



# Newsletter

Dear parents and carers,

It has been a very busy week at BP this week.

On Tuesday, Year 3 enjoyed a visit to Stonehenge to visit the Stone Circle and find out about the prehistoric people who lived there 4,000 years ago. They had a fantastic time and took the rainy weather and long coach journey in their stride. Their behaviour, as always, was excellent. Thank you to Miss Lawrence, Mrs Carlin-Kelly, Mrs Hussein and Mrs Sidhu for accompanying the children on the visit.

It was nice to talk with parents at our workshop on Tuesday about how we teach children to read and what parents can do to support children with their reading. We have two more parent information workshops coming up. If you would like to attend, please see details later in the newsletter.

Yesterday, we were treated to a wonderful class assembly by Year 1. They spoke and performed confidently and entertained their audience immensely, even singing to us in French! Well done Year 1, you did a fantastic job and thank you to Mrs Beith and the Year 1 team for helping to prepare the children for their assembly.

I'm pleased to be able to share with you our term dates for the next academic year. These are published on our website and can be found by clicking [here](#).

Have a lovely weekend,  
Miss Macklearn



## Celebration Worship

For hard work, great improvement or good behaviour

CLASS	
Friendship	Ivy
Endurance	Louis
Peace	Thomas
Forgiveness	Michaela
Reverence	Daisy
Service	Chloe L
Justice	Zach & Meera

## Attendance

The previous week's attendance

CLASS	%
Friendship	99.67
Endurance	92.41
Peace	93.45
Forgiveness	97.33
Reverence	96.67
Service	98.33
Justice	94.67

## Extra-Curricular Clubs

We hope your children have enjoyed the clubs this term. I thought it would be helpful to send a reminder that clubs are due to finish this term on the following dates:

**Year 5 & 6 Football** - last session this term Monday 27th November.

**French Club** - last session this term Monday 27th November.

**Year 1 & 2 Football with JA Sports** - last session this term Tuesday 5th December

**Year 3 & 4 Football with JA Sports** - last session this term Wednesday 6th December

**Code Camp Coding Years 4, 5 & 6** - last session this term Wednesday 13th December

**Tennis Club with JA Sports** - last session this term Thursday 7th December

**Gymnastics with Tia Andrews** - last session this term Friday 8th December

**Little Coders with Code Camp** - last session this term Friday 8th December

There will be no clubs running on Friday 1st December due to INSET. If you have any questions regarding extra-curricular clubs, please don't hesitate to contact me.  
Mr King.

## School trips/events



Unless otherwise stated, children should wear school uniform for school visits (this includes school shoes). Children should bring a bag (school bag or other) to carry their packed lunch and water bottle in. If details vary to this they will be provided below within the specific trip section.

### Year 6

**Monday 4<sup>th</sup> December visiting Westminster Abbey.** Travelling to and from the venue via local train service. Please complete the permission slip within your child's SCOPAY account **by the 24th November** to enable them to attend. Packed lunch required, either provide one from home or pre-book a school provided trip lunch [here](#).

### Year 2

**22<sup>nd</sup> November – Great Fire of London Tour.**

The coach will be leaving at 8.45 so please arrive at school at 8.30. Packed lunch required, please bring a backpack and water bottle. The church hosting us have a polite request, they have asked that we please do not bring grated cheese sandwiches (sliced cheese is fine) nor yoghurts/liquid puddings as they cause damage to the carpets of the church. Children can wear trainers for this trip alongside their school uniform.

### Whole School

**5<sup>th</sup> December – Pantomime.** This year, we have a touring pantomime company visiting us to perform Jack and the Beanstalk. Please can you complete the payment for the pantomime via your child's [SCOPAY](#) account **by the 27<sup>th</sup> November**.

## Christmas Shoebox Appeal

We will be supporting the local branch of Refuge again this year with Christmas shoebox gifts. We are just waiting for the final details, but if you would like to donate a Christmas shoebox please hold onto any shoeboxes you may have. We hope to share the full details with you next week. As a reminder, items need to be brand new and not used, previously we were asked to collate boxes for babies, children and women, all of whom have had to flee domestic violence.





## Lunchtime sports provision



In light of the recent changes made by School Council to the availability of basketball at lunchtimes, Mr Roberts, our PE coach will be organising and leading sports opportunities in the playground. This will enable children to engage in a wider range of physical activities on Wednesday and Thursday lunchtimes in line with our commitment to encourage children to be physically active during the school day. This is in addition to the existing Playground Pals programme through which older children supervise organised play for younger children.

## Kingston Christmas touch typing course for 7 - 16s

St Joseph's Primary School, Kingston KT1 2UP  
Tues 2 - Fri 6 January 2023; 10:00 - 12:15 pm daily.  
Beginners, improvers and advanced typists are warmly welcome. Learn how to type 40+ per minute with the correct fingers and posture. We use the latest app style games and challenges to make learning effective and fun. Cost £176.00 Child care vouchers accepted. (10% sibling/bring a friend discount) Duke of Edinburgh skill assessor. More info from [sarah.holt@typingscool.co.uk](mailto:sarah.holt@typingscool.co.uk). Apply at [www.typingscool.co.uk](http://www.typingscool.co.uk)



## Work for AfC's Early Years Service

"If you want to work and learn with highly experienced people, make a difference to children and young people, or even just do something more than making a profit, then come and work for AfC." We are recruiting for a new Childcare Market Development Officer (1247) and want to hear from you! Applications close on Sunday 19 November. To find out more, please email [anita.board@achievingforchildren.org.uk](mailto:anita.board@achievingforchildren.org.uk) for an informal discussion.

