



Allanson Street News

20th January 2023

Our value this month is:

Integrity



Reading

Please make sure you listen to your child read at least 3 times a week and record this in their reading records.

For those children not yet bringing a reading book home, please make sure you are reading to them as frequently as possible.

This Week's Highlights

In **Nursery** we have been learning about the celebration of Chinese New Year, the children have particularly enjoyed watching a video clip of a dragon dancing in the parade. They have also practised their cutting skills as they made their own dragon puppet. They listened to the story "The Great Race" about how the Chinese Emperor decided which animal to name the year after. They developed their maths skills by playing a race game using a dice.

This week in **Reception**, we have learning about Chinese New Year and how people around the world celebrate it. Using our folding and cutting skills we made our own lanterns and wrote messages of good luck using Chinese letters. We continued to explore the number 6 in maths and also investigated the symbols + and =. We finished our week with a trip to the Chinese Buffet to eat some delicious Chinese food.

This week in **Year 1** we had some visitors yesterday. We met different animals including a tree frog, snake, owl and lizard. We found out lots of interesting facts and impressed our host with our own scientific knowledge.

Year 2 have been enjoying reading the story "Burger Boy" and using our grammar knowledge of conjunctions to write some sentences that are giving Benny advice on how to be healthier and not a burger! We also enjoyed learning all about Kenya in our Geography work and starting our new science topic focusing on what humans need to stay alive and be healthy!

This week in **Year 3** we have been writing the most beautiful winter poems, inspired by the story 'Winter's Child' and the poem 'Fight of the Year'. We have also been exploring the nutritional values of our favourite foods in science, as well as showing tremendous resilience in maths when multiplying 2-digit numbers by 1-digit numbers!

This week, **Year 4** have been learning how to write a newspaper report. We have read different examples of newspaper reports and looked at their key features before planning our own. We are also continuing to work hard on remembering our multiplication facts and it has been lovely to see the children enjoying singing and dancing along to their times tables each morning with BBC Supermovers!

Year 5 have investigated the different extreme weathers that occur in North America and what how they can affect different environmental regions. In English, we have completed our playscripts and we have some budding actors and actresses. All the children have impressed us with their resilience this week in Maths and they have all become more confident with equivalent fractions.

This week, **Year 6** have continued to learn about longitude and latitude in geography and are now able to name the coordinates of places in the world by reading them. In music, they are working so hard to learn how to play a piece of jazz music. They have finished their poems about a season which are amazing. We couldn't be prouder of Year 6.

Dates for your diary

- **23rd January**- Chinese New Year
- **Monday 30th January**- 6th

Reminders

Please make sure your child is wearing the correct school uniform. Complete guidance can be found on the school website. If you have any questions regarding uniform, please speak to your child's class teacher.

Remember that we have plenty of pre-loved uniform in our Unicycle centre. If you'd like to access this service, please contact Mrs Browne or Mrs Tyrer via Class Dojos

Year 5 Maths Whizz After School Tutoring

. Tuesdays- Year 5 Maths Whizz continues!.

★ This Week's Value Stars!!

Nursery: Annalise, Harry L, Eliza & Noah

Reception: Harper-Lou G, Jackson M, Sofia M, Maddison W

Year 1: Riley, Martin, Keon, Amy-Grace	Year 4: Vinny Lee F, Skyla B, Gabriel K, Olivia B
Year 2: Daniel G, Krysta H, Leo D, Ziad H-K	Year 5: Layla-Rae, Joran K, Lexi L, Mia
Year 3: Jasmine C, Ozan K	Year 6: Keira G, Jayden F, Dillan O, Antonia B

Attendance

Early Years – Nursery am 86.2% Nursery pm 91.3%

RKL 89.7% RMC 93.7%

KS1 –

Y1TE 96.9% **Y1CS 97.1%**

Y2GW 92.9% **Y2LB 96.9%**

LKS2 –

Y3LC 96.7% **Y3EH 97.5%**

Y4MM 97.7% **Y4MC 98%**

UKS2 –

Y5NO 97.9% Y5EK 95.5%

Y6KK 93.1% **Y6JM 96.3%**

School Target:
96%

(This week's winners are highlighted in yellow)



This Week's Learning at Home

Word of the Week:

Nursery - prepare

Reception- buffet

Year 1 – camouflage

Year 2 – persuade

Year 3 – flurry

Year 4 – precarious

Year 5 – vicinity

Year 6 – unison



Weekly Winners



Numbots. Nursery - Year 2: How many coins can you earn?

The highest number earned over the week will get 3 dojos. **Last week's**

winner= Scarlett A, Reception



Mathswhizz. Years 2-6: The class with the most time spent on

MathsWhizz that week will get 3 dojos each. **Last week's winners= Y5NO**



Times Tables

Rockstars.

Years 3-6: Here are your group

battles where the winning classes of these battles get 3 dojos each.

Last week's winners were = Y3EH, Y4MC, Y5EK and Y6KK

This week's battles...

20th January - 26th January 2023

Y4MM 0 Y4MC 0

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Y5NO 0 Y3LC 0

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Y6PT 0 Y6JM 0

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Y5NO 0 Y3EH 0