



Brainiacs of the Week:

Browne	Grayson and Alexander
Blake	Dennis and Kayne
Donaldson	Zac
Dahl	Enzy
Morpurgo	Lillie-Jayne and Jayden
Kipling	Sheila-Ann and Kobi-Jack
Rowling	Mae and Skylah
Rosen	Evie and Tabitha

This Week In School...

Year 3 – have impressed us with their creative writing! They have completed their 'Pebble in my Pocket' poems and have included metaphors, similes, alliteration, personification and onomatopoeia for description. In Maths, the children have worked on solving problems involving fractions of amounts and equivalent fractions.

Year 4 – have continued to work on their understanding of money in Maths. They have been busy adding amounts, working out the difference and estimating amounts. In English, they have been writing their own versions of the opening chapters of The Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane. In Science, they have explored natural and human disasters that have affected habitats.

Year 5 – have continued with their leaflets in English this week. They finished writing their drafts, edited their work looking carefully at the Year 5 success criteria and published their work. Year 5 have continued to read the class book 'Cosmic' and everyone is enjoying it so far. For Maths, they have all be looking at adding and subtracting decimal numbers using the part whole model and column written method. Morpurgo have completed music lessons during their topic time, trying to create some body percussion after watching a video that inspired them. Kipling have completed the computing topic this week which they have all enjoyed.

Year 6 – have been finishing their non-chronological reports about wolves in English. They have written some effective and informative reports with lots of interesting facts. In Maths, the children have continued to revise their knowledge of geometry and have been focusing on the properties of 2D and 3D shapes. The children have continued to learn about light, the eye and how we see things in Science and have worked on a couple of investigations involving reflection and shadows. They are continuing to enjoy reading 'Wolf Brother' by Michelle Paver.

**Reminder: Monday 3rd May is a Bank Holiday
Happy long weekend!**

Sportiacs of the Week:

Rowling	Natalie
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Class Photos

Thursday 6th May is Class Photo Day!

For classes that have PE on the day, please send your child in to school in their uniform. The class photos will be available for parents to buy, we will send a message out when they are available. Please note, if you **DO NOT** want your child to be included in the class photos, please contact reception to let us know.

Contact Information

Please remember to let us know if there are any changes to your contact information. For changes of address, please also let us know the date you moved so we can keep our records up to date.
Thank you.

Childcare Questionnaire

Thank you to everyone so far who has completed our survey! The link is still open for those who have yet to respond:

Now that the UK appears to be heading in the right direction in relation to Covid, we are able to start thinking about potentially expanding our wrap around childcare facilities and after school activity clubs. We would like to hear from you as to what would be useful for parents.

Please click on the link below to fill in our short questionnaire to help us assess needs.

<https://forms.gle/udWrM4CS5AqAqH37>

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
3 rd May	Bank Holiday Monday
6 th May	Class Photo Day
17 th May	Y6 PGL
28 th May	Last Day of Half Term (Normal finish times)
31 st May – 4 th June	Half Term
7 th Jun	Children Return
16 th Jul	End Of School Year, 1pm Finish

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

All Different, All Equal, Together We Can Soar!

All across the school, our pupils have been busy creating their own decorative, one of a kind feathers that together, create a beautiful set of wings as our interactive *Living Art* installation! The children can have their photo taken in front of the display giving them wings. With each feather decorated in one colour palette, they unite to create a beautiful rainbow that celebrates the full spectrum of the individuality and uniqueness of every single pupil here at IVJS.



P4C - Question of the Week

What makes me, me?

Ivertastics!

Well done to; Elliott

Y6 Leavers Hoodies

We are very lucky to have such lovely parents in the school and Y6 is no exception!

A letter has gone out this week asking parents about interest in Leavers Hoodies for the Year 6 group.

If you have not received a letter and would be interested in purchasing a hoodie for the end of the school year, please let the class teacher/ school reception know and we will pass on the information to the parents who are planning to organise it.

Thank you.

Uniform

This term, we are asking children to return to wearing their school uniform each day with the exception of PE days when they will still need to come to school in their PE kits.

Children may continue to wear plain black trainers instead of 'proper' school shoes as trainers are so much more practical.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the school. If you are in need of a school jumper, please call the school office as we have lots of pre-loved uniform.

Letters/Blogs out this week:

Y6 Hoodies Interest

Copies of school letters are available

on our website

www.iverillage-jun.bucks.sch.uk

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.

Earlybirds 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.

