



Iver Village Junior School

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Weekly Bulletin

21st May 2021

Brainiacs of the Week:

Browne	Buster and Denny
Blake	Sienna and Leigah-Mai
Donaldson	Albie and Maddox
Dahl	Zoe and Rhianna
Morpurgo	Martha and Reece
Kipling	Veron and Hasnain
Yr 6	Tara and Dylan

This Week In School...

Year 3 – have been writing non-fiction texts in English this week while in Maths, they have been looking at time and how to read analogue clocks. If you have any analogue clocks at home, please help our Year 3s keep practising!

Year 4 – have begun to plan their biography of Edward Tulane (the most extraordinary rabbit) and were lucky enough to interview him in person! They asked him lots of questions ready for when they start writing our biography next week. In maths, we have continued to investigate time. This week we have moved onto converting between days, weeks, months and years. We have also used our knowledge of time to answer a variety of word problems. In humanities, we have travelled back into the past in our time machine and landed in 30 BCE! We meet Mavis from the Catuvellauni tribe and Maximus from the Roman Empire. We found out all sort of interesting things like the fact that Celts invented soap and that Romans had one of the best armies in the ancient world. We then compared the life of a rich Roman and a poor Roman.

Year 5 – have been busy again this week! For English, they have completed writing, edited and publishing an email from one of the characters from the 'Cosmic' story. They have really focused their attention on the year 5 success criteria. They were all able to identify the features they needed to add in when editing their work. In Maths, they have looked at multiplying and dividing decimal numbers and will move on to looking at angles next week. They have continued with their Anglo Saxons topic lessons and have looked at Viking life this week.

Year 6 – have either been here at IVJS or at PGL. The PGL group have been enjoying their residential week with PGL and have been experiencing lots of exciting, new activities outdoors. However, those children who did not go on the residential trip have also had a very enjoyable week and have taken part in a range of activities in school, including a Technology Challenge (where they had to work in teams to create - and model - a fashion outfit using just three black sacks, a pencil, a ruler, a pair of scissors and 1.5m sticky tape); decorating a pillow case using fabric paints; creating a mood board (collage) linked to a decade of their choice (from 1950s through to 1990s); building a range of models out of Lego during some construction afternoons; making a Nature Art Bug; playing rounders; making cards; origami and painting stones. It has been a very busy, but pleasurable, week.

Y6 Heights and Weights

Year 6s Heights and Weights day is Wednesday 26th May. The full letter with details and opt out information is available on our website.

<https://www.iver-village-jun.bucks.sch.uk/school-news/y6-heights-and-weights-21>

Reminder; this is **OPT OUT ONLY**, all children will take part unless the School Nurses are notified.

Sportiacs of the Week:

Blake	Jack M
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WOW Badge Design Competition

Well done to everyone who entered the Living Streets 'WOW - Walk for the World' badge design competition.

We had lots of imaginative entries for this year's competition based on the theme of climate change and its effect on the planet. Each school who enters are only allowed to submit three designs. After, some careful deliberation we have selected our three entries.

Congratulations to Zuzanna (Blake), Kenny (Donaldson) and Evie (Donaldson). Fingers crossed that Living Streets find them as impressive as we did.



Morning Activity Clubs Start!

There are still spaces left for our Active Morning clubs starting after the half term break.

This club will run from 8:15 – 8:45. Due to COVID restrictions, we are unable to mix year group bubbles (one morning a week per year group). This will be a **FREE** 'multi-sports' club meaning the children will participate in a different sporting activity each week.

[To find out more information and to book, click here.](#)

Our office email is office@ivjs.school

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
26 th May	Y6 Heights and Weights Day
28 th May	Last Day of Half Term (Normal finish times)
31 st May – 4 th June	Half Term
7 th Jun	Children Return
12 th Jun	IVJS TLC Day
6 th and 7 th Jun	Bucks Transitions Days
16 th Jul	End Of School Year, 1pm Finish

P4C - Question of the Week

Am I always responsible for my actions?

Ivertastics!

Well done to;
Milan, Dylan

Letters/Blogs out this week:

Y3 Cooking Letter
(paper copies sent home)

Copies of school letters are available

on our website

www.iver-village-jun.bucks.sch.uk

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

PGL Week!

Some of our Year 6's spent the week at PGL in Hailsham this week! They look busy!



Don't forget to book Bluebells and Earlybirds online.

UPPER SCHOOL Earlybirds not available this term

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**. Bookings must be made by the Friday prior, late bookings are subject to a £2 charge to cover extra staffing.

Early birds now starts at 7.30am and cost £7 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.

