

Iver Village Junior School

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Weekly Bulletin

9th June 2023

Brainiacs of the Week:

Cairo	Nathaniel
CallO	and Tate
Cardiff	Isla and
	Patrick
London	Kyla and Gus
Lisbon	Jayden and
	Jason
Paris	Oskar and
	Channah
Prague	Arlow and
	Eissa
Washington	Caitlan and
	Arjun
Wellington	Austeja and
	Zoe
Warsaw	Alicia and
	Jasleen

Ivertastics! Well done to:

Charlie R, Kyla, Skye, Teddy, Evie W, Jianna and Ameera

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Attendance and Lates this week									
	Cairo	Cardiff	London	Lisbon	Paris	Prague	Washington	Wellington	Warsaw
Attendance	<mark>100%</mark>	93%	95%	97%	92%	95%	99%	95%	88%
Lates	0	1	3	3	2	1	0	1	5
Well done Cairo Class!									

This Week In School...

Year 3 – have been continuing to learn about time in Maths. They have been working out durations of time and have completed some timed challenges. In English, they have been focusing on describing a setting and including ambitious vocabulary in their writing. In Humanities, they have had an exciting start to their new topic about Ancient Egypt. They stepped back in time using the 'Now Press Play' audio experience and also had to search for Egyptian artefacts using their orienteering skills. In Music, they learnt a new song about a Panda and enjoyed finding the rhythm and improvising using glockenspiels.

Year 4 – have begun their last class text of the year, 'Leon and the Place Between'. Both classes have been teased by the blurb and the mystery of visiting a circus and seeing a magic show. In their writing, they have started penning a letter to the President of the United States addressing their concerns about animals being still being used in circuses. They have been very passionate about their reasons why this should stop. In Maths, they have worked really hard on their times tables and begun their shape module by looking at angles. They have correctly identified direction and size of turns and labelled different types of angles. In Humanities they started their Roman Britain topic by learning about the Roman army. After identifying the different parts of a soldier's uniform, they grabbed a shield and marched to the hall/outside and practised some of the tricky Roman soldier manoeuvres, including the tortoise, the wedge and the orb. In DT they started looking at different types of packaging as part of their new design project and in PE, they have loved being outside in the warm weather taking part in athletics and rounders.

Year 5 – have worked hard to settle back into school routines for their final term of the year. In Maths, they have begun the new topic of decimals, focusing on how to add and subtract decimals with varying numbers of decimal places. During English, year 5 have divided into researching the war between Russia and Ukraine to inform the news broadcast plan that the children will be writing scripts for next week. They have understood the difference between a refugee and an asylum seeker and are beginning to piece together a timeline of events. In Guided Reading, the children have explored their new class text, making excellent and imaginative predictions about the rest of the book. Finally, year 5 have started to investigate our local area as part of their work in Humanities, thinking about the location of Iver and the different counties in the UK. Year 6 – have settled back nicely after the half term and have begun rehearsals for their end of year production. They are proving to be fantastic actors and we are sure they will put on an amazing performance! In English, Year 6 are thoroughly enjoying writing an alternative narrative based on the traditional tale of 'The 3 Little Pigs'. They are writing from the perspective of the wolf and they are putting forward very convincing reasons as to why he ate the pigs and blew their houses down! In Maths, Year 6 have continued working on their bakery projects and solving problems involving profit and loss. This term, Year 6 are practising athletics in PE and this week they have started to compete in 25m races.

YEAR 4 MTC CHECKS HAVE STARTED!

Don't forget to practice those times tables for your upcoming tests Year 4! Log in for TTRS' MTC information page: <u>https://play.ttrockstars.com/ttrs/online/mtc?t=home</u> School Pledge: 'I pledge to do all that I can, so that we can all learn and be happy at school.' @ivjs_bucks

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Date	Event					
	Non-Uniform					
16 th	Day (for FISA					
Jun	Fayre					
	, donations)					
23 rd	FISA Summer					
Jun	Fayre					
30 th						
Jun	Sports Day!					
4 th	Transition Day					
Jul	in an officient bay					
11 th	Y6 Performance					
Jul	(Matinee)					
12 th	Y6 Performance					
Jul	(Evening)					
20 th	Y6 Leavers					
Jul	Assembly, 9am					
20 th	Last Day of					
Jul	Term, 1pm					
Jui	finish					

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

You can find IVJS' Amazon Wish List at <u>https://amzn.eu/9TGMDLz</u>

Thank you!

We would like to say a huge thank you to our brilliant volunteers from Bidfood who did an incredible job on Monday when they descended on the school front lawn to provide a much needed tidy and spruce up!

We would also like to thank the two wonderful Year 3 parents who helped provide a little bit of life (and a lot of colour) to the front of the school by donating, planting AND

maintaining/watering the beautiful array of flowers currently on display in the flower boxes. We are so lucky to have such wonderful families here at IVJS and are so grateful for all your help.



FISA HELP NEEDED, Friday June 23rd!

8.45 am to 3.30 pm - Set Up!

Getting everything ready for an afternoon of fun; Setting up stalls, chairs and tables, labelling tombola prizes, prepping the food and all the rest! It all needs to be done in not a lot of time, so a spare an hour or 3 during the school day, would be a great help.

Slot 1: 3.25 to 4.45 pm or Slot 2: 4.45 to 6.00 pm - The Main Event! Run a stall, serve refreshments or help flip burgers!

We will not be able to run the Summer Fayre without additional volunteers, so please let us know through our Facebook page or either school reception, if you or a family member are available to help. For some, your employer might offer "Volunteering days", please note we are a charity and therefore qualify as a valid place to volunteer. We're happy to complete paperwork for your time.

Any time you or your family can give will be greatly appreciated.

Thank

Bump Words Of The Week... Appeal Hug Plaster Comb Hug Plaster Comb Skin Itch Deserve Wriggle Confiscate

<u>Letters/Blogs out this</u> <u>week:</u>

Y5 Parent Information Re 11+ and Secondary Schools

Street Dance Club

Writer Of The Week

Y6 Summer Fayre Helpers (paper copy to pupils) <u>Copies of school letters are</u> <u>available on our website</u>





RAINBOW HAMPER DONATIONS FOR NO SCHOOL UNIFORM DAY

We have assigned each year group a colour and are asking for donations in that colour to help us create colour coordinated hampers for summer fayre raffle prizes

On <u>Friday June 16th</u>, children are invited to wear non uniform in their assigned class colour and drop off their matching donation at school reception

We'd love you to get creative with your donations so we can make up some fab raffle prizes for you to win at the Summer Fayre. Keep an eye on the FISA Facebook page for inspiration!

****YEAR GROUP COLOURS****

Nursery & Reception - SILVER & GOLD, Year 1 - PURPLE, Year 2 - BLUE, Year 3 - GREEN, Year 4 - YELLOW, Year 5 - ORANGE, Year 6 - RED

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT