



### Brainiacs of the Week:

Browne	Mason and Mila
Blake	Myleigh and Mannek
Donaldson	Millie and Daniel
Dahl	Jaya and Sejr
Morpurgo	Anayah-Noor and Cameron
Kipling	Julia and Cai'ro
Rowling	Elliott and Angel
Rosen	Bani and Oliver

### This Week In School...

**Year 3** – have been learning how to add 2 and 3 digit numbers using the expanded method. In English, they have finished writing their diary entries from the perspective of the old man in *The Tin Forest*. In Art, they have created printing blocks inspired by the artist, William Morris. They can't wait to use them in their art work!

**Year 4** – have been working very hard on their leaflets about plastic pollution based on their class book, *One Plastic Bag*. In Science this week, they continued learning about the digestive system and watched an exciting (yet slightly gross) experiment. They also started their new Humanities topic - Africa. They started off learning about how the different continents formed and moved due to continental drift and ended the week learning about the location of the 54 different African countries!

**Year 5** – have been looking at modal verbs and have written a poem based on their class book called *The Journey* in English. In Maths, they have looked at rounding numbers up to 5 digits and negative numbers. In Science, they have thought about planning an experiment to find the best material to use as an inside liner for a packed lunch box. They will be carrying out the experiment next week.

**Year 6** – have been enjoying reading more of their class reading book, *Floodland* by Marcus Sedgwick. They are becoming more familiar with the characters involved and are making some good predictions of what might happen next. The book focuses on changes in the environment and this has been reflected in their English writing - a non-chronological report about climate change. In Humanities, the children have completed this half term's topic about South America by producing a leaflet about one of the countries or territories in the continent.

### Fantastic Art Work!

This week Y3 have been making their own print designs.



### Home Learning During Lockdowns

At IVJS, we must ensure that every pupil continues to learn at home if they need to self-isolate, and that education continues for all pupils in the event of a school closure.

Therefore, please let us know if you do not have access to a laptop/internet.

### Sportiacs of the Week:

Dahl	Jamie!
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### Pupil Photos Day

**Reminder: Pupil photo day will be Wednesday 23rd September.**

Unfortunately, the photographer will now not be able to take sibling photos, pupils will **only have their individual photos taken.**

We would like to ask all classes who have PE on Wednesdays to send their children into school in their uniform and with their PE kits in their bags for this day only.

We will make sure all children who have PE on Wednesday will have their photograph taken first.



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Date	Event
23 <sup>rd</sup> Sept	School Photo Day
26 <sup>th</sup> – 30 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Half Term
11 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Flu Vaccinations Day – All Years

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

### Flu Vaccinations

The Buckinghamshire School Nurse team will be visiting us on Friday 11<sup>th</sup> December to administer this year's flu vaccination. Parents will have the option to opt in to the vaccinations, the link to register your child for a vaccination will be sent to parents at the end of November.

### Parking Restrictions

Please remember to be mindful of other road users, pedestrians and residents when parking. We have received complaints from road users about cars blocking the road. Being on the main road means it is even more important to park safely. Please be aware that PCSOs will be monitoring the situation over the coming weeks.



## Moving up to **Secondary School**

Buckinghamshire parents can **apply online from 8 September 2020**

Apply for your child's school place online at [buckinghamshire.gov.uk](http://buckinghamshire.gov.uk)

**Application deadline – Midnight on 31 October 2020**

If you cannot apply online, ask your child's primary school for a paper form. The deadline to return a paper application is 3pm on 2 November 2020.

Helpful information about moving up to secondary school in September 2021 is on our website now – visit [buckinghamshire.gov.uk/admissions](http://buckinghamshire.gov.uk/admissions)

Letters/Blogs out this week:

[New Reading Book System](#)

[New Bucks Covid 19 Guidance](#)

Copies of school letters are available on our website

[www.ivervillage-jun.bucks.sch.uk](http://www.ivervillage-jun.bucks.sch.uk)

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

Please remember that our clubs are now to be booked and paid for in advance. Earlybirds now starts at 7.45am and cost £5 per session. Children will be offered brioche rolls and fruit but will need to bring their own drinks in to make sure we adhere to keeping children from different school bubbles and food/items used separate.

Bluebells will run until 4.30pm each day and is charged at £3.50 per session. Please do not hesitate to contact the school should you have any queries.

