



The Campsbourne Weekly

Campsbourne School's Weekly Newsletter

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Every Child Matters

27th November
2015



Attendance for
week ending
20th November
2015

R Mondrian	92%
R Matisse	93%
1 Riley	93%
1 Brooks	97%
2 Seurat	98% 🏆
2 O'Keeffe	96%
3 Kandinsky	98%
3 Monet	96%
4 Picasso	96%
4 Sekoto	94%
5 Lowry	99% 🏆
5 Warhol	98%
6 Da Vinci	96%
6 Kahlo	94%

Dear Parents and Carers,

It's coming to the end of November and the countdown to the Christmas break has begun! All the children have been practising for the upcoming concerts. Please remember to hand in your ticket request as soon as possible, as these shows are always popular.

During the next couple of weeks years 3,4,5 and 6 will be going on their trips to see a pantomime, whilst Key stage one have a visiting company perform at Campsbourne on 8th December.

Jonathan Smith, who assumes the position of head teacher from January, has been in a couple of times this week. He is very excited about coming to Campsbourne and is really looking forward to meeting you all. Early next term, there will be opportunities for him to introduce himself at some sessions we will arrange during and after school.

Football Treat!

One of our year 6 students, Connor Gilmore, had a very exciting day visiting the Arsenal stadium. Whilst there he met some players, including Petr Cech and as an extra special treat, he was given a personalised Arsenal shirt. He shared his experience during Friday's celebration assembly.



After School Activities in the Spring Term

The HSA have decided to change the way that they subsidise Drama, Yoga and Craft Club. The clubs will be charging the full rate with a number of concessionary places available. These will be for any child currently receiving Free School Meals or classed as "Ever 6" (if your child has claimed Free School Meals within the last 6 years). If you are unsure whether your child can get the concessionary rate please ask at the school office.

- Drama will be £45 a term (concession rate £20)
- Yoga will be £60 a term (concession rate £30)
- Craft will be £65 a term (concession rate £30)

To book one of the concessionary rate places please contact Wendy by email wendy.fitt@campsbourne.haringey.sch.uk or through the school office.

Places will be first come first served and need to be booked before Friday 11th December. Full rate places as normal by contacting Drama via email on gabi@theplayspace.co.uk For Yoga Club please phone Emma on 07984-447-180 or email emma@emmayoga.com and for Craft Club please email Michaela.1@sky.com

Parent Governor Elections

We have been delighted by the interest in the Parent Governor positions and a big "thank you" to many people who voted!

Marion Groshong, Elli Jones and Stuart Parker have all been elected as Parent Governors. A massive thank you goes to Mary Battley, Gladys Merceron and Sonia Strang for putting themselves forward for the roles. We really appreciate you taking an interest in and wanting to get involved in the running of our school.

Spelling Challenge

Olivia, Nina, Luke, Yonis, Muna and Aisha in Year 6 took part in a spelling challenge with 5 other schools at Rokesly. The children were placed in mixed school teams, so there was no overall school winner. However, Campsbourne children did us proud with their good manners and enthusiasm. Aisha, in Da Vinci class was part of the winning team. Well done Aisha, and everyone who took part!

Lost Property

Please claim any lost property early next week. We have LMB Textile recycling coming next Thursday and any old lost property will be donated to this charity.



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NEXT WEEK ACTIVITIES FOR CAMPSBOURNE!

Week Beginning: 30/11/15

Reception	Next week we will be focusing on the celebration 'Hannukah'. The children will be making their very own Menorah and on writing day they will be writing instructions on how they made them. In maths we will be focusing on one more/greater and one less/fewer than a given number. Our Christmas Show is on the 16th of December at 9.30am, a letter has been given out please could you return the reply slip to the class teacher. Have a lovely weekend, from the reception team!
Year 1	<p>Literacy – Reading the story '<i>Wish you were here</i>' by Martina Selway and writing postcards using our own experiences of places we have visited.</p> <p>Maths – To find number bonds for 20. To add two single digits by making ten first. To add a 2-digit number and a 1-digit number by regrouping ten.</p> <p>RE – Learn about the Christian festival of Christmas.</p> <p>Geography - We will also be discussing landmarks of Edinburgh and drawing them.</p> <p>Science – We will be observing the leaves of trees and sorting them.</p>
Year 2	Julie's Language and Literacy group will be thinking about why we read explanatory texts and how they are structured to make information clear. Christina's Literacy and Language group will be writing stories. In Maths Mastery we continue to look at different types of graphs and use them to gather information. In Science we will be consolidating our knowledge of food chains. In Geography we using north, south, east and west when looking at a compass. In Computing children will continue coding using Espresso. In Art children start making Christmas cards for the pupils in our partner school in Madrid. We need your child to bring their book bag <u>everyday please</u> . P.E kits for P.E on Tuesday and Wednesday.
Year 3	<p>Maths: Graphs - The children will be focusing on interpreting and constructing pictograms and scaled bar charts.</p> <p>Literacy: The Enchantress of the Sands - We will be introducing the children to a folk tale and they will discuss its features.</p> <p>Science: Children will investigate which materials block light to create shadows.</p> <p>Topic: We will learn about different types of housing in our local area and use that knowledge to design a house in Art!</p> <p>PE: Please ensure your child has their PE kit in school on Wednesdays/Thursdays.</p> <p>***REMINDER: Year 3 have commenced rehearsals for the Christmas Show. Please ensure your child has brought in the following:</p> <p>Monet : plain green t-shirt [school top]/jumper and dark trousers/leggings</p> <p>Kandinsky: green, white, red or Christmas jumper/t-shirt and dark leggings/trousers</p>
Year 4	<p>Maths: This week we will be learning about equivalent fractions.</p> <p>English: We will be writing final drafts of our dilemma story.</p> <p>Topic: We will be learning about living in Ancient Greece.</p> <p>PE: Thursdays and Fridays for BOTH Classes. <u>Some children are still not bringing an appropriate change of kit for these lessons. Please ensure that PE kit is provided.</u> This is a health and safety requirement.</p> <p>Homework: Homework will be given out on Fridays. Please encourage your child to complete homework and return it on Wednesdays. Reading daily with your child and discussing the text will aid their progress in all subjects. Handwriting and times tables also need to be practised for short bursts each day.</p> <p>TRUMPET & CLARINET RECITAL: This will take place on Tuesday, 1st December for Picasso @ 2.45pm and Thursday 3rd December for Sekoto @ 2.45pm. It would be lovely if all the children could wear a green or red top on these days. We hope to see you there!</p> <p>TRIP: Please ensure you have returned your slips for our theatre trip. We are still looking for helpers. Please sign the back of the form if you can accompany us.</p>
Year 5	<p>Maths: We will be applying the formal written method to calculate answers to multiplication problems.</p> <p>English: We will be drawing meaning about the text we have been studying.</p> <p>Science: We will be exploring the word 'orbit' and assessing how long it takes each planet to orbit the Sun.</p> <p>Topic: We will be finishing off and then presenting our information books about Alexandra Palace.</p> <p>PE: Monday and Tuesday. On Monday, the children require both their swimming and PE kits. On Tuesday, the children just need their PE kits.</p> <p>Homework: Will be given on Monday, to be handed in on Friday.</p>
Year 6	<p>Maths - converting between standard units of length to solve problems.</p> <p>English - interview a classmate and write an autobiography.</p> <p>Topic - identify and explain key aspects of Viking life.</p> <p>Science - continue studying evolution and inheritance.</p> <p>PE/Swimming will take place on a Friday afternoon. Please ensure your child brings the appropriate kit.</p>