

8th November 2024

Lest we Forget

ON Monday 11th November we will remember all the service

people who have fought and given their lives for our country and those that continue to protect us today. We will be observing a 2 minute silence at 11am and children are invited to wear their Scouts, Brownies, Rainbows, Cadets etc uniforms to school on Monday.



The Sky at Night

AS part of their Science curriculum, Year 5 have been learning all about space. This week they were able to see all the planets and different star constellations thanks to the visit of the space dome. They also saw a star blow up which made them all jump!



Dates for the diary

- 11th November— Remembrance Day children may wear Brownie, Cubs, Rainbows etc uniforms
- 11th November— Antibullying week
- 11th November— Wellbeing week— NO AFTER
 SCHOOL CLUBS
- 14th November— Odd Socks Day
- 22nd November— PTA school disco
- 9th December— PTA Christmas Wreath Making 7pm
- 10th December— Year 1 & 2 Nativity 1.30pm
- 11th December— Year 1 & 2 Nativity 9.30am
- 12th December— Year 1 & 2 Nativity 9.30am



Can You Help?

WE are looking for some items for our Infant playtimes and are hoping that some of you may be able to help us with some donations.

If you are able to donate any of the following items please hand into the school office:-

- Guttering
- Toy Cars
- Dressing up clothes—everyday items hats, bags, waistcoats, scarfs, beads etc
- Arts and Crafts—pencils paper, stickers, felts, colouring books

ACE Achievers

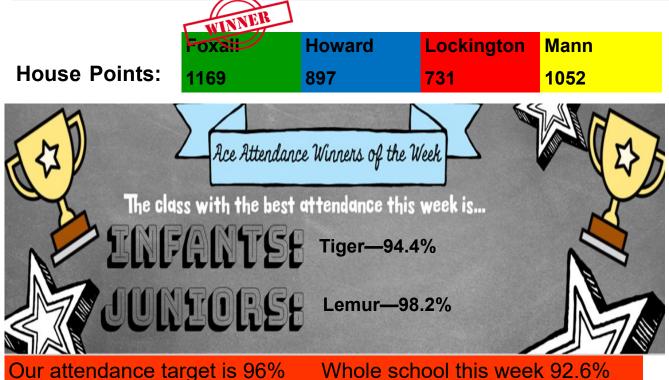
IF you are a regular reader of ACE's Highlights, you may remember that a couple of weeks ago

we featured Miss Hutchings riding her horse. She has been riding for many years but riding for the first time in half term is Joshua from Elephant Class. He was lucky enough to be riding on a beach. Well done Joshua!





Congratulations to Ivy from Panther Class who, along with her team from MJSPA, were placed first and won a gold medal for their musical theatre number at the Hounslow Festival of Music, Speech, and Dance. They scored 83 with commendation.



ACE Values

Our value this half term is Respect.

This week in worship we reflected upon what respect means to us and shared this useful way of remembering!

Readiness to listen Everyone being valued Showing appreciation Praying for people Expressing opinions sensitively Caring for our environment Treating property carefully



This verse from Matthew 7:12 was used to explain how we can show respect to others.

'So in everything, do to others what you would have them do to you.'

Anti Bullying Week

Next week is anti-bullying week and the theme for this year is 'choose respect'



On Thursday we are inviting all of the children to come to school wearing odd socks as a reminder that we are all different, with our own strengths and talents which we respect and celebrate.

The children enjoyed listening to this song about respecting difference in worship this week and you may like to use it with them at home.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UEvJzOxm6zs



Vision and Values Day

JUST before half term we held our first vision and values day when each year group focussed on one of our core values. The children worked on bible stories related to the value and also created some beautiful artwork and thoughtful prayers. We will be continuing to explore a value in depth each half term, please look out for the weekly updates so that you can follow this up at home with your child.

Here are some examples of the wonderful learning from the day:



ACE Celebration Stars of the Week

| | Name | Reason |
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| Koala | Louis S | Showing perseverance when making a firework model |
| | Louie P | For being more confident and trying new things |
| Kangaroo | Thuruvan | For a fantastic self portrait when he is in the 'green zone' |
| | Rocko | For fantastic participation during discussion on respect |
| Tiger | Nelly C | For her fantastic wanted poster in English |
| | Robin B | For his super effort and determination in reading |
| Panda | Esme R | For fantastic contribution to class discussion about angels and Christmas |
| | Cerys J | For trying hard to form her letters carefully during our handwriting lesson |
| Zebra | Kyle J | For making a brilliant wanted poster in English |
| | Theeran T | For great learning and understanding about habitats in science. |
| Giraffe | Coby N | For his brilliant answers in RE when discussing Jesus |
| | Henry M | For always being an excellent role model for others |
| Lemur | Ahmad M | For putting in great effort with his morning maths |
| | Rosie N | For her beautiful presentation in her books |
| Meerkat | Hunter C | For using exciting adjectives in the scary description of his giant |
| | Summer B | For excellent problem solving and reasoning in maths |
| Rhino | Isiah K | For a fantastic effort in improving his focus |
| | Molly W | For showing growth mindset and always trying her best |
| Elephant | Corinne R | For making a real effort to improve her writing |
| | Alysia H | For her thoughtful contributions to our RE lesson |
| Llama | Jack S | For creating some fantastic multi-clause sentences in English |
| | George W | For his focus and hard work in maths |
| Buffalo | Frankie M | For outstanding effort and contributions in maths |
| | Hasan W | For his fantastic multi-clause sentences in English |
| Panther | Alfie R | For a fantastic effort in maths |
| | Teddy O | For a fantastic effort writing a diary entry in role |
| Leopard | Arveja | For showing perseverance in maths and always trying hard |
| | Vanshika | For having high standards in all her learning and participating well in lessons |