

This week

This week, our pupils have been learning about online safety through the Be Internet Legends programme – celebrating Be Internet Legends Day on Thursday 9 December 2021.



Be Internet Legends is an online safety programme from Google, in partnership with Parent Zone. It aims to help children aged 7 to 11 be safer, more confident explorers of the online world.

We wish you a legendary Christmas holiday and remember: if your child is getting a connected gift for Christmas, make sure you have set up parental controls and security settings to make sure they can start having fun more safely and confidently.

Next week

Next week will be a very busy last week for us all, before we finish for the Christmas holidays.

Monday 13th December

Speak out. Stay safe. NSPCC launch.

2.45pm Reception Christmas carol performances

Tuesday 14th December

2.30 – 2.50pm Year 2 and Year 6 Christmas carol performances

Wednesday 15th December

Christmas dinner

2.30 – 2.50pm Year 3 and Year 4 Christmas carol performances

Thursday 16th December

2.30 – 2.50pm Year 1 and Year 5 Christmas carol performances

Choir performing at the Winter Festival at the Community Hub.

Christmas class parties

School finishes for Nursery and Young Explorers (usual collection time)

Friday 17th December

School finishes for Reception – Year 6 pupils at 1pm.

Christmas Festivities

15th December 2021 Christmas menu

ROAST TURKEY
SPICY CHICKEN
ROASTED VEGETABLE PARCEL

with Sage & Onion Stuffing & Gravy

ROSEMARY ROAST POTATOES

CARROTS/
SWEETCORN/BRUSSEL SPROUTS

SANTAS DESSERT SELECTION
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Come and watch your child / children perform Christmas carols with their year group! Performances will take place in the playground (weather permitting).

Christmas class parties

Class parties are next week – Thursday 16th December.

Due to COVID measures in place, we are asking you not to send in anything for the class party. Please donate £1 towards your child's class party so we can purchase items.

Children can wear non-uniform, including Christmas jumpers.



Reading Whiz Kids

Reading Whiz kids in Action!

This week, the team worked together creating displays in the library to promote reading across the school. What a fantastic team!



Year Group News

Each week we will be celebrating the learning taking place in different year groups.

This week we are celebrating the learning that took place in Nursery and Year 3.

Nursery (am)

In nursery this week, we have been focusing on Christmas activities. We have been very busy decorating nursery, painting Christmas trees and making snowmen with the playdough! We also have been playing musical instruments and singing our Christmas songs ready for our Christmas performance!



Year 3

In D&T, we have been learning about different pulley systems and designing our own mechanical product.

Did you know that the cranes the Romans used, were mostly made out of wood with an advanced system of pulleys? The pulleys would allow the Romans to lift and move very heavy stones!

We also spotted a pulley in the playground!



Our achievements this week

Attendance

As a school, we achieved 93.9% attendance this week (Reception – Year 6)

Well done to the following classes for achieving our school target or above this week: 03/12/2021 = 09/12/2021

Class	Attendance
Year 3 Helium	97%
Year 4 Platinum	96.2%

Pupil awards

Class	Child's Name		
	BRAVO CARDS	ACHIEVEMENT CARDS	GOLDEN AWARDS
Iron	Aaminah	Floriana	Esraye
Titanium	Dominic, Tia, Nimshi	Anaya	Nor
Zinc	Urwa	Takia	Tiago
Carbon	Aniela, Nicola	Jaylen, Anabel, Sara	Aaron
Silver		Rayyan, Harrison	Zahra
Helium	Vanessa, Luna	Starran, Mazin	Zahra
Silicon	Adam, Gabriela	Yusuf	Theo
Platinum	Mihail	Sara, Menaal, Urwa, Oliwia	Darius
Oxygen	Ibrahim, Victor, Mustafa, David, Andrian, Teasia, Rafia, Jessica, Hussain, Aman, Aisha, Vasil		Mustafa Ali
Promethium	Inaya, Rebecca, Manha, Zaara	Aya	Miran
Cobalt	Ana-Maria, Logan		Basma
Einsteinium	Yazabelle	Ruponti	Samiya, Karis
Krypton	Armaan, Shubham	Damian, Patrick	Mia

Information

Attendance and Punctuality

Parents / carers with children in Reception to Year 6, will have now received an attendance statement letter. This was to update you on your child's attendance from the start of this academic year up until 30th November 2021.

From January 2022, we will be tightening up on our attendance and punctuality procedures in order to be able to provide the necessary support for our pupils, as they have all missed so much in class learning.

Please use our last week of school as an opportunity to put in place strategies to support improving your child's attendance and punctuality.

A reminder that all term time holidays will counted as unauthorised absence on your child's record and you may be issued with a fine.

School Dinners

The cost of a school meal is increasing from January 2022.

From January, a school meal will cost £2.30, which comes to £11.50 for the week.

Please can we remind you that this needs to be paid in advance.

Find out if you are entitled to free school meals and apply on the Waltham Forest website. If you are, please bring the confirmation into the school office.

<https://www.walthamforest.gov.uk/schools-education-and-learning/schools-and-colleges/free-school-meals>

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Dates for your diary

Monday 13th December

Speak out. Stay safe. Week

Tuesday 14th December

Second session flu vaccination

Wednesday 15th December

Christmas Dinner

Thursday 16th December

Class parties (non-uniform)

Term ends for Young Explorers and Nursery

Friday 17th December

End of term – 1pm

Spring 1 Term

Tuesday 4th January 2022

Staff INSET day

Wednesday 5th January 2022

All children return to school

Your opinion matters!

Let us know your views on how things are going for you and your family with school.

Complete our short questionnaire using the following link or QR Code.

<https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/227FSHN>

