



The Reddings Primary & Nursery School

Newsletter 8th October 2021

Dear Parents and Carers

What a fantastic week we have had at The Reddings this week.

I think the highlight has to be watching the children laughing, bouncing and learning new skills curtsey of Ministry of Air. I know that some classes will have the opportunity to use the facilities at the Sports Centre over the next few weeks and judging by Monday, they are going to have a wonderful time.

I also know that Year 4 had an amazing day with their Ancient Greek workshop. The learning opportunities were delivered in such an engaging way that everyone had fun whilst finding out lots of new facts alongside developing new skills.

A note about attendance. The guidance has now changed regarding Covid absences and children will now be marked as x (authorised absence) only for the day/s that they are showing symptoms and are awaiting PCR test results. Any other day will be marked as i (illness) and does impact your child's attendance figures. We, of course, will not be looking to take any action where children have tested positive but I wanted you to be aware that this change will be reflected in absence figures for your child.

We currently have a vacancy for a parent Governor.

School governors have an important role in helping the school run effectively.

The governor role is strategic rather than operational. Governors don't get involved with the day to day running of a school, instead supporting and challenging the school's leadership team to drive school improvement. Governors normally attend around eight meetings throughout the year and, whilst it is a commitment and a responsibility, it offers a great opportunity to make a positive impact on the school.

If it is something that you think you might be interested in, please come and talk to me. If we have multiple applications there will be an election process.

Finally, Congratulations to those children who took part in the LTSI Taekwondo English Championships in Hatfield on Sunday. I know that they all did really well and all won medals. Well done Emilia, Leena, Surina and Danny - we are so proud of you!



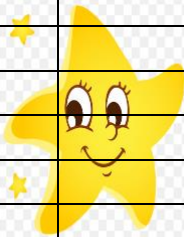
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Stars of the week:

Year 1		Freddie
Year 2		Othaniel
Year 3		Whole of the Class
Year 4		Olivia
Year 5		Maia
Year 6		Whole of the class



Sports performer of the week

- Ali-Haider Year 6
- Ali-Mutaqi Year 6
- Brooke Year 6

Attendance of the week

Year 4 98.5%

Reminders

- Parent consultations for Nursery up to Year 5 are being held next Tuesday and Wednesday. Appointments can be booked following the link below:
<https://www.schoolinterviews.co.uk/>
 1. Login to www.schoolinterviews.co.uk
 2. Click on make a booking tab
 3. Event code = n77hy
 4. Step 1: enter your details:
 - a. Your email address
 - b. Your full name
 - c. Your child's name (you can add multiple children)
 - d. Choose your child's class teacher for each child from drop down menu
 - e. Tick the time slot you would like from available slots
 5. Click goConfirmation will be shown on screen and you will receive an email confirming the date and time of your booking
- We are still experiencing high levels of interruptions throughout the day as children have forgotten items at home. Ideally school bags should be ready and packed for school by the previous evening.
- Please can we ask that parents/carers check the school calendar for any events that maybe taking place at school during the week.
- After recent complaints of our PE Shirt we have decided to alter the design slightly to the following. These can be ordered at

https://beatschooluniforms.co.uk/schools/the_reddings_primary_school/





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New School Council

Congratulations to our new School council

Year 1	Phoebe D and Afif U
Year 2	Noah P and Maya Q
Year 3	Emilia A and Ollie H
Year 4	Victoria Jane A and Maya F
Year 5	Freya S and Amazigh L
Year 6	Milly A and Moussa K

Key Dates

12 th October	Year 3 – Stone age workshop
12 th and 13 th October	Parent Consultations
25 th to 29 th October	Half term
1 st November	Back to School