Hannah More Primary School Newsletter 3rd February 2023



Hi everyone,

This week has been a little out of the ordinary with the Strike day. The children who were in school did a great job, considering they knew some of their friends were at home. I hope that parents understand that we did everything that we could to keep some of the school open. I can't give you any information about the next Strike days until nearer the time.

Today we have been celebrating Hannah More's birthday. The children have been finding out more about Hannah More, the school and the local area. We were very grateful to Olaide, who spoke in assembly last week, and Socius for providing enough cake for nearly 100 people. It should be a fun celebration after school. 278 years is certainly a big birthday!

We are so lucky to have the support of so many local businesses. Next week, Deloitte are sending 40 volunteers to do a whole school DT project about cranes. I had an exciting trip to the huge building site around the corner today and I'm looking forward to sharing the videos and pictures next Tuesday. Next week is full of exciting events and we are all looking forward to the Year 4 performance.

I will be organising another parent voice afternoon at the start of next term. I will send a date out next week. Have a lovely weekend and we will see you for the last week of term. Year 4
performance for
parents/carers
Thurs 9 February
2pm

Mr Hawkins



Celebrating World Hijab Day on 1 February!



Mothers and Daughters visited the Henrietta Lacks statue at Bristol Uni this week as part of a Women in History project through the Elizabeth Blackwell Institute



Year 1: Anas

Year 2: Yagub

Year 3: Yusuf and Jamia

Year 4: Tamara

Year 5: Samuel and Hussein

Year 6: Yousef and Emelle



CLASS NEWS

This week we learnt about who Princess Campbell was. We learnt about segregation in Bristol and what Princess Campbell did to challenge it. We learnt about her job as a nurse and what it was like to be a nurse in the past compared to now. At home, practise numbers bonds to 10, and then practise number bonds to 20! Practise writing tricky words from memory [again, said, want, people, friend]/ Practise counting up to 20 and down from 20. Keep reading!

Year 2 had such a great week. In maths, we grouped and shared, and in English we edited and upgraded our work. We enjoyed designing and making a playground suitable for Traction Man and had lots of fun learning about Hannah More. Please read with you child 5 times a week. Use Bug Club - ask your teacher if you have forgotten your login. Practise your 2, 5 and 10 times tables, including doing them out of order.

YEAR 3 We had a brilliant week, learning all about Alfred the Great and writing our own biographies. We also made a head of the Viking wolf 'Fenrir' using mechanical systems and we celebrated Hannah More's birthday! Please read with your child 5 times a week. Learn the 3, 4 and 8 times table facts out of order. Practise joined-up handwriting at home.

As mathematicians, we began work on fractions. We explored the relationship between part and whole, through building and comparing. As authors, we considered authors' word choices and used expanded noun phrases to have impact with the reader. Our biggest project this week, however, has been our performance! We built props, sang and rehearsed! At home, read through scripts with children and ensure they are familiar with all their lines ready for the performance next week.

This week the children were successful mathematicians when multiplying fractions. As authors, they planned and wrote non-chronological reports about space. As scientists, they planned and prepared for an experiment on air resistance. At home, help your child with their homework and spellings ready for our Monday test. Practise times tables.

Year 6 dived into decimals this week, breaking down their place value and doing some rounding. As writers, they did a fabulous sentence stacking lesson in which they produced some beautiful figurative language. At home, help your child revise for at least 20 minutes per day. Look at the Year 6 blog for some activities and games you can do at home. Encourage your child to read daily. Even if it's for just 10 minutes.



Monday mornings 9am - 10am (term time only)

IN THE COMMUNITY ROOM - WOMEN ONLY - IT'S FREE!
CRECHE AVAILABLE FOR PRESCHOOL CHILDREN

A fun, social session that uses simple Yoga poses to strengthen the body and quiet the mind.

No experience required, wear comfortable clothes.

Don't forget to bring some water!

TUESDAYS

SEWING WORKSHOPS

TUESDAY MORNINGS 9AM-11AM

What to expect this term (term 3): drop-in session where you can find out more, meet the tutor, learn to use a sewing machine, complete your own projects, or maybe learn some crochet skills. All Hannah More parents are welcome!

After half term (term 4): weekly sewing course - you will need to attend every week, fill an enrolment form and provide ID. Find out about 'next steps' and improve your English if you need to. The course is for people who do not have a (UK) level 2 qualification.

FREE COURSE!
GET A CERTIFICATE WHEN YOU FINISH
WORK AT YOUR OWN PACE - ALL WELCOME!

