

# THE BONNEVILLE BUZZ



Friday, 22nd October 2021

What an incredible first term back. Well done to all of our children for working so hard over the past 8 weeks. This term, we have enjoyed reflecting on our health during wellbeing week. Most parents have had the opportunity to come into school to hear about how we teach different areas of the curriculum at parent workshops. Thank you to all parents who have supported our events and managed to confirm a meeting for parent consultations. Mr Connelly led our Harvest campaign, thanks again for your much needed donations.

We have received amazing support from parents willing to be volunteer readers. We are really appreciative of your help. Reading is a key skill for life and we are keen to maximise opportunities for our children to practice their skills more regularly. If you are keen, please forward your interest by email and a staff member will be in touch with you.

Next term, we will see the return of trips, which we are all really looking forward to.

For the run up to the winter festivities, all classes will be inviting you in to share their learning with you at class assembly. Whilst the younger year groups will revive our nativity play production.

I look forward to seeing you all after the half term break, keep well.

Ms A. Parker

Executive Headteacher



**A special shout out to Mrs. Manar this term, for always giving a helping hand to everyone. Mrs. Manar is often first on call to support with first aid, contributing to us all feeling safe.**

*Thank you*

## Attendance Winners

### Key Stage One

2M with maximum attendance of 100%



### Key Stage Two

3G with maximum attendance of 100%



## Pupil Leaders

### Eco Warriors

Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Sophia 1G	Nikaya 2I	Dinah 3G	Louis 4N	Kavali 5H	Ana 6W
Akira 1J	Sophilia 2W	Safa 3G Emily 3S	Alfie 4W	Khrystal 5F	Amelia 6K

### School Council

Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Timothy 3G	Noah 4N	Artemis 5H	Jenna 6W
Olivia 3G	Ella 4N	Theo 5H	Abdullah 6W
Serenity 3S	Bruk 4W	Alicia 5F	Tyler-Jackson 6K
Marlowe 3S	Ella 4W	Chey'von 5F	Bethany 6K

### Language Leaders

Year 5	Year 6
Arley 5H	Fiorela 6K
Tim 5F	Sasha 6W



### Library Monitors

Year 5
Afreen 5H
Omar 5F
Freya 5F

### Sports Leaders

Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Sajid 1G	Rory 2I	Feven 3G	Chaz 4N	Zenae 5H	Michael 6W
Emilia 1J	Oliver 2W	Zaky 3S	Abdoul-Razaque 4W	Dominic 5F	Pamimo 6W
					Isaac 6W
					Mohammed 6K
					Nae'sean 6K
					Elijah 6K

## Pupil Leaders

### Creative Leaders

#### Year 3

Miranda 3G

Anais 3G

Amelia 3S

Keiron 3S

#### Year 4

Leondre 4N

Matilda 4N

Sophia 4W

Ava 4W

#### Year 5

Shaqai 5H

Kayla 5H

Lila 5F

Noah 5F

#### Year 6

Samira 6K

Ella 6W



### Bike It

#### Year 3

Kye 3G

Mickel 3G

James 3S

Winter Lily 3S

#### Year 4

Marie 4N

Leo 4N

Hunter 4W

Jake 4W

### House Captain Year 6

#### Red Robin

Isaac 6W

#### Green Woodpeckers

Anya 6K

#### Yellow Canaries

Pamimo 6W

#### Blue Kingfishers

Annalisa 6K

### Vice Captain Year 6

#### Red Robin

Amelia 6K

#### Green Woodpeckers

Abdulla 6W

#### Yellow Canaries

Fiorela 6K

#### Blue Kingfishers

Immanuel 6W

All our Harvest contributions were delivered safely to Ace of Clubs. Thank you for your donations!



# Early Years Foundation Stage

## Nursery Parent Update

We have been reading the story, 'Handa's Surprise'. We worked together during our carpet session to recall the animals that took Handa's fruits and tried to understand the reason why there was a surprise at the end of the story. We revisited the different names of the different parts of the book such as front cover, back cover and had fun exploring how to hold books as we turn pages one at a time. We learnt about new fruits such as guava and passion fruit which some of us were not familiar with. We spoke about friendships and some of the things that we need to do to be a good friend such as being kind and sharing.

In numeracy we started learning that the last number reached when counting a small set of objects tells you how many there are in total, so we practised counting and stopping when we get to the last number. We will be revisiting this at every opportunity around our nursery to reinforce the concept.

In physical development, we took a walk around our school, had a go at climbing up the steps and stairs independently without support. We have also been practising using the scissors to cut out printed fruits.

In Understanding the World we compared the setting in our story, 'Handa's Surprise' to London, as well as the traditional clothing worn in our story compared to our clothes.

In Expressive Arts and Design, we had a go at drawing some of the fruits in our story such as banana and orange.

