Our class text for this half term is *Odysseus*. The children have enjoyed reading this Greek classic.





Year 6 News



This week Year 6 had the opportunity to participate in a workshop called Powerful Choices. We met with our partnership schools to discuss the very important topic of crime and how our choices affect our futures. We then had a fantastic workshop with Adi who told us the story of Gabriel who had a tough choice to make.





Any other news



Times Tables Rock Stars

The children had a great time today dressing up as Rock Stars. The purpose of today was to encourage all children to learn and become fluent in Times Tables. The children can do this by using TTRS. If you need any support in using TTRS, please speak to Mrs Slack. We can also provide paper copies.





Any other news



On Monday morning boys from Y5/6 travelled to Market Rd pitches to compete in the Islington Primary Schools Football Competition. The boys won all their matches which allowed them to progress to the final stages. Today the players travelled to Whittington Park to compete in the final stages. We reached the Semi Finals and finished in 3rd place out of 32 schools. A huge success and a great start to the sports competition calendar. Next week it's the girls' turn. We are also looking forward to Bikeability next week with Y3.

