

Cowley News

Strong in Faith - Kind in Heart - United in Success



Thought of the Week

This week we have reflected on the story of Joseph and his brothers. In the story the brothers are jealous of Joseph for many different reasons including they felt their father cared more for Joseph more because he gave him a beautiful coat of many colours. The word jealousy is used to describe such feelings of anger, frustration and greed.

The story of Joseph warns us that jealousy can cause great unhappiness and divide families. We have to learn to control our jealousy. Whatever, we wear, each one of us is special to God - as special as Joseph was to his father, Jacob. We've thought about what we will do next time when we feel jealous.

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Week...

Dates for Your Diary



NOVEMBER 2023

- 8th - Fire Safety Workshops (Y2&5)
- *22nd - Y4 VR History Workshop
- *22nd - Battle of Britain Trip (Panda 6)
- *23rd - Battle of Britain Trip (Gorilla 6)

DECEMBER 2023

- *4th - Ancient Greek W/Shop (Y5)
- 14th - Nasal Flu Vaccine
- *keep an eye on your ParentMail for trip and workshop information, coming soon.

CHRISTMAS EVENTS ARE ON PAGE 4



Payment items LIVE on ParentPay

Current LIVE payment items:

- PGL 2024 - NEW Y6
- Tuesday Activity Clubs (Y1 to 6)
- Y6 Battle of Britain Trip
- Y4 VR History Workshop

JUST A LITTLE Reminder

EXTERNAL RUN CLUBS

Fighting Fit Fencing - 11/9/2023 to 11/12/2023

Craft Club - 13/9/2023 to 18/10/2023

Speak Like A Native - 13/9/2023 to 13/12/2023

*bookings can still be made for the above clubs. Please see your ParentMail for contact information.

PE DAYS

Mon	Y2			
Tues	Y1	Y4		
Wed	Rec	Y2	Y3	Y5
Thurs	Rec	Y4	Y6	
Fri	Y1	Y3	Y6	

All children are to come to school wearing their PE kits. In colder weather they can wear dark coloured tracksuits

Y5 will not have PE on Monday's for the remainder of this term, due to the intense swimming lessons they have just completed.



Contact: 0208 813 7040

(Mon to Fri 7.00am to 4.30pm)

Email: office@thepantrycatering.co.uk

Attendance Matters

School Target = 96.6%

w/c 16/10/2023 = 91.87%

There were 73 late marks.

Class	Attendance
Butterfly	96%
Dolphin	95.4%
Bear	95%
Penguin	94.4%
Ostrich	94%
Lizard	93.7%
Whale	93.7%
Panda	92.5%
Gorilla	92.5%
Hedgehog	91.3%
NAD	90.8%
Eagle	89.3%
Turtle	89.1%
Giraffe	86.7%
Elephant	85.5%
NPM	85%
NAM	75%

100% EXCELLENT

99% VERY GOOD

97-98% GOOD

96% SATISFACTORY

BELOW 90% POOR

Please help us to improve the attendance.
Children need to be in school every day to
make a difference



**Attendance
Matters**

Every student. Every day.

Good News & Writer Awards

Well done to the following children that have worked extra hard this week

Class	Good News	Writer of the Week
Dolphin	Sebastian	
Turtle	Erik	
Elephant	Trishula	Mia
Giraffe	Max	Barin
Penguin	Kaydie	Sebastian
Whale	Elene	Setota
Lizard	Haswith	Aria
Ostrich	Milana	Omar
Bear	Emanuel	Billy
Eagle	Kaylon	Jack
Butterfly	Tyroane	David
Hedgehog	Evalyn	Zahra
Gorilla	Dolcie	Cody
Panda	Lailie	Faith

Timestables Rockstars



KS1 Numbots & TTRS

Elephant - Michael

Giraffe - Kornelia

Penguin - Dylan

Whale - Blake

KS2 TTRS

Lizard - Emily

Ostrich - Nesanda

Bear - Ethan

Eagle - Aaisha

Butterfly - Adam

Hedgehog - Sofia

Gorilla - Kayla

Panda - James

TTRS Hero

Cienna

Average Speed - Butterfly 1.14

Highest Accuracy - Lizard 98.1%

**All children on the leader board
are allowed to wear their own
clothes the following Monday**

House Points

**NIGHTINGALE
1330**

**ROWLING
1376**

**GATES
1441**

**...and the
WINNERS
are...**

**MANDELA
1456**

ABSENCE = LOST OPPORTUNITY



Did You Know... ?