We had a drama workshop, which we really enjoyed and engaged in thoroughly. We have had a wonderful week and have learnt most of our routines as well as what is expected of us. These have helped us to settle well and enjoy being at nursey.



## EYFS Nativity

(Nursery & Reception)

8th & 10th December

Your class will be allocated a day!



## Voluntary Reader

If you would like to be a secret reader (reading a story to your child's class) or would like to support us in maximising children's opportunity to practice their reading skills, please email the office.

# Early Years Foundation Stage



## Reception Parent Update

**Literacy** – Our book of the week is 'Fruits - A Caribbean counting poem' by Valerie Bloom. This story had us thinking about a range of countries around the world. This story introduced us to rhyme for the first time. The children explored what a rhyme was and had a go at finding matching rhyming pairs. We played lots of games to develop their understanding and read other popular rhyming books like 'Room on the broom' and 'Tabby McTat'.

**Maths** – In maths we have continued to develop our knowledge and understanding of number. Following on from last week, we practiced counting to and back from 10, ordered numbers, went on a number hunt to recognise numerals around our environment and matched the amount to the number.

**EAD** - For EAD, the children had a go at painting with watercolour. We looked at some fruit that does not grow here in the UK and painted a still life of a fruit bowl. We had to look carefully at the shapes, colours and fruit placement to make an accurate still life painting. Once we had finished we self-evaluated our work by giving ourselves 2 stars and a wish.

**UTW** – For UTW, we looked at similarities and differences between lives in different countries. We watched a video that followed the daily life of a little girl living in Costa Rica, a country near the Caribbean. We then compared her life to ours and thought about how our way of life was similar or different.



**Reception After School Activity Clubs will begin in the Spring Term**



**Open Morning  
Monday 29th  
November, at  
9.30am**

**Spread the word! Must be pre-booked!**

# Key Stage One

## Year 1 Parent Update

Year 1 have had a wonderful few weeks!

In English, we have been focusing on what makes a super sentence. We have carried on with our story 'Lost in the toy museum' and we have used colourful semantics to write descriptive sentences about the story. We have also written a character description for the main character in the story using a variety of adjectives.

In Maths, we have been exploring 2D and 3D shapes. We have practiced naming and describing the properties of common 2D and 3D shapes. We have had lots of fun being architects and creating our very own shape houses! We also learnt about Venn diagrams and how we can sort the different shapes using them.

In RE, we have explored the four different religions that we are learning about throughout this year; Christianity, Islam, Hinduism and Sikhism. We looked at different symbols and religious items associated with these religions.

In Geography, we continued to look at the United Kingdom. In particular, we focused on England and its capital city, London. We learnt about the difference between human and physical features and identified different features of London.

In Computing, we have had lots of fun using beebots this week. We have learnt what debugging means and how to debug a beebot.

In Science we practiced labelling the different parts of our bodies and talked about the function of each body part. We also learnt what the 5 senses are and the importance of our senses.



## KS1 Nativity

7th & 8th December

Your class will be allocated a day!



**Please remember to label your child's clothing so our playground monitors can unite items to their owner.**

**Name and Class will do!**

**Our October Value is Tolerance**

# Notices

## Our November Value is Responsibility

### Dogs

Children have expressed their worry about having to walk past unleashed dogs. Please support us in making the children feel at ease when coming to school by keeping your dog on the lead outside the school. This simple action would make a massive difference to our children who are more wary of dogs.

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## Important Dates For Your Diary

### FAB Bake Sale and Dress U Day

Friday, 22nd October

### End of Half Term

Friday, 22 October 3.15pm

### INSET Day

Monday, 1st November

### Children Return

Tuesday, 2nd November

### School Photo Day

Wednesday, 3rd & Thursday, 4th November

### UKS2 Rescheduled English Workshop

Thursday, 4th November at 9am

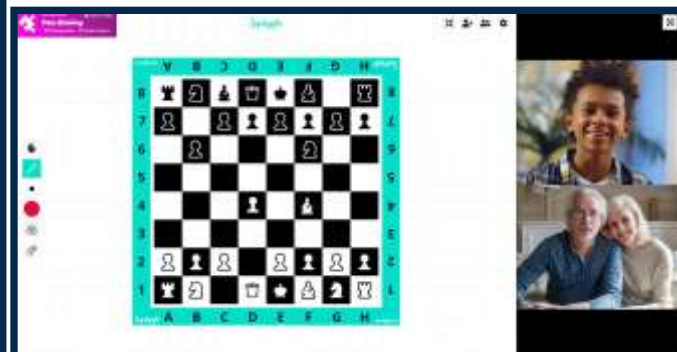
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All children at Bonneville have been given **100% FREE** access to Squiggle, an exciting new online video chat app built by Dan, one of the dads at our school. Squiggle lets you draw, play and collaborate together while in a video call. Think Zoom for children. It's perfect for classic pencil-and-paper games, such as **noughts & crosses**, **dots & boxes**, **colouring in** and **hangman**, but when you sign up you'll also be able to play **chess**, **draughts**, **Pictionary** and **word searches** with your friends and family wherever they are in the world.



