



BENGWORTH CE ACADEMY WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

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Our Christian Value this Half term is
Trust

In this week's collective worship, the children learned about Noah, who trusted God to build an ark despite never having seen a flood. We reflected on how doing the right thing can be difficult, but trust is key. We also talked about the importance of having trusted people in our lives.

When the rainbow appears in the clouds... I will remember the promise that continues forever.
It is between me and every living thing on the earth.
- Genesis c9 v16

Year 2's Wild Adventure

Year 2 had an incredible visit to West Midlands Safari Park on Thursday as part of their 'Tyrannosaurus Time' topic. The giraffe looked as though it wanted to join the children on the coach, and the lions came right up close as they drove past. The children also had the opportunity to explore the dinosaur park, where they found lots of fossils. Well done, Year 2—what a fantastic trip it was!



THIS WEEK'S ACHIEVEMENTS

Congratulations to the children who have been recognised this week in Little Stars and Golden Assembly for consistently demonstrating our Christian Values of *friendship, forgiveness, responsibility, respect, perseverance and trust.*

LITTLE STARS



Congratulations to Alyssa, Kitty, Oliver, Edward, Richard, Inka and Evie.

GOLDEN ASSEMBLY



Congratulations to Sam, Alfie, Nikodem, Isla, Ellis, Nel, Aiyla, Aran, Stefan and Lily.

GOLDEN TEA



Congratulations to Maisie, Freddie, Marius, Sophie, Maria, Nicolas, Milana, Rhodri, Siobhan, Laurence, Elena and Joseph. These children proudly shared their progress and achievements with Mrs Potter and Mrs Snowden whilst enjoying a delicious cake.

Upcoming Dates



It's beginning to look a lot like Christmas

1	2	3	4 Reception Nativity 5:30 - 6:60pm	5 Reception Nativity 1:45pm - 2:45pm	6 Reception Nativity 10:00am - 11:00am
7	8	9 Year 2 christingle Service to Parents at St Peter's church - 11am	10 Reception visit to Smart Trees Nursery Nativity celebration 8:30am - 10:30am	11	12 Whole School Pantomime Trip Nursery Tiddletown Sessions
13	14	15	16	17	18 Christmas Jumper Day & Christmas Lunch
19 Party Day!	20 Values champions Service at St Peter's church - 1:30pm Last Day of Term	21	22	23	24 Christmas Eve

ATTENDANCE MATTERS

at Bengeworth CE Academy

Our classes with the highest attendance this week are...



RESPECT



PERSEVERANCE



FRIENDSHIP



RESPONSIBILITY



TRUST



FORGIVENESS

Vacancies

We are currently recruiting for a Cleaner, Lunchtime Supervisor and a part time Receptionist.

Please see the school website www.bengeworthacademy.co.uk/vacancies for more information and an application form.

RUGBY UNION IS OFTEN SAID TO BE CENTRAL TO THE ENGLISH CULTURE WITH WALES STRIVING TO BE THE SPORT TO SPONSOR BY MANY AS A SYMBOL OF NATIONAL IDENTITY AND NATIONAL CONSCIOUSNESS.

THE RED DRAGON OR 'Y DRAIG GOCH' IS A NATIVE TOOTH IN THE SYMBOL OF ALL THINGS WELSH SITTING ON THE NATIONAL FLAG. IT HAS PROUDLY POSED AS THE NATIONAL ANIMAL FOR THOUSANDS OF YEARS.

WELSH SHEEP BECAME FAMOUS FOR THE 'SWEETNESS' OF THEIR MEAT. WHILE THE WOOL COULD BE USED BY THE TEXTILE INDUSTRY AND IT WASN'T JUST LAMB HUTTON ALSO BECAME POPULAR TOO.

GARETH FRANK BALE IS A WELSH FORMER FOOTBALLER WHO PLAYED AS A RIGHT WINGER FOR MOST NOTABLY FOR TOTTENHAM AND THE WALES NATIONAL TEAM.

THE DAFFODIL IS THE NATIONAL FLOWER OF WALES AND IS TRADITIONALLY WORN ON ST DAVID'S DAY, WHICH CELEBRATES WALES' PATRON SAINT, DAVID (DEVI) SAINT IN WELSH ON 1 MARCH EVERY YEAR.

IT WAS WALES THE WINNERS ARE:

1. KASPAR 2 TME
2. GLORIA 4 SEVERN
3. DARCY 5 AVON
4. AMELIA 5 AVON
5. IGA 5 TME

Bengeworth Country Quiz

Our Language Leaders invite children from Year 2 to Year 5 to take part in a competition about countries of the world. Every two weeks, they display up to five items in the Curiosity box, each representing a different country. The children then guess the country and submit their answers along with their name and class. From the correct entries, we randomly select 5 winners who each receive a house point. Congratulations to our winners who correctly guessed that the country was 'Wales'!

Dear Parents,

We are always looking for ways to improve communication with our school community. As part of this effort, we are pleased to introduce drop-in sessions specifically for parents of children with English as an Additional Language. These sessions will be hosted by Mrs. Monika Slowinska every **Friday from 2:00 to 3:00 PM** at Burford Road. If you would like to attend, please notify Mrs. Slowinska directly at ms389@bengeworth.worcs.sch.uk or book through the school office.

The sessions aim to:

- Provide parents with support and advice.
- Translate school documents sent home.
- Offer guidance on helping your child with reading and phonics at home.
 - Share useful information and direction.
- Provide parents an opportunity to give feedback to the school.
 - Assist with any queries or concerns.

We hope you will find these sessions helpful and encourage you to take advantage of this support.

Arriving to school on time

We have noticed an increasing number of pupils arriving to school late. This is having a huge impact on the school office as well as being a negative experience for the child. We would like to remind parents that pupils should arrive at school at 8.45am where possible, however we have a flexible start until 9am to allow parents to travel between settings. All children must be in school before the bell rings at 9am. After this time pupils will be marked as late. Children in nursery should arrive at 8.30am for the start of their morning session.

NO PARKING

THINK BEFORE YOU PARK

A reminder to parents and carers: Please do not park on the yellow lines outside the school or in front of driveways. We have received several complaints from local residents about parents and carers being abusive when asked to move their vehicles. The police have been notified and will continue to be informed of these incidents.

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Important Y3, Y4 & Y5 Please Book via Parent Pay by Tuesday 10th December 2024 **£3.20**

Christmas Lunch

WEDNESDAY 18TH DECEMBER 2024

MAIN
 Roast Turkey served with stuffing, pigs in blankets, peas, carrots, sprouts, roast potatoes and gravy
 OR
 Vegetarian roast with vegetarian sausage & all the trimmings

PUDDING
 Homemade Chocolate Sparkle Cake
 OR
 Mince Pie Slice with Cream
 OR
 Watermelon Pot

CHRISTMAS CRACKER



Pantomime

We would like to remind parents and carers that the payment for this years whole school pantomime is due by next Friday 6th December. Thank you.

Friends of Bengeworth Festive Film Night

THE GRINCH (2018)
 NATIVITY
 THE POLAR EXPRESS
 HOME ALONE
 ELF

BOOK NOW ON PARENT PAY
FRIDAY 6TH DECEMBER 4.30-6.30

The Nursery
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The Nursery A Christmas celebration

TUESDAY 10TH DECEMBER

Nursery will perform their production 'Naisy Nativity' on Tuesday 10th December. If your child is in our nursery please do not forget to sign up for tickets.