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NEWSLETTER

SPRING TERM
WEEK 8

UPDATE FROM MRS RODENAS

Today we enjoyed a fantastic World Book Day, with pupils and staff embracing the joy of reading through wonderful costumes and a real buzz of literary excitement across the school. A huge thank you to Mrs Szurgot and our staff for organising a brilliant rotation of activities throughout the day. The highlight for many was the big reveal of who each of our masked readers was! The children looked fantastic in their costumes and it was wonderful to see such enthusiasm for books and storytelling across the whole school. Encouraging a genuine love of reading remains such an important part of life at BWI.

Year 5 also had the exciting opportunity to visit Bishop Ramsey Church of England School to see a preview of their production of The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe. The play even featured some of our talented former BWI pupils performing on stage, making the experience even more special. The children thoroughly enjoyed seeing such a well-loved story brought to life.

Finally, congratulations to Issy, our overall winner, and to our three runners-up – Charlotte, Ellie and Louie – who all wrote fantastic acrostic poems about what it means to B.E.L.O.N.G. as part of our Children’s Mental Health Week competition. Well done to everyone who entered. We were so impressed by the thoughtful and creative pieces of writing, which remind us of the importance and power of belonging within our school community.

With the warmer weather approaching, we have also seen a positive impact on our whole-school attendance. Please remember that good attendance and punctuality are crucial for our children’s learning and future life chances. London Borough of Hillingdon monitors attendance for all pupils whose attendance falls below 90%. Please ensure that your children attend school every day and remember to inform the school if they are unwell.

Wishing you all a restful weekend. **Mrs Rodenas**



Storytime in the hall



Children got to enjoy lots of different fun activities for World Book Day

Notices

- **Smartphones**
- [Sign up to the Smartphone Free Childhood event at Warrender School on Tuesday 17th March by clicking here](#)

Important dates

- **9th March** – Science Week
- **10th & 11th March** - Parent’s Evenings
- **16th March** – Year 6 to BR Prayer Space
- **18th March** – VIAM
- **25th March** - Year 5 Class Connection Morning

Attendance Champions



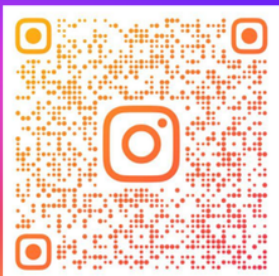
Pathfinders - 98.9%



Explorers - 98.4%



Groundbreakers - 98.2%



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How our cup has overflowed this week!

Nursery



We have been continuing our 'animal' topic. In phonics we have looked at loud and quiet animal sounds and enjoyed clapping out the syllables of the animal names. In Maths we have been following simple routes to 'find the animal' and in RE we are reading the Easter story.

Adventurers



We have started to explore our new book, Rosie's Walk, and the children have shown great enthusiasm for the story and its characters. On Friday we had a wonderful time dressing up for World Book Day and taking part in lots of different activities, including story-based learning, creative crafts, and role play.

Discoverers



We have been writing sentences about how Noi rescued the baby whale. In Phonics, we have been revising previously taught sounds. In Geography we talked about seasons and went on a seasons walk on our school grounds. In RE we have been discussing The Last Supper and how the disciples felt.

Explorers



In RE this week we begun looking at the symbols of Easter. In art we collected natural objects and used our knowledge of primary and secondary colours to print with these objects. In history we had fun learning about schools from the past and loved looking at BWI's punishment book from over 100 years ago!

Investigators



Investigators have begun their learning on the Romans by investigating ancient Roman life by looking at its buildings. They have been finishing off their English and Maths assessments and continuing with their character description based on Roald Dahl's George's Grandma.

Pathfinders



In Year 4 we had a very busy week completing assessments. The children showed great endurance and worked really hard throughout, demonstrating a positive attitude and perseverance. We were very proud of the effort they all put in.

Groundbreakers



Year 5 have been busily practicing for our Class Connection assembly on 25th March. Some of the children have even written, casted and directed their own short plays of our learning topics which will be included in our assembly. I am so proud of all of the children for their incredible efforts!

Trailblazers



Trailblazers have been busy continuing their work on their key text, Kensuke's Kingdom by Michael Morpurgo. In English they have been planning a recount written as Michael, retelling key events from his journey aboard the Peggy Sue so far. In Maths they have been building their understanding of percentages of amounts, using both single- and multi-step calculations.



Thought for the week



I am the way, the truth, and the life. John 14:6

In John 14:6, Jesus tells his disciples, "I am the way, the truth, and the life." At a time when the disciples were worried and uncertain about the future, Jesus reminded them that they were not alone and that they could trust him to guide them.

Sometimes in life we can feel unsure about what to do, which choice is the right one, or how to overcome a challenge. Jesus' words remind us that when we follow his example, we are guided by truth, kindness and love. He shows us the way through the choices we make each day: when we choose honesty, when we show compassion to others, and when we do what is right even when it is difficult.

In our school community, we can live out these words by supporting one another, telling the truth, and helping others to flourish. By following Jesus' example, we help to create a place where everyone feels valued, respected and able to grow.

Something to pray

Dear Lord,

Thank you for being our guide and showing us the way to live with truth, love and kindness.

Help us to follow your example in the choices we make each day.

Give us courage to do what is right, wisdom to seek the truth, and hearts that care for others.

May our school be a place where everyone feels supported and encouraged to grow.

Amen.



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