# Key Stage One

## Year 2 Parent Update

This week we took part in a drama workshop called 'Perform'. In this session, we were taken to outer space to complete a special mission to protect planet earth.

In English this week, Year 2 have been finding out about the explorer David Livingstone. We used a range of sources of evidence to research his life. We sequenced his journey across Africa using time conjunctions and expanded noun phrases to make our writing more exciting.

In Maths, we have naming 2D shapes and describing their properties. We used this knowledge to describe 2D shapes. We also completed repeated patterns and explored lines of symmetry by painting one side of a butterfly and folding.

In Science this week, we planned a balanced meal following the guidelines of the food pyramid. After, we explained our food choices for our balanced meal.

In Topic this week, Year 2 have learnt about the United Kingdom and named its four countries and capitals. We learnt facts about each country and chose our favourite ones to write in our book.

In Religious Education this week, for our Judaism topic, we experienced a Shabbat meal. We enjoyed challah bread, grape juice and telling stories.

In PSHE this week, we discussed our personality and talents in a circle time.

In computing this week, we have continued our programming module using 'Scratch'.

In Music this week, we continued our learning about beat and rhythm. We learnt the value of a crotchet and a quaver and clapped rhythms using this musical notation. We have also enjoyed learning our harvest songs.





## Year 3 Parent Update

In English, year 3 have been exploring play scripts. Children have written a second scene from Cinderella of the Nile and practiced changing scenes in their play script writing.

In Maths, children have been practicing times tables, solving missing number problems and using arrays to represent fact families. Children have also begun learning division, including repeated subtraction.

In Topic, children researched the human and physical features of Egypt, and explored Ancient Egyptian gods and goddesses.

In DT children practiced making pop-up mechanisms, finalising their skills in a pop-up book.

This week on Science Day, children will be making soil shakes to identify the materials found in soil, investigating rock hardness and erosion of rocks.

This week in PE children will build on their mini football tournaments ready for their final tournament.

In RE children learnt the Muslim creation story.

In PSHE children discussed their achievements and goals in Year 3 and will be celebrating the progress they have made.



**Year 3 Class Assembly  
Starts 9.30am Prompt**

3G Monday 22nd November

3S Tuesday 30th November

## Year 4 Parent Update

Another fantastic few weeks in year 4! The children are all fully settled into year 4 life and are thriving during lessons.

In English, the children have spent the week building up to writing a newspaper report on the Caledonian Invasion, lead by Septimius Severus. They have looked at all the key features of a newspaper report, and practiced writing news reports and acting them out as news readers. Children really enjoyed sharing their work with parents, when they visited. They have worked incredibly hard publishing their work.

In Maths, the children have been focusing on formal written methods for multiplication. They consolidated the learning they did in year 3, where they multiplied using the partitioning method and grid method, and then moved onto to expanded method and even the short formal method! They multiplied teen numbers by 1 digit, 2 digit numbers by 1 digit, 3 digit numbers by 1 digit, and some even gave 4 digit numbers a go! Then, we put our knowledge to good use playing a multiplication game! Wow! What a week!

In Science, we set up an experiment over time which helps us understand the importance of keeping our teeth clean. We learnt about the types of teeth we have and how important they all are, and even put our knowledge to the test. We ate small bits of apple using all of our teeth, then tried it with only our front teeth, and all had a good laugh at how hard it was!

In Topic, we learnt all about Roman roads! Did you know, we still have some roads today which were built by the Romans? we learnt where they are and why they built them straight.

In PE, we practised our passing skills again and even began learning how to score!

In RE, we have been focusing on Sikhism, and learnt all about the 10 human gurus and what they have done for Sikhism and how they are remembered and worshiped.

In PSHE, the children have written poems all about themselves!

Thank you so much to all the parents who were able to visit us on Thursday, it was so wonderful to have parents in the lesson and the children loved being able to show their work off.



**Year 4 Class Assembly**  
**Starts 9.15 am Prompt**  
4N Wednesday 1st December  
4W Thursday 2nd December

## Year 5 Parent Update

The children of year 5 have had a very exciting half term. It has been so nice getting 'Back to Normal' with them, and look forward to the rest of the year!

In English this week the children have been exploring imagery poetry and it's features. They have been using the five senses, metaphors and similes to bring their poems to life!

