PRESTON BULLETIN

Friday 16 February 2024

Dear Parents/Carers,

It seems like this half term has really flown by; the next one is extremely short, with less than 5 weeks until the Easter Holidays.

Thank you to all the parents/carers who met with their child's teachers this week. It was lovely to see so many of you in school and to share information about your child's attainment and progress. Thank you to all the staff for all their preparation and hard work.

This year's parent questionnaire will close at the end of school today. While the questionnaire is open, the link can be accessed here.

On the next page, I want to share with you a visual summary of our Behaviour Management Plan. The children are all very familiar with this visual and the language used, as it is displayed throughout both of the school buildings, and all staff wear it on their lanyard. On the reverse, there is a 'sorry script' that we use to support the children in restorative conversations whenever appropriate. These tools are ensuring that staff are very consistent in their approach, and because of this, we are seeing a really positive impact in the classrooms and on the playground.

Wishing you a restful half term!

> Yours sincerely,
> Matt Walker
> Executive Headteacher

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TOGETHER
WE CARE
WE LEARN
WE ACHIEVE
WE CELEBRATE


What happens if you do not follow the school rules?

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SORRY

## How can we say sorry?

| $\mathbf{1}$ | Say what you are <br> sorry for. | "I'm sorry for..." |
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| $\mathbf{2}$ | Explain why it wasn't <br> the right choice. | "I shouldn't have done/said that <br> because..." |
| $\mathbf{3}$ | Notice how it made <br> the other person feel. | "I understand that it made you feel... <br> unsafe/upset/hurt/worried." |
| $\mathbf{4}$ | Say how you will try to <br> change your choices in the <br> future. | "Next time I will/won't___ instead" |
| $\mathbf{5}$ | Ask for <br> forgiveness. | "Do you accept my apology?" |



Ladybirds: Milo for blending words independently in Guided Reading.

Bumblebees: Ariana for working hard to improve her handwriting.

Grasshoppers: Alfie for showing courage in PE lessons this week.

Caterpillars: Patty for great effort and attention in Spanish.
Dragonflies: Kaitlyn and Charlotte for their excellent efforts when making and delivering a collective worship this week.

## BEHAVIOUR FOR LEARNING

 'demonstrating a fantastic attitude to learning and school life' Ladybirds: AvaBumblebees: ArchieGrasshoppers: FynnCaterpillars: Bella A.
Dragonflies: Lewis


## RECEIVED A CERTIFIOATE FOR THEIR

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## most Improved

| Bobby - Y2 | Summer - Y3 |  |
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| Alfie - Y3 | Arthur - Y2 | Bella - Y4 |
| Aiden $\mathrm{S}-\mathrm{Y} 5$ | Ethan - Y4 |  |



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## Preston Primary came 624 out of 3793 !

Thank you to all of the children who participated.
Your super effort helped to raire money to support the nspco!

## FOSS RAFFLE

The Friends of Saxlingham School (FOSS) have organised a raffle to support fundraising for a new climbing frame on the playground. Originally, this was intended to be a 'regifting raffle' of unwanted Christmas presents, but following donations from lots of local companies, it has grown to something larger. Prizes include:

- Hollywood Bowl Voucher
- Pizza Express Voucher
- Willow Gallery voucher
- Gravity Open Jump Vouchers
- Family swim at Riverside

- 6 week pass at Riverside Leisure
- Saxlingham Players Performance

And lots more... Tickets are on sale for $£ 1$ each via the office if you would like to support our friends at Saxlingham.

|  | DIARY DATES |
| :--- | :--- |
| Thursday 29th February | Meeting for Parents/Carers regarding Bawdsey Trip, <br> 3.15 pm |
| Thursday 7th March | World Book Day—Dress as a Book Character <br> World Book Day Lunch (see menu below)—order in <br> the normal way. |
| Friday 15th March | FOPPS Family Bingo, 6.15pm |
| Wednesday 13th March | Grasshoppers to Norwich Cathedral |
| Wednesday 20th March | Year 5/6 to Bawdsey Manor |
| Friday 22nd March | Year 5/6 to return home from Bawdsey Manor |
| Thursday 28th March | INSET Day |



