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NEWSLETTER

St John's Highbury Vale C. of E. Primary School

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The class with the best attendance
at 99.3% was

Year 1



Please plan your morning
and arrive to school
on time.

Sport News at St John's

On Wednesday afternoon, children from Years 4,5 and 6 travelled to the Sobell Leisure Centre to compete in the KS2 Gymnastics Competition. There were 8 schools competing, St John's Highbury Vale being the only one form entry school. The competition was tough, the children had routines to remember and three events to compete in, and they all did very well. Overall, we finished in 3rd place and Barnaby in Year 5 finished in 3rd place in the boys individual awards. A huge well done to all involved!



We also had the boys Year 5/6 Cricket team compete in the finals of the Islington Primary Cricket Tournament last Friday, they had previously qualified and were really excited for this day. The boys finished in 4th place, narrowly missing out on a medal. This is a remarkable result, there were 16 teams competing and for a small school we did amazingly well to qualify for the finals. Well done boys, we are extremely proud of you!



Dates for this term

23rd June – Year 6 – Open morning in the Maberly Hall at 9am
29th June – French Day
30th June – Sports Day
7th July – Year 2 – Open morning in the Maberly Hall at 9am
13th July – Year 6 End of Year Show Evening Performance
14th July – Reception Class – Open morning in the Maberly Hall at 9am
14th July – Year 6 End of Year Show Afternoon Performance
20th July – Year 6 Leavers Service

On Thursday June 29th 2023, we will be celebrating French Day at school. We are hoping to run sessions for all the classes, and need help talking to the children in French. If any French-speaking parents are available to help on that day, please do let us know. If you would like to help for a morning, an afternoon, or all day, please **contact the school office** or speak to **Judy Harwood** for more information about what is involved.



Parent / Guardian Survey on Catering

We would love to hear your views on the catering service Caterlink provide at your child/ren's school. Our survey will take approx. 8 minutes of your time. Your responses will help us improve our service to provide quality, healthy and nutritious meals to the pupils we feed.

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Thank you,
Caterlink Team



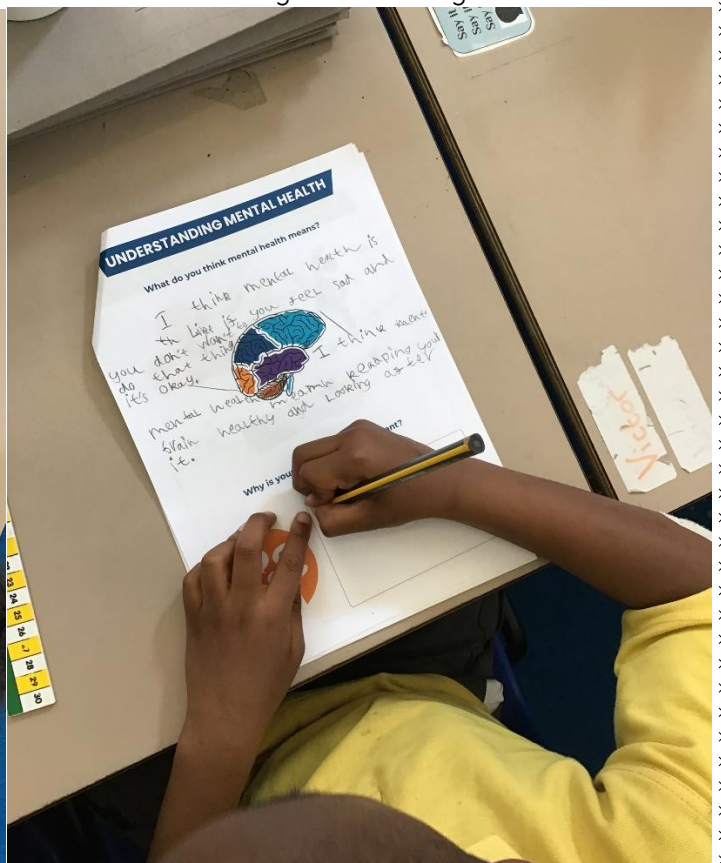
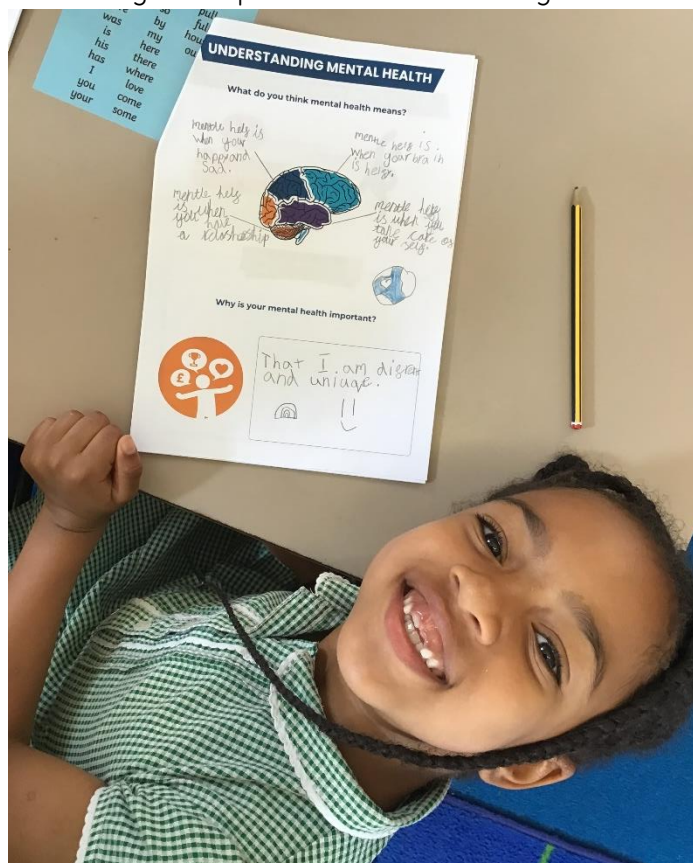
Reception

