

Dear families,

Thank-you for supporting your children with Anti-bullying and Children in Need, this week. We will let you know how much was raised next week. We still have anti-bullying bands left if anyone should want one. We will be publishing the children's anti-bullying leaflet soon.

It is now time to focus on Christmas celebrations (as well as everyday learning!)

A paper letter outlining all events and how to access them will be coming home next week with children. Please do look out for it – we will also email it. All tickets being sold will be via sQuid so please make sure you can access your account.

Hollymount Christmas Choir

Our first Christmas event happened on Saturday 18th - our choir performed at Ranbow Hill Christmas Fayre. Thank-you if you came and supported your child, or just came anyway.

Our next performance is at the opening of Worcester Christmas Fayre on Thursday November 30th at 3.30pm – we hope to see some of you there.

Parents of choir members will receive separate letters with full details.

Flu Vaccine

Uptake for the flu vaccine for children was low when offered last week. School nurses are going to try once more on **Friday 24th November**.

Letters have been handed out and families should follow instructions to register online. If you are not able to do this, please visit the school office who can help you and provide paperwork. We have also asked the nurses to stay after school until 4pm for any parents who would prefer to be there with their children.

Please do consider getting your child vaccinated. Flu, although usually mild, can lead to complications and spreads easily between children. For more information visit:

[Child flu vaccine - NHS \(www.nhs.uk\)](http://www.nhs.uk)

Week beginning 20th November

Monday 20th November

- **Clubs: Construction, forest school, drama**

Tuesday 21st

- [Swimming Year 6](#)
- **Clubs: football, Young Voices, Origami**

Wednesday 22nd

Thursday 23rd

- [Swimming Year 4](#)
- Family learning group 1.30pm

Friday 24th

- **Clubs: Gardening (until 4.15pm)**
- **Flu vaccination 2 – 4pm**

The next PFA meeting will be on [Tuesday 27th November at 2.30pm](#). Please join us.



SCHOOL
VALUES

PROUD
TO BE ME

ENJOY
LEARNING

ACHIEVE
SUCCESS

RESPECT FOR THE
WORLD



Keeping Children Safe

Safeguarding and Family Support

Designated Safeguarding

Lead: Mrs S Ricketts

Deputy Safeguarding Leads:

Mrs A Donnelly

Mr D Davies

Mrs R Hussain

Pastoral/ behaviour leads:

Mr D Davies and Mr M Harrold

Special Educational Needs:

Mrs E Davis-Lloyd (SENCO)

Mrs L Montgomery (Inclusion lead)

If you have a concern about a child or wish to speak about any worries, please see one of our team. They can signpost families to additional support, if it is required.

Anyone can make a referral to Children's services.

[Children's Social Care](#) | [Worcestershire County Council](#)

In an emergency, always ring 999.

Keeping Children Safe Online

It is everyone's responsibility to ensure children are safe in day to-day life and online. Please check your child's online activity,

- Check game age advisory notices
- Limit children's time spent online
- Set filters so that inappropriate material is blocked
- Keep phones, tablets etc out of bedrooms



Our successful learners this week, showing that the "Enjoy learning" were:

- 1CD - Amelia-Rose
- 1ET - Talisa
- 1HL - Ace
- 1HM - Aparnaa
- 2KD - Thea
- 2JT - Ava
- 2JA - Kanishk
- 2HR - Leah Adesola
- 2EP - Leah Brookes
- 2AS - Cailyn
- 2MH - Alisia
- 2NA - Kasia

WELL DONE EVERYONE!

Power of yet!

Resilience is a vital life skill which ensures children persevere even when things get tough. We remind our children not to say, "I can't do it" but to say "I can't do it YET." The following children have been chosen for showing this quality.

1CD: Sabrina; 1ET Penny; 1HM Olivia; 1HL Edi; 2KD Dexter; 2JT Stacey; 2JA Cienna; 2EP Jacob; 2AS Layla-Mae; 2MH Nikodem; 2NA Hannah

School Attendance

	Week beginning 13 th November	This half-term	Autumn Term
Reception	93.7	93.5	94.6
Year 1	95.7	96.1	93.1
Year 2	92.2	93.4	92.6
Year 3	96.4	97.1	94.9
Year 4	90.6	91.3	91.2
Year 5	94.6	95.9	95.2
Year 6	97.2 ★	97.6 ★	95.9 ★

CORE BRITISH VALUES

DEMOCRACY

INDIVIDUAL LIBERTY

RULE OF LAW

TOLERANCE AND RESPECT

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