

THE TYNDALE TIMES

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Monday 12th September 2022

Headteacher's Update

A warm welcome back to Tyndale for what I know will be a successful first term to a fabulous year ahead!

Firstly, I would like to wish our Year 6 class from last year a massive amount of luck in their secondary school journey. I hope that you will make us proud!

Secondly, it's with huge pleasure that I welcome our new EYFS class and their parents who have settled wonderfully into our school! They look extremely smart in their uniform and are impressing Ms Cox and Ms Clark every day with their love of learning, desire to explore and genuine kindness.

I would like to remind all parents and carers that our new behaviour policy has now taken effect and will be used across the school. The exciting part of this behaviour policy launch is the wide variety of rewards on offer for our children! These range from non-school uniform days on your birthday, to the relaunch of the end of term reward and the introduction of our new Learning Heroes! If you haven't read about these rewards yet, you can find more details [here](#).

Finally, I'd like to remind all parents and carers about our Child and Family Team, who are always available to support you and to keep our children safe and happy at school. If your child is having a tricky morning then just inform us with a written post-it note or message to the office stating the phrase 'handle with care' and we'll know to take extra time and patience to support your child with no questions asked! If you need to report any incidents of bullying, you can do so directly to us [here](#).

The safety and happiness of your child at our school is, and will always be, an absolute priority for us.

Important News

Bank Holiday

Monday 19th September 2022 will be a Bank Holiday for the State Funeral of Queen Elizabeth II. The school will be closed to all (letter to follow).

Reading Areas

We are delighted to share our new reading corners with you! Please view the details below for our 'share a book with a loved one' events. We will be handing out free bookmarks to celebrate.

Extra-curricular Clubs

We are so passionate about the benefits of extracurricular clubs that we are offering an extensive programme of after school clubs **FREE OF CHARGE**. To read more information, please click [here](#). If you would like to book your child a space, please click [here](#). Teachers can also support with signing your child up to these fantastic clubs.

Does your child love to sing? You can now sign them up to join Young Voices, starting at Warmley Music Centre on 10th September.

Visit www.southglosmusic.org for more information or sign up [here](#).



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Wednesday 14th September 2022 (2.55 - 3.10pm)
EYFS share a book with a loved one.

Thursday 15th September 2022 (3.00 - 3.15pm)
Year 6 share a book with a loved one.

Friday 16th September 2022 (3.00 - 3.15pm)
Year 5 share a book with a loved one.

Monday 19th September 2022 - Bank Holiday for the State Funeral of Queen Elizabeth II. School closed.

Tuesday 20th September 2022 (3.00 - 3.15pm)
Year 3 share a book with a loved one.

Wednesday 21st September 2022 (2.55 - 3.10pm)
Year 1 share a book with a loved one.

Thursday 22nd September 2022 (2.55 - 3.10pm)
Year 2 share a book with a loved one.

Friday 23rd September 2022 (All Day) TTRS
Launch - Dress Like a Rockstar (All Year Groups).
Year 4 share a book with a loved one.

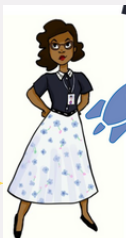


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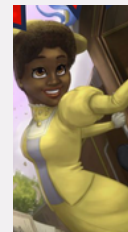


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AWARDS

Learning Heroes



Ambitious Ade

Harley Higgs - Year 6.

Great work Harley for showing ambition last week! He has successfully challenged himself during English and Maths lessons, whilst making sure his presentation is on top form!

Collaborative Katherine

Benji Morgan - Year 1.

Fantastic work Benji, for working collaboratively as team in class, to construct a circuit!

Independent Ida

Evie Brooks - Year 4.

Excellent job Evie, for trying extremely hard in lessons, figuring out how to do things independently and for helping others to be more independent.

Resilient Richard

Connor Gunningham - Year 5.

Marvellous job Connor, for being resilient last week! He has shown resilient in his learning, particularly maths, by spending extra time with the teacher, to ensure he understands place value.

Governor's Award

Persephone Harling-Hoyle - Year 1.

Congratulations Sephe for achieving the Governor's Award this fortnight, for her genuine curiosity for learning and phenomenal positive attitude!