If Your Child's Attendance During the School Year...	Your Child Would Have Lost Approximately...	or They Would Have Missed Approximately...
was 95%	9 Days from School	50 Lessons
was 90%	19 Days from School	100 Lessons
was 85%	29 Days from School	150 Lessons
was 80%	38 Days from School	200 Lessons
was 75%	48 Days from School	250 Lessons

Getting Your Child to School Really Matters

If you **CANNOT**
be on Time,



Then
Be **EARLY**



SCHOOL TIMINGS

Reception	08:40 _{am}	Start
	03:10 _{pm}	End
Year 1 and Year 2	08:40 _{am}	Start
	03:10 _{pm}	End
Year 3 to Year 6	08:45 _{am}	Start
	03:15 _{pm}	End

- KS2 pupils can enter from 8.35am
- The back gate and KS1 gate will be closed at 8.45am. The main purple gate will be locked at 8.50am.
- Pupils will then need to be taken to the school office and marked as late.

All Day. Every Day.
Attendance Matters

BOOM! ARE YOU AN ATTENDANCE HERO?
HERE EVERY DAY READY ON TIME **ZAP!**

Class Worship at 10.15am

PARENTS WELCOME

Hedgehog Class - Friday 10th November

Ostrich Class - Friday 17th November

Butterfly Class - Friday 24th November

Gorilla Class - Friday 1st December

Panda Class - Friday 8th December

Eagle Class - Friday 15th December

Please Join US!

After School Clubs

Sports Clubs (2nd October to 15th December 2023)

Monday - Y5/6 Striking & Fielding

Tuesday - Y1/2 Bat & Ball Games

Wednesday - School Football Team

Thursday - School Netball Team (TBC)

Friday - Y3/4 Racquet Games

Tuesday Activity Clubs - 3rd October to 12th December

Lego Club (Y1/2) **SPACES x3**

Chrome Book (Y3/4) **FULL**

Brain Training (Y4/5) **SPACES x2**

Girl's Football (Y4/5/6) **FULL**

Comic Book & Quiz (Y5/6) **SPACES x3**

please contact the school office if you would like to sign your child to a club

School Football Team

FURTHER DETAILS TO FOLLOW

November

8th - HOME to Rabbs Farm

January 2024

31st Jan - HOME to St Helen's

KICK OFF WILL BE AT 3.30pm



School Netball Team –Match Fixtures

Match Fixtures

8th Nov - St Helen's (AWAY)

We aim to start matches at 3.30pm

Training will now be held as follows:

Thursday lunchtime and after school- 3.15pm to 4.15pm



Christmas Events - DECEMBER



7th - Christmas Jumper & Festive Photo Day

14th - Turtle Christmas Sing-a-Long @ 2.30pm (PARENTS WELCOME)

15th - Dolphin Christmas Sing-a-Long @ 2.30pm (PARENTS WELCOME)

18th - KS1 Christmas Performance @ 2.00pm (PARENTS WELCOME)

19th - Nursery Christmas Sing-a-Long @ 10.30am (PARENTS WELCOME)

19th - KS2 Drama Club Dress Rehearsal to KS2 Children (NO PARENTS)

19th - KS2 Drama Club Performance @ 3.30pm (PARENTS WELCOME)

20th - **ELF DAY *date change***

20th - KS1 Christmas Performance @ 10.30am (PARENTS WELCOME)

20th - Year 3 and 5 Carol Concert @ 2.30pm (PARENTS WELCOME)

21st - Year 4 and 6 Carol Concert @ 1.15pm (PARENTS WELCOME)



Spellings, TTRS, My Maths, Reading

END OF TERM

Thursday 21st December 2023 @ 2.00pm