



Whitefriars School Primary Section

NEWSLETTER

October 2018



Year 2 Production – The Bee Musical



This week Year 2 had their production – The Bee Musical. It was a story about every busy bee in the bee hive wanting to find nectar and collect pollen but then the bees were faced with a problem. There was a shortage of plants and the bee colonies started to collapse. The bees had to put on their thinking caps to do something about it. All the children did a fantastic job, singing and acting, well done Year 2!



Value of the month



Unity

- Coming together as one
- Working together
- Thanking people



Article 13 : Your right to have information.



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Job Vacancies



From time to time we have job opportunities which are advertised on our schools' websites. Please see the 'Join Us' tab for further information.

Nursery



Article 28 : Your right to learn and go to school.

The nursery children have settled in very well and are getting used to the routines. They have been having great fun exploring their new environment and making new friends. We are all looking forward to an exciting year ahead!





Year 6 Trip to RAF Museum



On Wednesday 17th October Year 6 went on a visit to RAF Hendon. The pupils all had a chance to explore what life was like before and during World Wars 1 and 2. There were lots of opportunities to dress up in RAF uniforms as well as navigate planes through virtual reality air fields. One of the highlights of the visit was the chance to take part in the Pilot Coding Workshop, where they learnt how to code and program microbits to help navigate pilots during flight. Jahvana from Chamaeleon class said 'I loved being able to sit in some of the old style planes and pretend I was flying'. The children had an amazing day filled with British history.

Year 3 Trip to Verulamium



We had lots of fun learning about Roman lifestyle. We saw the big Mosaic floor design and the Roman wall ruins. We dressed as rich Roman people and a Roman soldier. We enjoyed our trip. By Seerat and Shan

Year 5 Victorian Day



Year 5 were visited by a Victorian Headmaster who led traditional Victorian lessons including handwriting with a pen and ink and arithmetic. He demonstrated some of the punishments that Victorian children had to endure! The children also had the chance to handle artefacts and play with traditional toys such as boxing gloves and wooden blocks.

Child Safety



Please do not park on the yellow zig zag lines outside school. These are here to make sure your child is safe outside the school gates. Can we also remind children coming to school on bicycles and scooters to dismount before entering the school premises. Every child's safety is important to us. Thank you.

School Awards

Congratulations to the following children who achieved their Silver and Gold Awards this month.

Silver Award:

Jevantia ~ Chamaeleon

Gold Award:

Zareen ~ Chamaeleon

Selina ~ Chamaeleon



Article 29 : Your right to become the best that you can be.

Diary Dates for November...

- 20th ~ Flu Immunisations
- 28th ~ Parent's Evening
- 29th ~ Parent's Evening
- 26th – 29th ~ Book Fair



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There are still a limited number of spaces remaining. If your child is interested in coming along to this Coding Computing Club please contact the company directly from their website:

<https://middlesex.computerexplorers.co.uk/contact> to book a place.



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ComputerXplorers is offering innovative & creative Technology After School Clubs in October 2018 for Years 3-6 at Whitefriars School.

Coding Club
(£36 for 6 sessions)

This Code Club gives your children an opportunity to become future programmers / games developers and an insight into game development.

Learn how to code and design your own dynamic video animation game, using an innovative programming language created just for kids.

Programming sequences of actions will require the students to plan and problem solve. They will need to analyze each step.

As they become more comfortable with the blocks of commands and tools available, they will be able to put their own ideas into action



Article 15: Your right to meet with friends and join groups and clubs.



'The day is rapidly approaching when the primary discriminator between the haves and have-nots will be the division between those who understand technology and those who do not. It will not be age, sex, colour, or culture—it will be technology.'

Dan Golden, Former Director of NASA

So come and join the Excitement... Don't miss the FUN... Limited seats only!!!

ComputerXplore Club starts on Monday 5th November until Monday 10th December.