## TO THE MOON AND BACK

As part of the Norwich Science Festival 2024, Saxlingham Primary welcomed Ben Langley, who performed the play 'To the Moon and Back.' An awful lot of space-related learning took place through the play and workshops that followed. It was great that Grasshopper Class were able to share in this exciting learning
 experience.


## Easter Egg Bingo Friday 15 March

 doors open 6pm, eyes down 6.15pm
## Booking essential

Email friendsofprestonprimary@gmail.com for more info and to book.


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# Charlotte and Jonah in Dragonflies have been attending 'Computing Masterclasses' at Sir Isaac Newton. Here is a rundown of their amazing achievements across the four sessions. 

## Week one

On week one, we coded a zip halo to have a blue light going round. We used a microbit, a breadboard, about six wires, a battery pack and a zip halo. It involved using num_of_pix and making light $1=$ light $1+1$ (and more).

## Week two

On week two, we coded the zip halo to have all the colours of the rainbow to go round it instead of just one blue light. We used the same stuff as the last week. It was the same code but making light 2 and light 3 until light 12.

## Week three

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On week three, we learned about binary code which is zeros and ones. An example would be if we were trying to make 56:

Then we coded two strip lights to have rainbow lights going up the strip then going back to the bottom. We also had an extra challenge we coded that was that if we pressed one of the buttons on the microbit, the colours on the strip lights would change.

## Week four

On week four, the year 12 s taught this week instead of the real teacher. We made the lights on the strip lights go up by the frequency of a buzzer. An extra challenge was to make one light go up but every time it went up it changed colour. At the end of the lesson, we did a recap on binary and then we lined up to get a bag and a certificate for doing all of the weeks. In the bag there was a pencil, a thin bendy ruler and a rubber. In all of the weeks,
 we used python coding instead of block coding (the coding scratch uses).

## Well done to both of you!



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## STARTING

 AFTER FEB
## HALF TERM

## World Book Day Ir

## Thursday 7th March 2024

Homemade 'Superhero' Sausage Roll or Vegetarian 'Superhero' Sausage Roll (v)
Inspired by ‘Greg the Sausage Roll; Lunchbox Superhero' by Mark and Roxanne Hoyle

## served with 'Thank You’ Baked Potato Wedges

Inspired by 'Thank You, Baked Potato' by Matt Lucas

## Daisy's Garden Peas

Inspired by ‘Daisy: Eat Your Peas’ by Kes Gray
'Mmmm, Tasty’ Ketchup
Inspired by ‘Ketchup on your Cornflakes?' by Nick Sharratt ***

Miss Trunchball's Chocolate Fudge Cake Inspired by 'Matilda' by Roald Dahl


# We hope you enjoy our Autumn/Winter Menu, offering high quality and varied dishes using local and seasonal ingredients where possible! 



| Option 2 |
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| Served with |
| Jacket Potato |
| And for Pudding |
| Packed Lunch <br> Option |


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$\left.\begin{array}{|c|c|}\hline \text { Thursday } & \text { Friday } \\ \hline \begin{array}{c}\text { Beef Burrito Bake } \\ \text { with Steamed Rice }\end{array} & \begin{array}{c}\text { Breaded } \\ \text { Fish Fingers }\end{array} \\ \hline \text { Loaded Tomato } \\ \text { and Bean Bake (v) }\end{array} \quad \begin{array}{c}\text { Garden Vegetable } \\ \text { Goujons (v) }\end{array}\right]$


Week Two: 6 Nov | 27 Nov | 18 Dec | 15 Jan | 5 Feb | 4 Mar | 25 Mar


