

Date: Friday 3rd November '17

EMMAVILLE PRIMARY SCHOOL

WEEKLY NEWS BULLETIN

WORKING IN PARTNERSHIP WITH PARENTS



On Monday 30th October Year 2 pupils went on a visit to the Centre of Life.

This is what some of the children had to say about the visit:

I liked it when we played the fossil game because when I grow up I would like to be a scientist! Poppy W

I liked the T-Rex because he made a loud roar! Jay M

It was amazing when we went to the planetarium and saw the story of Little Bear Goes North. Archie R

I liked the Curiosity Zone especially the bit when the ball kept floating up in the air. Abi W

The Young Explorers' Zone was fun because we got to play in the soft play and there was a tree house. Charlotte W

I loved the workshop because we learnt about Space and tested materials for a Space suit. William P

We saw the dinosaurs in Dino Jaws and they were super scary! Alex MacL

I was the volunteer in the Science theatre. I had had to do funny poses for the scientist to paint me. Elijah M

Mrs Hamilton and Miss Foster.



Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back to school after the half term holiday.

Ooooooooooh

There has been some rather spooky events going on in school this week, with some rather strange and wonderfully weird characters appearing throughout the building! I am not quite sure who had more fun dressing up on Tuesday 31st October, I wonder, was it the nursery and reception children, or the enthusiastic teaching staff? Thank you to the parents of the Early Years children for dressing them up so splendidly for the Halloween Party, I think they all had lots of ghoulish fun.

Medicines in school

The administration of medicines in school policy has recently been reviewed and updated, this can now be found on the school website. However, below is a section that has been taken from the updated policy. The section taken from the policy highlights the medications that will be administered in school.

Medicines will only be administered that have been prescribed by a doctor or some other authorised person and where it would be detrimental to a child's health if the medicine were not administered during the day. In school, medicine will only be administered if it has been prescribed by a doctor to be taken 4 times a day.

Medicines that have been prescribed 3 times a day should be administered at home, before school in the morning, after school and before bed.

Parents/Carers can make arrangements to visit school at lunch time to administer non - prescribed medication to their child.

If during the school day, staff feel that a child is a little unwell, then **non-prescription medicines** may be administered by staff, once they have received permission from the child's parent.

Remembrance

The children throughout school have been working very hard to contribute to the Remembrance display in the hall. We wanted to show a progression of art skills from Reception to Year 6 around the theme of 'Never Forget'. I think the children have certainly accomplished that as I have been totally blown away by the cutting and crafting skills that have gone into the poppy and remembrance designs. We certainly have some creative, imaginative and skilled children at Emmaville. The display will be completed by the end of the week so please take time to pop into the hall to see their wonderful work. Poppies will also be going on sale this week so it will be good to see the children wearing their poppies with pride.

Avril Armstrong.

Forthcoming dates for your diary...

Monday 6th November 3.30pm - 6.30pm
Year 1 & 2 Parents' Evening

Wednesday 8th November 3.30pm - 6.30pm
Year 1 & 2 Parents' Evening

Friday 10th November 9.15am
Vienna's Class Assembly

Refreshments will be served after the assembly

Friday 17th November 9.15am
Rio's Class Assembly

Refreshments will be served after the assembly

Monday 20th November 3.30pm - 6.30pm
Key Stage 2 Parents' Evening

Wednesday 22nd November 3.30pm - 6.30pm
Key Stage 2 Parents' Evening

Children in Need

Pudsey ears will be on sale next week from Rio classroom on a lunchtime. These will be priced at £2.50 and all money raised will go towards Children in Need.

Please keep an eye out for further fundraising plans for this worthy cause which will be held on Friday 17th November.

Thanks,
Rio Class.

Bradley D (Glasgow) has misplaced his coat. It is navy blue, size 6-7 and from M&S.

Please check that your child has their own items of clothing.



School Attendance Week Ending 20.10.17



Year 5/6	
New York	97.5%
Rio	93.8%
Toronto	96.7%
Year 3/4	
Jerusalem	97.1%
Kuala Lumpur	95.4%
Moscow	94.0%
Year 2	
Cape Town	94.3%
Vienna	91.9%
Year 1	
Edinburgh	94.3%
Glasgow	95.7%
EYFS	
Gateshead	95.9%
Newcastle	88.1%
Crawcrook	93.5%

Well done to New York
for the best attendance last week.



Stars of the Week

Head Teacher - Max W (Jerusalem)

For his ability to make me smile whenever I see his happy little face.

New York - Anna J

For being so kind to her classmates and an amazing learning partner in Maths.

Rio - Hugo P

For producing an amazing piece of Remembrance Day art and approaching it with such a positive attitude.

Toronto - Dylan N

For showing determination and 'stickability' in Science.

Jerusalem - Isaac B

For listening to advice and acting on it to improve his work.

Kuala Lumpur - Matilda P

For being an amazing, kind and lovely friend.

Moscow - Jessica G

For 100% concentration and effort in Maths.

Cape Town - Archie R

For always working hard and being super sensible!

Vienna - Sam G

For working hard in all areas and brilliant listening.

Edinburgh - Edward C

For working super hard in Maths when using the part whole method. Fab 'stickability' Edward!

Glasgow - Evangeline G

For her amazing number bond work this week!

Gateshead - Charlotte G

For always trying her hardest, Charlotte is always ready to learn.

Newcastle - Holly S

Holly is a fab member of Newcastle class - she is always thoughtful and hard working.

Crawcrook

am - Oliver R for brilliant confidence during circle time.

pm - Marnie S for being so enthusiastic and smiley every day at Nursery.

School Cook (Lisa Kirton) - Riley B (Newcastle)

For trying and eating up all his lunches.



Gateshead Foodbank
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Dear Staff, Pupils, & Parents

On behalf of the foodbank may I say a huge Thank You for donating 176.10 kg of your Harvest Festival items to the foodbank. Our stocks have been quite low recently but your Harvest gifts, and those from other schools across the Gateshead Borough, have made a remarkable difference at the foodbank warehouse, and are really needed to help us meet the needs of many people in the area.

Many thanks again
Matty & Liz
Warehouse Managers

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We would like to share
with you this letter which
we have just received from
Gateshead Foodbank.