

HEADTEACHER MESSAGE

"Every man must decide whether he will walk in the creative light of altruism." – Martin Luther King

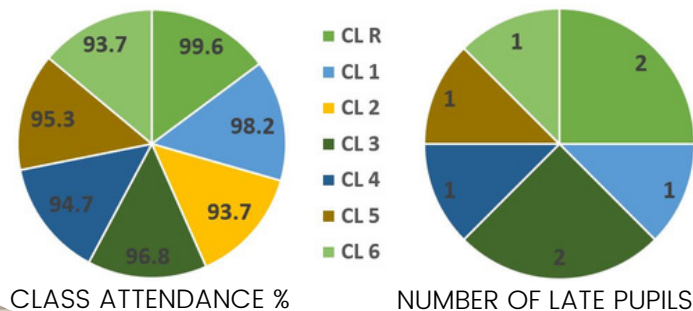
Welcome back to school after our half term break! We have had a wonderfully busy week in school. Rashford class were transported back in time with a visit from a Roman soldier. Children were able to handle replica armoury and take part in activities typically undertaken by the soldiers in the Roman period. All of the classes have been trying very hard to make the most of 'Mindful Mile' time as we have embarked upon our challenge to collectively run 6000 miles over this half term to help raise money for children in Uganda so that they can access school and buy school books.

Enjoy the weekend!

Mrs. L. Wilson
Headteacher

ATTENDANCE STATS

Overall attendance this week for the whole school 96.0 %



SCAN THE QR CODES TO VISIT OUR
PAGES

SPOTLIGHT ON: MILES TO AFRICA

Year two have completed 28 miles this week.



Staff have also been out walking to clock up some miles.



DIGITAL STRATEGY WORKSHOP

A digital strategy workshop for all parents will be held on Tuesday 19th March.

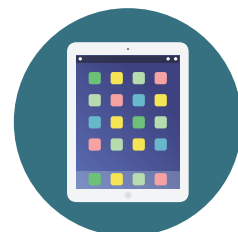
There will be 3 sessions held throughout the day.

The 2 sessions held during the school day will involve a presentation about our vision on digital strategy followed by a visit to our key stage 2 classrooms.

Morning Session: 8:45 – 10:00 – Hall presentation and visit to KS2 class (All parents welcome).

Afternoon Session: 13:45 – 15:00 – Hall presentation and visit to KS2 class (All parents welcome)

Evening Session: 18:00 – 18:30 – Hall presentation only.



WORKSHOP

LOST KEYS



A set of keys has been handed in. If these are yours, they can be collected from the school office.

YOUR PTFA NEEDS YOU!

Please complete the form on Spider if you are able to help at the Mothers Day event on the 8th March. Any help will be gratefully received. Thank you.



TEMPEST PHOTOGRAPHY

The photographer is in school on Wednesday 28th February and will be taking class group photos. If your child is on PE that day, please send them to school in normal uniform. Thank you.



UPCOMING DIARY DATES

Tuesday 27th	Mrs Esa Debate Club 3.00 – 4.00pm (final week)
Tuesday 27th	Y5 PSHE 'Key Charity' Friends & Secrets (during school day)
Wednesday 28th	Tempest Photography Class group photos
Thursday 29th	Governors: Resources 6.00pm
Thursday 29th	Miss Passerini SATs Revision Club 3.00 – 4.00pm
Friday 1st March	Let's Go Sing Lunchtime Choir
Tuesday 5th	Y5 PSHE 'Key Charity' Conflict & Bullying (during school day)
Thursday 7th	World Book Day (Information to follow)
Thursday 7th	Miss Passerini SATs Revision Club 3.00 – 4.00pm
Friday 8th	PTFA Mother's Day Afternoon Tea
Monday 11th	Ramadhan /Eid assembly
Tuesday 12th	Y5 PSHE 'Key Charity' Empathy (during school day)
Thursday 14th	Miss Passerini SATs Revision Club 3.00 – 4.00pm
Friday 15th	Let's Go Sing Lunchtime Choir

BIRTHDAY SHOUT OUTS!

Happy birthday to the children who have been celebrating this week and a big 'THANK YOU' to:

Florence C in Y4 for the DK book,
'My Book of Gymnastics'.
Rhys B in Y6 for the Jeff Kinney book,
'Diary of a wimpy kid – The Getaway'.



BEHAVIOUR FOCUS

This week we have set out a new lunchtime routine. It has been great to see how this has worked and I have spotted beautiful manners in the dining hall. Keep it up!

Miss Pass



Our smartest lining up class this week are ...

YEAR 2



YEAR 3



PARENT SHOUT OUT:

Thank you Mr Sammons who has been big hearted and provided the whole school with a gingerbread man to take home today to enjoy a sweet treat.



UCLAN JAPAN CULTURAL EVENT

UCLan's 10th are hosting a Japan Day cultural event on Saturday 24 February, which is run by UCLan's Japanese Department and is an annual cultural event, now in its tenth year. The Saturday event sounds very impressive and there is lots going on for primary school aged children. The event is free but due to health and safety regulations, UCLan are asking people to register in advance for either the AM session, PM session, or both. Walk-ins will not be permitted. Follow the link to register:

<https://www.uclan.ac.uk/events/listing/10th-japan-day-cultural-day>

PICTURE NEWS

TAKEHOME



In the news this week

In countries across Europe, including Romania, Belgium, France, Hungary, Poland and Greece, tractors have been blocking city streets and motorways as farmers protest against certain European Union (EU) rules. Their concerns include falling incomes, rising red tape, and competition from imports. Both national governments and the EU are now under pressure to stop the demonstrations. One protesting farmer, Hugo Auge from France, told news reporters for CNN that the current system, 'makes a mockery of both farmers and consumers'.

Things to talk about at home ...

- > Talk about the actions that farmers across the EU are taking and why you think they chose to block roads as one of their actions.
- > What are some of the other ways you can take action if you don't agree with something?

Please note any interesting thoughts or comments

Mother's Day
(OR SPECIAL PERSON)
Afternoon Tea

THE CHILDREN OF BGL WARMLY
INVITE YOU TO JOIN THEM FOR
AN AFTERNOON TEA DELIGHT ON
FRIDAY, 8TH MARCH 2024!

SURNAMES A-D: 9:45-10:30
SURNAMES E-H: 10:45-11:30
SURNAMES I-P: 1-1:45
SURNAMES Q-Z: 2-2:45



Highfield Family Hub Open Event

Monday 11th March 2024

Children and Family
Wellbeing
Service

Come along & try one of our free sessions:

Mini Move & Groove 10am - 11.30am	↓	Transitions 1pm - 2.15pm
Both fun activity sessions- mobile to pre-school children		
Drop-in with fun Arts & Crafts 3pm - 5pm		↙
Open to families with children of all ages!		

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