In Maths, the children have been developing their multiplication and division skills. This has involved using reasoning to answer problems, and understanding that maths is not only in the classroom but in real life. We strongly urge parents and carers to develop this skill at home, using maths in ever-day situations such cleaning, cooking, playing.

In Science the children have been doing some amazing work, researching the parts of plants and developing their understanding of the reproductive systems of flowers. They have taken part in science walks around Bonneville and were able to distinguish the features very accurately!

In computing the children have been making their own Anglo-Saxon inspired music using the app garage band.

In Topic the children have been developing even more their knowledge as time travellers, specifically this week the succession crisis of 1066, and who was trying to be king!

Can we please ask that the children make sure to get their homework done on time, we have a homework club on Wednesday lunchtimes and we really don't want anyone in it next term.

Well done year 5 for a fantastic term and have a wonderful break!



**Year 5 Class Assembly**

**Starts 9.15 am Prompt**

**5F Tuesday 23rd November**

**5H Thursday 25th November**

# Upper Key Stage Two

## Year 6 Parent Update

Year 6 have been working hard as usual. Another quick reminder that homework for English is set in Google classroom. For Maths, children will need to go onto TT Rockstars and MyMaths. Children have their own individual logins but if there are any problems with accessing their homework they need to let their class teacher know before Wednesday of the following week (when their homework is due). Reading is also expected to be done regularly and a record of this should be made in their reading record at least three times a week minimum.

**Maths:** In Maths, we started the week by continuing with learning about division. Year 6 have been using short division, long division and dividing using factor pairs. We then moved our learning on, focusing on Fractions. We have been using our multiplication table facts to help us find equivalent fractions.

**English:** We have been focussing on the features of a narrative, in particular how authors use dialogue in their work to move the story on. We looked at how speech is punctuated and applied this to our 'Big Write' session on Friday. We also focussed on making our work more interesting for our audience by thinking about using interesting vocabulary, synonyms for the word 'said' and cohesive devices.

**Humanities:** As you know, our topic is Wakanda Forever and in our lesson this week we focused on the history of the ancient city of Benin. We created a timeline that documented the key events that took place as well as discussing the positive and negative impact each event had on the country.

**R.E:** In R.E we continued to look at Buddhism specifically where Buddhists worship- a temple. We looked at the general features of a temple and then compared the similarities and differences they might display.

**PSHE:** We continued to look at the topic of 'My Identity' and explored short term and long term goals and how they could be achieved.

**Science:** Our Science this term is Biology: Evolution and Inheritance. This week we looked at traits and which traits could be inherited from a parent.

**P.E:** Our P.E days are Monday and Friday. Our focus this term is Tag Rugby and Dance. Please ensure that you have P.E kits on these days.

**Computing:** We are using the app Garage Band on the iPads and creating a soundtrack to our own narrative based on Black Panther



Making a rainbow at Lambeth Academy

**Year 6 Class Assembly**  
**Starts 9.15 am Prompt**  
6K Wednesday 17th November  
6W Thursday 18th November

# Our October Value is Tolerance

## Year 6 Continued

Year 6 have had a busy half term and worked really hard. We think that everyone deserves a great half term break ready to come back fresh for Autumn 2! On Thursday we had a wonderful afternoon at our neighbouring secondary school Lambeth Academy. We were able to have a PE lesson in their Sports Hall with one of their teachers and a Chemistry lesson exploring Acids and Alkalis making a rainbow in one of the Science Labs with one of their Science teachers.

**Homework:** We'd like to remind you all that homework is now being set up on **Google Classroom** so look out for it and ensure that your child(ren) has logged in to their new classroom as well as **MyMaths** and **Times Tables Rock Stars**. Ensure that you are **reading** regularly at home and completing your reading records a minimum of three times per week. Each week the children have spelling homework, which they get tested on during the following week. There is also topic homework and everyone should have created a piece of Topic or Science related homework and handed it in. This is due once per half term and there will be a display for the parents and carers at the end of Autumn 2.

A big congratulations to Lejon, who was voted Scientist of the day and Dylonn, who was voted sports person of the day by the staff at Lambeth Academy. They each received £10 Amazon gift card.



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**Remember the Secondary School Application Form deadline is 31st October. If you need any support please contact Mr Connolly**

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# FAB

Thank you to the FAB Office Team. We really do appreciate everything you do, and we love the FAB Newsletter that keeps us all up to date.

They need more help and support. Please get involved, more hands make lighter work!

**FUNDRAISING THIS YEAR IS VITAL**

**Thank you to everyone who attended the AGM meeting last week.**

Donations may be eligible for gift aid – please email [fab.treasurer01@gmail.com](mailto:fab.treasurer01@gmail.com) for a gift aid form and return the completed form via email to allow gift aid to be claimed.

**Don't Forget About the FAB Events this Month:**

**22 Oct - Halloween Dress up and Bake Sale**

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