Hannah More Primary School Newsletter 11th October 2019



Hello everyone

I have enjoyed seeing such varied learning around school this week. There has been some exciting cooking in Year 2, excellent skipping workshops enjoyed by everyone and thought-provoking visits to IntoUniversity for Year 6 Eagle. If you would like to experience teaching and learning then make sure you have signed up for the Open Morning next week. There are still spaces in most classes.

Lunchtime staff have asked me to remind everyone that packed lunches must not include chocolate or sweets - and we ask that children have water rather than squash or juice, as this is so much better for growing bodies and healthy teeth.

With all this rainy weather, please make sure your child brings a waterproof coat to school. This is especially important if children are going on visits! There are a few coats in the lost property pile which concerns me. Sadly these coats don't have names in, so we cannot return them to their owners. The PTA spent a lot of time sorting out lost property today and it would be SO helpful to them - and to us - if everyone named their child's possessions. In this newsletter there is information about special sticky name labels, which are quick and convenient to use.

Best wishes,

Sue Ramsay, Headteacher

Reminder - Meeting for parents about Sex and Relationships education at Hannah More. Monday, 9.00 in the sports hall.



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Club Event on Monday 14th
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Year 4: Summaya and Nagie

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Lost Property If your child is missing any belongings please check here!

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If it has a name in, we will be able to return it to their class!



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The school will be closed to pupils on **Monday 4th November for Staff** Training.



Dinner Money will be increasing from Tuesday 5th November to £2.15 per meal.





October

Parent Open Morning

A chance for parents to come in and see the teaching at Hannah More.

YOU MUST BOOK A PLACE BY MONDAY 14TH OCTOBER!





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St Werburgh's **Primary School**



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For ALL Reception Parents Crèche Available

Wednesday 16th October

9.00 - 9.30am in Caterpillar Class

We would love you to come along to a phonics workshop. Learn about how we teach phonics and early reading at Hannah More and how to support your child at home. You will also be able to

collect a FREE Hannah More book bag





When: Every Thursday from 9:30 - 11:00

Where: Felix Rd Adevnture Playground, Felix Rd, Easton, BS5 0JW

What: Come and meet other parents, get information on courses and events, activities for toddlers and much more! All Welcome!

Find your child's class below to read about what they have been learning this week and how you can help them at home!

Reception

This week we learnt about blending sounds together to make a word (e.g. r' 'a' 't' = rat). We also developed our fine motor skills during our Funk Finger exercises. At home, please play 'I spy' with your child e.g. 'I spy with my little eye something words; more than, less than that goes 'h - a - t'. This will help our blending skills.



We have been engineers this week. We explored and trialled different levers to help us prepare for designing and making our own shadow puppets next week! At home. encourage your child to practise their times tables Year 4's favourite lessons at the and read with them as much as possible. Try logging on to Times Table **Rockstars!**

ear 1

We had a special visit from the Avon and Rescue fire station. We learnt how to stop, drop and roll! The children also learnt how to write a story this week. Read with your child **every** day for 10 minutes. Practise comparing numbers with the and equal to. Check they are writing letters the right way round.



As Authors, we wrote our own versions of the class story called 'Frogspell'. As Mathematicians, we rounded numbers to the nearest 10, 100 and 1000. Year 4 enjoyed their skipping workshops this week and are loving using the skipping ropes at play times and lunch times. Coding is another one of moment! . At home, practise how to round 4 digit numbers to the nearest 10, 100 and 1000.

Year 2

We made the delicious meals we had designed and really enjoyed eating them. We began planning our instructions so we can share our recipes with everyone else. As mathematicians we have looked at adding two 2 digit numbers. At home, read with your child every day for 10 minutes. Practise counting forwards and backwards from 100 and adding and subtracting within 100.



As Authors, we have been exploring explanation texts and the features of these. As Mathematicians we have used our knowledge of column method to add and subtract numbers with up to 6 digits. This week we have also been artists and, inspired by Megan Coyle, have made our own **Bristol inspired collages.** . At home, practise times tables up to 12 x 12.



As authors, Kestrel Class looked at different sentence types and used subordinating and coordinating conjunctions. We also explored facts and opinions and vocabulary as readers. In maths we learned to use the formal written method of long division. Meanwhile, Eagle Class have spent the week at IntoUniversity, had a trip to the zoo and a special Graduation on Friday! At home, please read with your child for 15 minutes daily and encourage your children to use Times Table Rockstars.