Look at our radishes! They were only tiny seeds a few weeks ago. We had a great time harvesting them and then tasting them.



Year 1

In Year 1 this week, we have started our Mental health champions program! We looked at what Mental Health is and why it's important. We had some great discussions and loved sharing our knowledge.



Year 2

In Year 2 this week, we have been demonstrating our understanding across different strands of maths.


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16	÷	8	= 2	30	÷	5	= 6

9	10	90	✓
9	x	10	= 90
10	x	9	= 90
90	÷	9	= 10
90	÷	10	= 9

15	3	5	✓
5	x	3	= 15
3	x	5	= 15
15	÷	3	= 5
15	÷	5	= 3

18	3	6	✓
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6	x	3	= 18
18	÷	3	= 6
18	÷	6	= 3

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










The bag of sweets costs 45p

How many different ways can you find to pay for the sweets, using only silver coins?

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5p + 5p + 10p + 20p + 5p
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1: To read the time on a clock

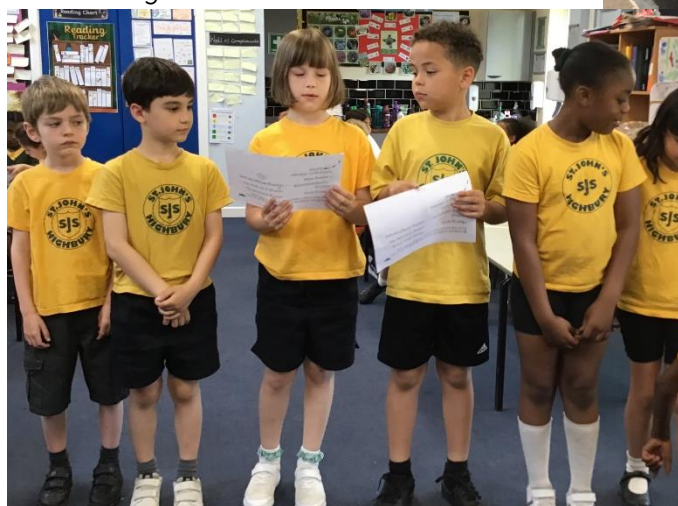
 get up ready for school and have breakfast half past 7	 start school to learn at 9 o'clock
 have play time and play with toys half past 10	 have a lunch at 12 o'clock
 finish school at home playing with toys at home or at club at 1 o'clock	 watch TV at 4 o'clock
 eat dinner half past 6	 go to bed at half past 9
 get up watch T.V	 start school go to bed

Year 3

This week, Year 3 have been learning about debating. We made a charter to make sure we were holding a fair and kind debate and then began with the argument 'What is better Cats or Dogs?'



Then we got into character as villagers from the Yao tribe and debated how we should hide our Village to keep us safe. Everyone took part and we had a great time arguing our points.