If you are Interested contact friendsofhannahmore@gmail.com or speak to Sarah Franke at school











ESOL CONVERSATION CLUB

TUESDAYS 9AM-10AM

CRECHE AVAILABLE!

COMMUNITY ROOM

Do you want to practice speaking English? Come to an English Conversation Club.

Ma doonaysaa in aad luqadda Ingiriisiga si fiican ugu hadasho?

Kaalay oo ka qaybqaado kulamo gaar ah oo loogu talogalay xoojinta ama horumarinta ku hadalka luqadda Ingiriisiga.

Czy chcesz ćwiczyć rozmowy w języku angielskim?

Przyłącz się do klubu konwersacyjnego

کیا آپ انگریزی بولنے کی مشق کرنا چاہیتے ہیں؟ English Conversation Club. انگریزی بول چال کے کلب میں تشریف لایں۔

Хочеш попрактикувати розмовну англійську?

Приєднуйся до англійського розмовного клубу English Conversation Club.

- Practise speaking English Improve your confidence
 - Meet new people
 Enjoy fun activities

FREE Speaking classes in Bristol | No need to enrol—just turn up!



www.esolcc.org or contact Aggie on:

□ esolconversationclubs@bristol.gov.uk

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WEDNESDAYS

Mindful Me Time for Parents FREE TASTER WORKSHOPS!

Wednesdays 9:15 - 11:15

Next sessions: 8th February and 1st March

These sessions look at how we deal with the stress and worry which comes from being a parent or carer. We can learn to notice what happens when we are stressed or worried, and how to keep calm when faced with difficulties.

Mindfulness for parents/carers supports us to:

- Feel more confident about being a parent
- Manage stress and frustration
- Talk to and listen to children

FREE with childcare costs covered by school



Join our Code Club

Learn how to use Scratch & Python!



Saturday 11:45am-12:45pm Central Children's Library Starting 4th Feb 2023 Beginners Coding Club



* Free

Call 0117 903 7200 to book! Or contact: childrens.library@bristol.gov.uk

Free 8 week course for 8-11 year olds



February Half Term in Barton Hill



Monday 13th 12 - 2pm Drop in Family Cafe lunch and craft activities for children aged 5 – 11 and their carers.

Wednesday 15th 12 - 1pm Drop in Family Cafe lunch1 - 2.30pm STORYTELLING and fun activities with Travelling Light. For children aged 7+, drop off available.*

*bookings for Wednesday Storytelling via Lou on 07305 008789 or turn up on the day (places are limited so we can't guarantee a place if not booked)



Thursday 16th, 1 - 4pm Half term Play Session at Urban Park



Aged 8-11 (under 8s must be accompanied by a responsible 18+)
Ask any of our friendly team about further free play sessions
during school holidays.

Contact Phoebe for more info 0771 781 6850



Monday 9.30 -11am Stay and Play (0-5 Years)

1 - 2pm Baby group (0-1Years)

Wednesday 10 - 11am Urban Park

Thursday 1-2pm Under 5s hub with infant feeding support (Stay and Play)

Talk with a family practitioner from Monday to Thursday from 9am to 3pm

Family Centre, Ducie Road, BS5 0AX 0117 357 4192

Thursday 16th Feb SS Great Britain Trip
Saturday 18th Feb Imperial Sports Ground's Super Sense sensory room. SEND group.



Children aged 0-16 accompanied by parents/carers

To book contact bactivityclub@gmail.com

ST LUKE'S LUNCH

Join us this holiday to eat, play and make new friends.

St Luke's Church, Church Street, Barton Hill, BS5 9FB (Crypt entrance)

Monday 13th February

Family Cafe 12 - 2pm

Drop in to create your own lunch then join Travelling Light artists to explore your creativity, experiment with different materials and have fun With friends.

Last lunch 1.30pm.

Prop in no back! Drop in, no booking.





Message Amy if you have any dietary or support needs in your family 07801 762655.

Wednesday 15th February

Build your own lunch 12 - 1pm Join us to create and eat your own lunch as a family. Drop in.

Story Telling* With Travelling Light

1 - 2.30pm*

Daniel Morden is a Wonderful storyteller who has travelled the world sharing tales. His stories are funny, scary and magical. They are the long-ago stories, of talking animals and strange spells. In this session he will tell a few tales and then there'll be some fun story activities!

For children aged 7+, drop off available.*

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