



Weekly Bulletin

9th February 2024

Brainiacs of the Week:

Cairo	Noah D and Harrison
Cardiff	Muhammad and Ariana
London	Skyler and Charlie
Lisbon	Yuri and Idrees
Paris	Wyatt
Prague	Frankie and Remi
Washington	Taylor and Karan
Warsaw	Ekam and Olivia

Attendance and Lates this week...

	Cairo	Cardiff	London	Lisbon	Paris	Prague	Washington	Warsaw
Attendance	92%	96%	94%	91%	93%	93%	96%	97%
Lates	3	3	2	1	4	0	1	1

Well done Warsaw Class!

This Week In School...

Year 3 – have been developing their poetry skills in English this week using the wonderful story of ‘The King Who Banned the Dark’. They worked very hard to include a range of poetic devices including rhyme, alliteration and adverbs. In Maths, they have continued to develop their measurement skills focusing on converting different units of length accurately. In Computing this week, the children developed their knowledge of the different ways to keep safe online as part of ‘Safer Internet Day’. Towards the end of the week, the children completed their final piece in their ‘Mixed Media’ art topic. Their creations all drew upon the skills from their chosen artist with their own unique twist. They have worked very hard this week and we hope they enjoy a restful half-term break!

Year 4 – have been working hard in Maths, learning about perimeter of rectilinear shapes, missing lengths in rectilinear shapes and perimeter of regular polygons. In English, they have finished writing their biography about Varjak Paw. Year 4 have also had an exciting week in Art! They have been exploring traditional African crafts, they have created a piece of clay artwork inspired by the artwork of the Benin and investigated the artwork of Esther Mahlangu. In PSHE, children have been discussing and working out the steps to take to achieve a goal and do this successfully as part of a group.

Year 5 – have had the opportunity to consolidate their learning on a few grammatical features; their hard work impressed us! The children have also been working very hard in Maths, delving in to the world of tenths and hundredths. They were also excited to listen to a few more chapters in Cosmic and their insights and engagement were impressive! In Humanities, the children learnt all about Mayan food and in Science they designed a marble maze to help investigate friction. The children particularly impressed some speakers (who spoke to them about jobs, goals and motivation) by asking them sensible questions and showing enthusiasm. It has been a fun learning week in Year 5!

Year 6 – have finished writing their diary entries in character as Michael from their class book Skellig. In maths, they have started to look at algebra and have explored function machines. This builds on their work in earlier years using operations and their inverses to find missing numbers. They have also finished all their assessments for this half-term and we are very proud of just how hard everyone has been working. Well done everyone!

Ivertastics!

Well done to:

Violet, Ekam and Jack K

Happy Half Term!

We hope everyone has a lovely break and we look forward to seeing everyone back on Monday 19th February.

[Clubs for next half term start on the first day back and run till the last week of term.](#)

Spring Term Parents' Evenings

Don't forget to book your appointment!

This term's Parents evenings will be held on Tuesday 27th and Thursday 29th February online via our School Cloud platform.

To book, head to: <https://ivervillage.schoolcloud.co.uk/>

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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Believe. Achieve. Succeed Together.



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



Curriculum Market Evening

What a success! Thank you everyone who came to our Curriculum Market evening. We had so much fun showing off our subjects!



Date	Event
Feb Half Term 12 th – 16 th February	
19 th Feb	Spring Term 2 Starts
23 rd Feb	FISA Disco, 6.30pm
27 th & 29 th Feb	Spring Term Parents' Evenings
WC 4 th Mar	Cuffley Camp Trips
8 th Mar	World Book Day
11 th Mar	Parent Drop In Afternoon, 3.30pm to 4.30pm
11 th Mar	Swimming starts at IVJS
14 th Mar	Warsaw Class Coffee Morning
28 th Mar	End of Spring Term, 1pm finish

Any child with 100% attendance for the week will enter the 'Wheel of Fortune' prize draw! The winner will be drawn live with a chance to win a book!



CUFFLEY CAMP TRIPS!

Don't forget to return your slips for next half term's Cuffley Camp Trips!

Children have taken home paper copies of the letter with the permission slips but you can find the full details here:

<https://www.iverivillage-jun.bucks.sch.uk/school-news/cuffley-camp-trips>

Buckinghamshire Dental Survey

Buckinghamshire Council annually assess the oral health of children across the county to help highlight any areas of children's dental health that needs to be addressed. Public Health would appreciate it if you could spend 5 minutes completing a short, anonymous, survey that asks basic questions regarding your child's oral health and general oral routine.

To access the survey, please either, click on the link below or copy and paste the link into your browser:
[buckinghamshire.gov.uk/dental-health](https://www.buckinghamshire.gov.uk/dental-health)
Deadline is Monday 31st July 2024.

BIKEABILITY WEEK!

Our Y6s had the opportunity to get Road Safety certified this week with the brilliant guys from Cyclewise joining us for Y6 Bikeability Training. All our pupils passed and we are so proud of how well they demonstrated their knowledge and skills for keeping safe on the roads.



Letters/Blogs out this week:

[Parents' Evenings](#)

[Spring 2 Clubs](#)

[Cuffley Camp Trips](#)

Copies of school letters are available on our website

Pause *Words Of The Week...* **Portable**
Liquid Naughty Taunt **Value**
Think Scoop Startle **Wither**

FISA NOTICES!



Iver village Infant and Junior Schools

BIRDS OF PREY

Bring the kids along for a fantastic interactive bird handling experience. Run by Berkshire Birds of Prey

14 FEBRUARY 2024

**IVER VILLAGE HALL
HIGH STREET, IVER, SL0 9NX**

HOURLY SESSIONS AVAILABLE

Adults - £5

Children - £5

Under 2 years old - FREE

Although free, children under 2 years old will require a ticket and will not be able to handle the birds.

Please bring along cash for some fun bird inspired goodies



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FRIDAY, 23 FEBRUARY 2024**

