



Weekly Bulletin

8th November 2019

Sports Class



of the week

Attendance and Lates this week...

	Browne	Blake	Donaldson	Dahl	Morpurgo	Kipling	Rowling	Rosen
Attendance	93%	88%	92%	94%	91%	98%	91%	94%
Lates	5	1	2	0	2	3	2	3

Well done Kipling Class!

P4C - Question of the Week

If you borrow every book from a library, is it still a library?
-Year 5

This Week In School...

Year 3 – have discovered the mess left behind by a mysterious, fictional “visitor.” They have carried out their investigations using their Maths and English Skills to try and work out who it was. Hopefully, they will have concluded the investigation and worked out who it is next week!

Year 4 – have read *One Plastic Bag* in English and have started planning a leaflet about recycling and plastic pollution. In Maths, they have been working out the perimeter of different shapes while in Computing, they have learnt the importance of not replying to SPAM emails in the first of their online safety lessons.

Year 5 – have started to learn about Ancient Greece. In English, they have been writing a character description about Odysseus and in Humanities, they have been learning about where Greece is and learning some key facts.

Year 6 – have been incredibly busy! At the start of the week, they were enthusiastically rehearsing their lines for their class assembly, which was presented to parents and the rest of the school on Thursday morning. Everyone spoke loudly, clearly and with fantastic confidence. Well done! During English, they have been writing a newspaper article reporting on a dramatic event which they have read about in the class text, *'The Last Wild'*. In Maths, they have continued to learn about fractions and have been converting them to their simplest form. On Friday morning, the whole school enjoyed the Primary Futures assembly, however, Year 6 were the lucky ones chosen to participate in a workshop with the volunteers! During this session, they found out more about the volunteer’s jobs including what skills and qualifications are needed to succeed in these careers.

Parent Consultation Evenings

Our Autumn Term Parent Consultation Evenings are next week, **Monday 11th November from 3.30pm to 6pm and Wednesday 13th November from 5pm to 7.30pm.**

Go to <https://parents-booking.co.uk/ivervillage> to book or speak to your child’s class teacher/school reception.

Children In Need

Don’t forget Children In Need day (non-uniform) is on Friday 15th November.

We are asking for a £1 donation for children to come in their own clothes for the day.



Whole School Attendance, Year so far...
95.4%

Watch Out – Nits About!
Please remember to check your child’s hair!

*Don't forget we are a NUT FREE school as we have children who have allergies!
(let's leave them for the squirrels)*



School Pledge: 'I pledge to do all that I can, so that we can all learn and be happy at school.'



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Date	Event
11 th Nov	Parent Consultation Afternoon, from 3.30pm
13 th Nov	Parent Consultation Evening, from 5pm
15 th Nov	Children in Need Day – Non School Uniform for £1 donation
15 th Nov	Parent Coffee Afternoon, from 2.30pm
21 st Nov	British Values Day
28 th Nov	Kipling Class Assembly, Parents welcome from 9am
30 th Nov	FISA Xmas Fayre

Junior Road Safety Officers

Congratulations to our new Year 6 Junior Road Safety Officers who will be supporting Mr Clifford and Mrs Orr with the Travel Tracker Scheme at IVJS and helping us all to stay safe on the roads. Keep an ear out for details about Road Safety Week later in November!



Netball Update

On Thursday, nine children from Year 5 and 6 competed in their first netball game of the year against Stoke Poges. The Upper School team has been having some specialist training from our netball coach, Mrs Hutchingson, as well as teaching Mr Hawkes the rules! The Upper School team battled impressively for the first half, the score was very tight at half time with Stoke Poges leading 2-1.

After half time, the game opened up as both teams went for the win. With some lovely passing from Aiden, Chanel and Isha, IVJS found themselves level with a quarter to go. However, Stoke Poges scored two goals giving them the win, 5-3. IVJS battled superbly and showed some quite brilliant passing sequences and as always, impeccable sportsmanship.

Well done to player of the match;

Coffee Afternoon

Join Miss Short next Friday for a cuppa and chinwag about pupil reports!

Last Day Of Term Reminder!

Due to the Infant School finishing early on the last day of the Autumn term – **Thursday 19th December** – we will now be **finishing at 1.45pm** to allow parents with younger children an easier pick up for the day.

Upper School Football Update

On Wednesday, the Year 5 football team played against Woodside in the first round of The Berks and Bucks Cup (postponed previously due to weather). IVJS started slowly, conceding two early goals, the physical presence of Woodside started to show as both goals were scored from corners with headers! IVJS however picked their heads up and started to look dangerous towards the end of the first half.

At half time, IVJS decided that they had nothing to lose, and went for it! A goal came almost immediately with some great skill down the wing from Liam, who found Oliver, who rounded the goal keeper and finished quite superbly. Woodside replied almost immediately before Liam swung in a free kick, which Aiden headed home making the score Woodside 3 - 2 IVJS.

The last kick of the game was a free kick, just outside the area in which Liam JUST hit over the bar. IVJS ended up losing 3-2 and are out of the cup, however the huge individual performances and the spirit IVJS showed was extremely impressive. Well done to Teddy who was voted Man of the Match for his incredible saves throughout the game and a huge mention to Liam who assisted both goals!

Well done all IVJS!

Letters/Blogs out this week:
[Choir Club!](#)

Copies of school letters are available on our website
www.ivervillage-jun.bucks.sch.uk



Don't forget to book Bluebells and Early Birds online. Go to <https://goo.gl/forms/JuZsG7Q42u7JKg1D3> or via our website.



Each Bluebell booking will cost a minimum of £2. You will be charged for any Bluebells Club your child is booked into but does not attend unless the school have been informed beforehand (or due to illness). Please also note, although we are able in most circumstances to book children in at the last minute to Bluebells, **we do require parents to inform us**. Any children left in our care after school hours will incur an extra £2 non-booking fee on top of their club fees. We will charge late fees of £5 per 15 minutes after 6pm.