



NEWSLETTER



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Dear Parents

Y3/4 athletics tournament:

A group of 16 children in Y3 and 4 took part in an interschool athletics tournament at the Elephant and Castle sports centre yesterday. There were a total of 128 children from 8 schools taking part. As a team we came 7th but we are very proud to let you know that the team won the tournament "Passion" award and DJ in Y3 won the "Best Boy" of the tournament award. Well done to them!

Scaffolding in playground:

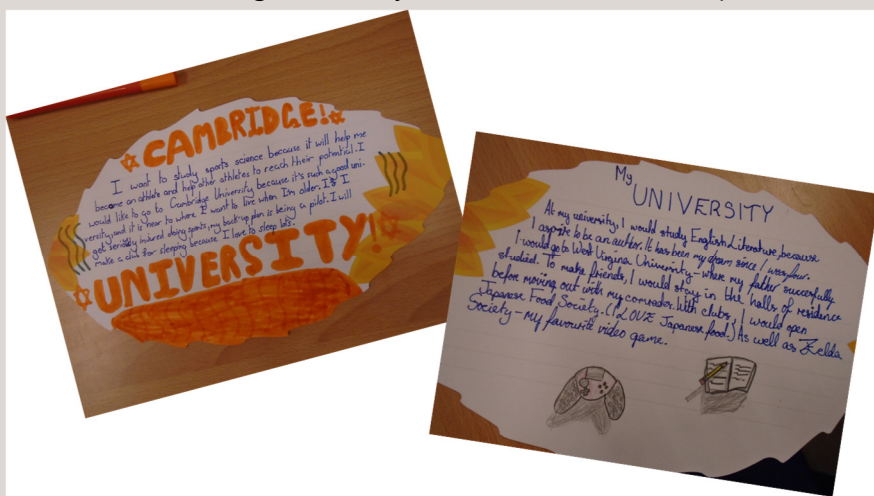
Next weekend (26th and 27th January) some scaffolding will be put up behind the dragon's den in the playground and will remain there for several weeks. It should have no impact on our ability to use the playground as normal. This is because 14—21 Rushworth Street is being demolished.

Mobile phones in school:

Some of our older children bring mobile phones to school. We understand why parents want to be able to contact them after school. However, we have reminded the children today that if they do bring them in, they must hand them in to the office the moment they arrive and collect them from the office at the end of the school day. Phones must not be kept with the children at any point during the day. If a child is found with a phone, it will be confiscated and returned to the parent only.

Children's learning at Friars:

We have a long standing relationship with the charity, "Into University" who help London children learn about the benefits of university education. This year Y6 visited Cambridge university and wrote about their aspirations.



Dates for the Spring term

New items in red

Thursday 24th January—Y5 to watch Twelfth Night at Southwark Playhouse

Tuesday 29th January—Y5 parent IMPACT workshop 9-10

Friday 1st February—9 children from Y5/6 to Hi5 netball tournament

Monday 4th February—parent open morning 9:10—10

Tuesday 5th February—safer internet day

Wednesday 6th February—Y1 parent IMPACT workshop 9-10

Thursday 7th February—Y6 to TFL junior citizenship course

Wednesday 13th February—parent coffee morning for Friars, Charles Dickens and Charlotte Sharman parents. 9-11

Friday 15th February—last day of Spring 1

Monday 25th February—first day of Spring 2

Week beginning 25th February—Maths week

Wednesday 27th February—Y5 to the Globe to watch Henry V

Tuesday 5th March—final Y3 swimming session; Y5 to Into university

Thursday 7th March—World Book day

Tuesday 12th March—Y2 start swimming; Spring term parent consultations

Wednesday 13th March—spring term parent consultations

Thursday 14th March—parent coffee morning 9-9:30

Monday 18th March—Y5 to Dreamtime tales at Cadogan Hall

Wednesday 20th March—YN parent IMPACT workshop 9-10

Friday 5th April—last day of Spring term

Tuesday 23rd April—first day of Summer term

Friday 26th April—parent coffee morning 9-9:30

Growth mindset thought for the week:

What you think,
you become.
What you feel,
you attract.
What you imagine,
you create.
—BUDDHA

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Have a lovely weekend!
Yours sincerely,
J. Burtt, Headteacher

Commitment to keeping children safe:

Paper copies of our safeguarding policy are available for parents from the school office. It is also posted on the policies section of the website.



EYFS/KS1

Year One

Anniyah

for her fantastic effort finding one more and one less in Maths.

Well Done!



KS2

Year Six

Eisha

for making such a fantastic start at Friars. We are thrilled to have you!

Well Done!



Assembly theme /next week

Peace - self control



| | Class | ATTENDANCE |
|-----|-------|------------|
| 1st | 5 | 98.52% |
| 2nd | 6 | 96.93% |
| 3rd | 1 | 95.49% |
| 4th | 4 | 94.88% |
| 5th | 2 | 90.81% |
| 6th | 3 | 89.41% |
| 7th | R | 83.94% |



| | Class | ON TIME |
|--------|-------|---------|
| 1st | 4 | 100% |
| 2nd | 1 | 97.95% |
| 3rd | 2 | 97.79% |
| 97.58% | R | 97.45% |
| 5th | 5 | 96.30% |
| 6th | 3 | 95.34% |
| 7th | 6 | 94.25% |