## English as an additional language

At Bishop Perrin School, we are proud to celebrate the diversity of our community. If your child speaks more than one language, we would really like to know about it. Please follow this [link](#) to complete a very short survey to share this information with us (it will take not more than three minutes to complete). Thank you very much.



## Helping children with challenging behaviour

Mental Health Support Team Workshop:  
Children often communicate their needs through their behaviours. This webinar run by our MHST will help you to learn about different factors that can impact children's behaviours, build or strengthen positive relationships by reinforcing the importance of focussing on giving positive attention. You will also learn strategies to establish home rules and boundaries and create a safe and structured environment for your children. Online event: 6th December at 6pm-7.15pm and 8th December at 9am-10.15am  
[6th & 8th December MHST Workshop: Helping Children with challenging behaviour Sign up Form](#)

## The Big Ambition

The Big Ambition is a national campaign commissioned by Dame Rachel De Souza, the Children's Commissioner for England. The Big Ambition provides an opportunity for the children of England to tell political decision makers what is important to them ahead of the General Election. Their responses will be shared with Government to ensure that children's voices are heard. Children or parents can find out more information and complete the survey [here](#).

## School Photos

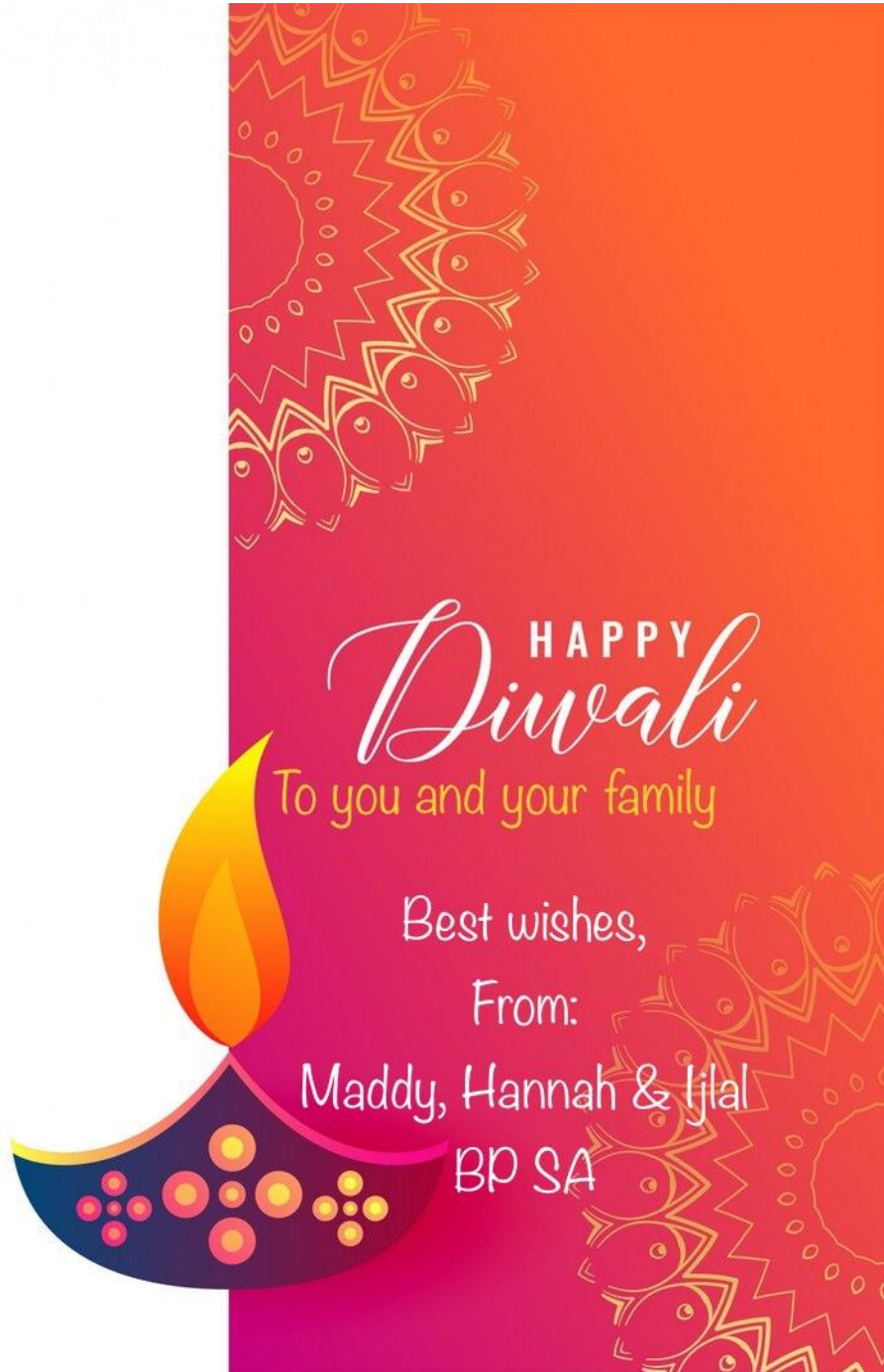


Order [here](#) by 22nd November for free delivery to school. If you order after this date, a delivery charge will apply.



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If you have any concerns regarding the safeguarding of children who attend Bishop Perrin CE Primary School, these should be reported to the Designated Safeguarding Lead who is Mr Corke. In his absence, concerns should be reported to the Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead who is Miss Macklearn. The School's Safeguarding Governor is Lucy James

