



Iver Village Junior School

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Weekly Bulletin

21st January 2022

Brainiacs of the Week:

Browne	Bernie and Shaun
Blake	Charlotte and Luke
Donaldson	Georgia and Bruno
Dahl	Zuzanna and Tyler
Morpurgo	Charlie and Aaliyah
Kipling	Jamie and Jacob
Rowling	Rubie and Ryley
Rosen	Anayah-Noor and Hannah

P4C - Question of the Week

Is change always good?

Sportiacs of the Week:

Upper School	Iris
Lower School	Grayson

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This Week In School...

Year 3 – have been continuing to look at fractions in Maths. They have been finding non-unit amounts of a number, for example what $\frac{3}{4}$ of 24 is. They have also been using this knowledge to answer word problems. In their English work, Year 3 have written a newspaper article about the new James Webb Telescope. They researched, planned and wrote some really informative newspaper articles as well as showcasing their understanding of capital letters, full stops and when to use 'a' and 'an'. In Humanities, Year 3 have been finishing their 'around the world' trip by looking at what natural disasters are and where they happen in the world. They also discussed what trade is and what the UK imports and exports. In Computing, Year 3 dived into the world of Excel spreadsheets. They were able to convert data into bar charts and explain what the data showed. Year 3 are looking forward to next week when they will look at diary writing, measurements and the start of their science topic- light!

Year 4 – have put themselves in the shoes of the unlikely hero, Arthur and written three diary entries based on adventures that he has been on during our story. In Maths, Year 4 have been working hard on learning how to solve division problems using the bus stop method. In Humanities, they have explored the different landscapes of Ghana, from the many mountains to the impressive Lake Volta that is the world's largest manmade lake. In French, they have been learning their vegetables.

Year 5 – have been busy again this week. In Maths, Year 5 have been multiplying fractions by an integer and finding fractions of amounts. They used bar models and their reasoning skills when solving a variety of problems. In English this week, they have written a letter to Usain Bolt to find out more about his inspiration for running as part of the Year 5 work related to the book 'Running On Empty'. They focused their attention on paragraphs, conjunctions and pronouns in their writing. Year 5 completed their topic work on The Ancient Greeks by writing a non-chronological report about what they have learnt during the topic.

Year 6 – have started a new piece of writing in English - a persuasive letter. The children are writing it in character, focussing on one of the characters from our class book, Rooftoppers. In order to get into role, they prepared by doing a few activities to help them feel empathy for the main characters in the story. In Maths the children have been learning about decimals and converting between fractions and decimals. For Humanities, they have continued learning about North America (particularly about the capital cities and time zones); and in Computing this week, the children have been using the skills they have learned so far to prepare spreadsheets to help them plan what they could spend pocket money on.

FEBRUARY HALF TERM

IVER VILLAGE INFANT SCHOOL

Holiday Club

FOR CHILDREN IN RECEPTION - YEAR 6

Sports activities, arts, crafts, and muddy puddle (outdoor woodland area)

DATES: MONDAY 21ST FEBRUARY
TUESDAY 22ND FEBRUARY
WEDNESDAY 23RD FEBRUARY

TIME: 8.45AM TO 3PM

COST: £25 PER DAY

TO BOOK PLEASE VISIT:
[HTTPS://WWW.IVER-INF.BUCKS.SCH.UK/](https://www.iver-inf.bucks.sch.uk/)

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
1 st Feb	IVJS v Butlers Court (Netball Team)
3 rd Feb	IVJS v St Nicolas (Football Team)
10 th Feb	IVJS v St Nicolas (Girls Football Team)
WC 14 th Feb	Interhouse Basketball Week
18 th Feb	Last Day Of Half Term (3.15pm Finish)
28 th Feb	Children Return To School
1 st Mar	Parents' Evening (Online Only)
3 rd Mar	Parents' Evening (Online Only)

Ivertastics!

Well done to:

Albie T and
Evie McB

Letters/Blogs out this week:

[Iver Village Infant School Holiday Club](#)

Copies of school letters are available on our website

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

Interhouse Times Table Rockstars-The Results!

Over the last two weeks, IVJS have been competing online against each other in a battle to see who is the best house at Times Tables! It has been heavily contested over the past two weeks but mainly between Ealing and Elstree. Well done to all the children who logged in and got involved, and a special mention to Cai'ro who scored 34,000 points on his own!

Info	Class Results	Pupil Results	Certificates
	Class average / user	Class score	CSV
1	Ealing	1,075	
2	Elstree	860	
3	Pinewood	343	
4	Shepperton	131	

Year 5 Netball Team Update

On Tuesday, IVJS competed in their second Netball fixture of the year against Gerrards Cross. IVJS have been working hard to learn Netball from scratch on Tuesdays after school and got to put their skills into action! IVJS started well and dominated the first quarter but couldn't quite find the hoop to put themselves in the lead. The second quarter continued in a similar way with IVJS dominating the ball and getting into some amazing attacking positions. IVJS started to move the ball with precision and speed to their attacks until Aoife scored to put IVJS into a deserved 1-0 lead at halftime. After half time, Gerrards Cross started to get more of the ball and get themselves into some more attacking positions but IVJS stood firm until early in the last quarter when Gerrards Cross equalised. The game ended in a deserved 1-1 draw. IVJS showed terrific determination and effort during the entire game.

Special mentions to captain Aoife who was incredible and to Ellis who was voted player of the match! Well done, you made IVJS very proud!



Burning Words Of The Week... **Crunch**
Shame **Peer** **Nature** **Test**
Billow **Exactly** **Clumsy** **Spring**