



Iver Village Junior School

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Weekly Bulletin



19th November 2021

Brainiacs of the Week:

Browne	Max and Remi
Blake	Joseph and Lily
Donaldson	Blu and Robyn
Dahl	Billy, Zuzanna and Rajveer
Morpurgo	Jasleen and Cameron
Kipling	Sienna and Blake
Rowling	Milan and Jack
Rosen	Jake and Emmanuel

P4C - Question of the Week

How do I know for certain that I am not now or always dreaming?

Sportiacs of the Week:

Upper School	Millie
Lower School	All Yr 4!

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This Week In School...

Year 3 – have busy starting to write a diary entry in the character of the Iron Man. The children have enjoyed imagining themselves as the Iron Man and have made some ambitious word choices. In Maths, they have worked hard to solve division problems and been learning about fact families. In Science, they have commenced a new topic and are looking at forces. The children thoroughly enjoyed shooting marshmallows whilst investigating push/ pull forces!

Year 4 – have been writing to the president of America, trying to persuade him to ban animals from being used in circuses. In Maths they have been solving perimeter problems and even took part in some orienteering around the playground solving perimeter questions. They have been working scientifically during science by investigating sound. They have tested different materials to find out which material absorbs the most noise and would therefore be the best material to soundproof a room. In DT, they had the tricky challenge of making nets this week. Some were really tricky and had 20 sides!

Year 5 – have really worked hard to write a narrative retelling the Cyclops chapter of their class book *Odysseus*. They have written two paragraphs and really thought about how they could add more detail using the language features to improve their writing. They will continue with the narrative next week. They have learnt to divide, two, three and four digit numbers by a one- digit number in Maths this week. Year 5 have taken time to understand, using visual representations what they are doing when exchanging from one column to the next. In Topic, they have learnt about the Trojan War and used *Now Press Play* to listen to a story about the Ancient Greeks.

Year 6 – have been finishing and publishing their narratives with a particular emphasis on describing settings and characters in English. The children have continued learning about fractions in Maths and have been looking at equivalent fractions; simplifying fractions; and converting improper fractions to mixed numbers and mixed numbers to improper fractions. In Science, they set up an investigation to see what conditions mould needs to grow in and will be observing the growth of mould on bread over the next few weeks. The children created their own version of a 'Guess the Alien' game in computing, using some of the skills they have been learning in the Year 6 coding topic.

No Pens Day!

We will be celebrating No Pens Day on Wednesday 24th November to help us all practice our Oral Skills!

Christmas Dinner Day

Don't forget to order your Christmas Dinner by 1st December! Dolce's Christmas Dinner Day is 15th December and we are looking to have all orders in as soon as possible so that the turkeys can be ordered! Children will have the option of a turkey traditional dinner, a roasted vegetable and stuffing tart or a jacket potato for anyone who prefers jackets!

You can pre-order of your child's SchoolGrid account or please contact the office if you are having trouble accessing it/to set one up.

Remembrance Day 2021

On Sunday morning, Caitlan and Alicia from Year 5, laid a wreath on the war memorial at St. Peter's Church on behalf of the children and staff of IVJS. They represented the school with great dignity during the Remembrance Service.



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
24 th Nov	No Pens Day!
25 th Nov	Iver Hive Coffee Morning, from 8.30am
6 th Dec	Flu Vaccinations
15 th Dec	Xmas Lunch Day
17 th Dec	Last Day Of Term (1pm/1.15pm Finish)
5 th Jan	Children return to school

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

Children In Need Day

Thank you to everyone who donated both for non-uniform day and who bought the various Pudsey memorabilia raising money for the charity Children In Need.

We had a surprise visit from Pudsey himself on Monday and we had a brilliant, and very comfy day, today wearing our very best pyjamas!



We Went Orienteering

On Tuesday our lovely School Games Organiser Mrs. Hutchinson came into school and ran an Orienteering competition for all of Year 4! The Year 4's have loved doing Orienteering during their PE lessons so it was only right that they compete against the other local schools. Well done to all the Year 4 children who searched high and wide for the clues and completed the course so well! What a fun / wet and muddy afternoon!

Ivertastics!

Well done to:

Jake and
Darcey

Odd Socks Monday

To celebrate everyone's individuality, we observed Odd Socks Day on Monday to mark the start of Anti Bullying week.



The Ivers Hive Christmas Appeal

Can you help provide a gift bag for 150 local children who need our support the Christmas?

We need your support to do it – please give whatever you can on our

[Justgiving page.](#)

Scan the code to go right there and find more information or find us on Facebook [@theivershive](#)



Letters/Blogs out this week:

None! Up To Date!

Copies of school letters are available on our website

Bunch **Words Of The Week..** **Enthusiastic**
Apron **Nod** **Guarantee** **Admit**
Cheat **Combination** **Browse**
Clutter



GIRLS ONLY **FESTIVE HOLIDAY CAMP**

WHEN: MONDAY 20TH DECEMBER

TIMING: 10.00AM-3.00PM

**WHERE: CRESSEX ASTROTURF,
HIGH WYCOMBE, HP12 4QA**

**WHO FOR? GIRLS OF ALL ABILITIES,
IN YEAR 3 - YEAR 6 AT SCHOOL**

COST: *FREE

***£1.00 BOOKING FEE TO GUARANTEE ONLINE PLACE**