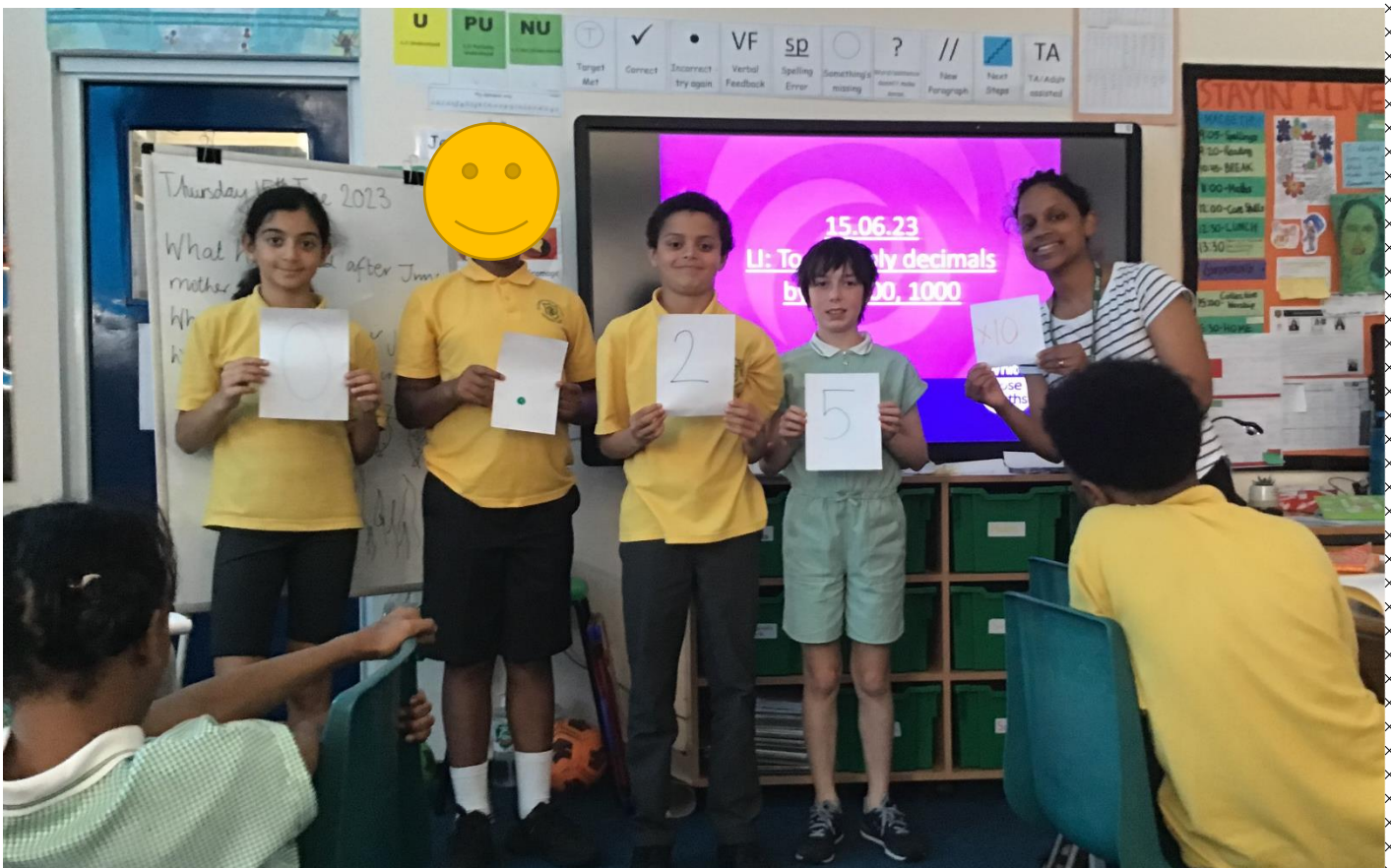
Year 4

In Year 4, we have been using actions in order to learn how to describe the weather in French. We are doing this in preparation for French day.



Year 5

In Year 5 Maths, we have been learning how to multiply and divide decimals by 10, 100 and 1000. Do you know 0.25×10 ?



Year 6

This week, Year 6 have been practicing their musical piece with Emma our fantastic music teacher. They have made extraordinary progress and are close to being able to perform in the Church for our huge whole school musical performance! Well done to Year 6 for your effort in learning the music and practicing until it's perfect!