Dojo Champions

Well done for earning the most Class Dojos!

Year 1 - Maisie Godfrey.

Year 2 - Eden Brooks.

Year 3 - Lunaria Shield.

Year 4 - Lola Wade-Dracup.

Year 5 - Kobe Carter-Jenkins.

Year 6 - Ashton Cherrett.

Reading Rockstars

For demonstrating that they love reading as much as we do!

Year 1 - Edie Power.

Year 2 - Amelia Cook.

Year 3 - Alex Adra.

Year 4 - Bebe Britton.

Year 5 - Adam Jamil.

Year 6 - Harry Bale.



★ Stars of the Week ★

Reception - Rosie Leach for showing her amazing listening skills during her first week in Reception. She is always ready to learn and wonderful at setting an example for her classmates.

Year 1 - Sephe Harling Hoyle for showing ambition in her learning. Sephe has risen to all challenges given to her and has shown enthusiasm in her learning.

Year 2 - Bailey Hooper for continually trying her best in her first week in Year 2. She has approached all new challenges with confidence.

Year 4 - Esmae Murrell for going above and beyond to improve her work and always striving to be better than the day before.

Year 5 - Leland Barrett for showing ambition to succeed in every lesson! Leland has tried his best by putting his hand up to answer every question, asking for help when needed and for working diligently from start to finish!

Year 6 - Kizzie Lewis-Richings for her positive attitude towards learning and always trying her very best. She is a great role model to her peers!

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CLASS UPDATES

RECEPTION

What an AMAZING first week for our Reception class. They have come into their new classroom with such confidence and curiosity. They have been enjoying 'The Colour Monster' story, name games, echo reading and have been exploring all of the new areas of our classroom. From mark making to role play to messy shaving foam fun....they have loved it!

YEAR 1

Year 1 have had a fabulous start to this academic year and have shown great enthusiasm for their learning. They have quickly adapted to their new classroom and the routines in our Year 1 class; Ms Bisset couldn't be prouder of them! They have started their new project 'Dinosaur Planet' and have been using their observational and cutting skills in art to create their own dinosaurs.

YEAR 2

Year 2 have all settled quickly back into their class routines! This fortnight they started their learning journey into the Great Fire of London. The children have been learning about the key events and have created their own timeline. They have been learning about place value and are now experts at using stem sentences. In art, the children have explored sketching techniques with their pencils.



YEAR 3

Year 3 has had an amazing start to the year! They have been incredibly quick at understanding their new class routines and have adapted quickly. This fortnight, they have started their topic, 'Cityscapes', where they are learning all about urban art and urban cities. Year 3 have also been making great use out of their new reading corners and have all displayed huge passion for reading.

YEAR 4

Year 4 have settled in quickly, working well as a team to learn new classroom routines and have been taking on responsibility with their class jobs. They have started their new topic - Totem Trails - learning all about the United States of America. Year 4 have looked at direction through geography, all about electricity in science and have used resilience when learning their times tables.

YEAR 5

Year 5 have had a fantastic start to the term! They are currently reading 'Secrets of a Sun King', to support their writing and topic lessons. Highlights this week have included: mummifying tomatoes, building their own pyramids, and writing messages in hieroglyphics, as part of their learning about Ancient Egypt!

YEAR 6

Year 6 have all been enjoying settling into Year 6! The children, some of whom have kindly donated plants to it, have also been loving reading in the new 'reading jungle' in class. In maths they have been reading, writing, comparing and ordering numbers into the hundred millions, whilst in English, they have begun gathering information and planning a non-chronological report on the Titanic.



Staff Shout Out - Mrs Whiffin

A massive thank you to our Lead Lunchtime Supervisor Mrs Whiffen, for making lunchtimes more enjoyable for pupils, by leading playground games such as tug of war!



THANK YOU!

Staff Fun Fact

This fortnight's fun fact is about our Behaviour & Inclusion Lead Ms Fletcher! When she was 19, she used to work as a Nanny in New York and then travelled around the West Coast of America in a mini bus!



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LAST WEEK IN PICTURES



We've had another fantastic week!

Here are some snapshots to show some of the varied learning experiences...

