# NEWSLETTER 16 October 2020



# This week at Fair Furlang

#### YEAR 6 APPLICATIONS TO SECONDARY SCHOOL SEPTEMBER 2021

The national submission date for on-time applications for a Year 7 Secondary School place for Sept 2021 is Midnight on 31st October 2020 and this is when the on-line system will close.

Please apply at: <a href="https://www.bristol.gov.uk/schooladmissions">www.bristol.gov.uk/schooladmissions</a>
If you have any questions or problems with your application please ring the school office and we can arrange for you to come into school to help.

# Travel to School - A message from Mrs Lang



We ask that you support the school and the local area by walking to school if you can. If you must drive we ask that you are considerate in your parking and park as far away from the school as possible. This week, parking on Fair Furlong has been especially bad and there have

been several incidents of concern involving vehicles parking an pavements, creating a dangerous situation for our children outside of school. I am also sorry to report that there have been some incidents where parents have been unpleasant to each other. Please be considerate of each other and note that intolerant or abusive behaviour near the school site is totally unacceptable. We trust that you will support our school community to be a safe and happy environment. Mrs Lang

## Harvest Festival

FRIDAY 16. OCTOBER - Thank for your generous donations to our Harvest Festival. The children have enjoyed taking them to our school hall and making a beautiful display with them. Your donations will be passed on to Withywood Church food bank and are much appreciated Take a look at our special Harvest assembly using the link which will be sent by email later this evening.

Well done to Funafuti class who collected the most items (95) and have won squash and cake with Mrs Lang on Monday



## What's been happening in school this week?

Year 2 have been writing some poetry by changing the words to the song, "It's a wonderful world!" To get some inspiration, we headed outside and enjoyed writing about the beautiful things we could see in our environment. The children produced some fantastic descriptions. Well done Year 2!



This week Seoul Class have made their own scarecrow museum to start exploring harvest.



## Certificates awarded for outstanding achievement this week (Please note that due to Harvest assemblies on Friday these will be handed out on Manday 19th October)

Learning Together:
Enthusiasm: Zyon Manulat, Ivy Holgate, Andrew Stacey, Oliver Naser
Challenge: Jaiden Whitfield, Summer Molten, The WHOLE of Stackholm class!
Respect: Adith Nair
Trust: Lilly-Ann Grimer, Oumie Barrow

#### Attendance this week:

KSI	Class	%	KS2	Class	%
Position		Attendance	Position		Attendance
st	Funafuti	98.6	st	Edinburgh &	
				Stockholm	100
2nd	UlaanBaatar	98.6	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Santiago & Sofia	99.3
3rd	Port Louis	98.6	3rd	Conakry	98
4 <sup>th</sup>	Seoul	97.9	4 <sup>th</sup>	Cardiff	97.9
5 <sup>th</sup>	Tehran	95.8	5 <sup>th</sup>	Ottawa	97
6 <sup>th</sup>	Doha	94.4	6 <sup>th</sup>	Guatemala city	95.9
			7 <sup>th</sup>	Beijing	94.7

Attendance	Comment
99% - 100%	Outstanding
97% - 98%	Excellent
95% - 96%	Great (School attendance target is 95%)
93% - 94%	Satisfactory
Less than 93%	Must do better



Parents evening letter, Year 4 and Year 6 swimming letters

## Look out for next week:

Please can you ensure that the goagle forms sent to you are returned by Monday  $19^{\circ}$  – Thank you

A reminder to log on to book your parents evening slots for next week

Menu for week beginning 19 October 2020

Monday: Cheese & Tomato Pizza Tuesday: School Packed Lunch Wednesday: School Packed Lunch Thursday: School Packed Lunch

Friday: Fish Fingers & Chips or Quarn Dippers

# Diary Dates

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Term 1:
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Tuesday  $20^{\circ}$  Oct Parents Evening (via Zoom) YI-Y6 3.40-6.50pm Wednesday  $21^{\circ}$  Oct Parents Evening (via Zoom) YR-Y6 3.40-6.50pm Thursday  $22^{\circ}$  Oct Parents Evening (via Zoom) YR 3.40-6.50pm

Wednesday 21- Oct Photographer - individual photos Thursday 22- Oct Christmas Card competition launch

Friday 23- Oct END OF TERM I - INSET DAY SCHOOL CLOSED TO

**PUPILS** 

Term 2

# Manday 2- November INSET DAY - START OF TERM 2 SCHOOL CLOSED TO PUPILS

Tues 34 - 64 Nov Anti Bullying / Equalities and diversity week

Tuesday 10. Nov Christmas card competition deadline

Tuesday 10. Nov Parents Eve (via Zoom) - Land Class - 3.40-5.50pm

Wednesday II. Nov Parents Eve - Land & Sea Classes - 3.40-6.50pm

Thursday 12 Nov Parents Eve - Sea Classes - 3.40-5.50pm

Tuesday 24 Nov Flu Vaccinations

Monday 7. Dec Christmas Story Day / Window Wanderland

Monday 7 Dec Choir singing for Murford (via Zoom)

Tuesday 8. Dec Phase I Class Nativities – all week filming

Tuesday 15. Dec Online bedtime stories

Wednesday 16. Dec Christmas Lunch Thursday 17. Dec Class parties

Friday 18. Dec END OF TERM

#### RECEPTION ADMISSION APPLICATIONS 2021

Parents with children in Nursery must make an application for Reception in September 2021 by midnight on 15<sup>th</sup> January 2021.

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#### 2020/21 School Dates

Term 1

Thursday 3 September to Thursday 22 October

(Tuesday | September, Wednesday 2 September and Friday 23 October: INSET DAYS)

Term 2

Tuesday 3 November to Friday 18 December

(Manday 2 November : INSET DAY)

Term 3

Tuesday 5 January to Friday 12 February (Manday 4 January : INSET DAY)

Term 4

Monday 22 February to Thursday I April

Term 5

Monday 19 April to Friday 28 May

Term 6

Monday 7 June to Wednesday 21 July (Thursday 8th and Friday 9 July: INSET DAY)

https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/covid-19-stay-at-home-guidance/stay-at-home-guidance-for-people-with-confirmed-or-possible-coronavirus-covid-19-infection

If you or your family are affected by symptoms of Covid 19 please do let the school office know so we can respond accordingly in school. This is really important.



Community
children's health
partnership
website - lots of
resources and

information for parents/carers on all children's health matters.

https://cchp.nhs.uk/





DATA PROTECTION REGULATION - You may not be aware but the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) came into force in May 2018. We are required to conduct due diligence for all parents to be aware of the regulation and how it affects their child and the way the school deals with their personal data. Under the regulation we have a responsibility to ensure to the best of our ability that any personal data held is up to date. We would ask that should any of your personal data change i.e. telephone number, address, medical needs etc that you please inform the school as soon as possible so we can update our records. You will still receive an annual data collection sheet every September but we would ask you not to wait but inform the school of any changes immediately.