



Dates for Your DIARY



Thursday 30th November

Impact Photography in school to take photos for school prospectus

Friday 1st December

Non Uniform Day for Christmas Fayre - bring a bottle

Tuesday 5th December

Y1 Punch and Judy show

Friday 8th December

Non Uniform Day for Christmas Fayre - bring something chocolatey

Tuesday 12th December

Reception Trip

Tuesday 12th December 3.30pm

Christmas Fayre

Wednesday 13th December

Christmas Dinner Day

Thursday 21st December

Years 1-6 Trip

Friday 22nd December

Christmas Parties in class

Friday 22nd December

Break up for Christmas 1.15pm

NEWSLETTER

A message from the **PRINCIPAL**



Hello everyone.

What a fantastic start to the year here at Jubilee !

We are excited to be holding our Christmas Fayre on Tuesday 12th December at 3.30pm and look forward to seeing you there! We will have lots of great activities available , please keep checking dojo for more information and updates.. We will have two non uniform days to support the Christmas Fayre and any donations will be gratefully received and thank you for your support!

We appreciate that Christmas can be a difficult time of year for many families with rising costs of living and even more people are now feeling the impact in the run up to Christmas. Walsall Council have some useful information and direct

links to what they offer here:

[Help with the cost of living | Walsall Council](#)

As always we will help however we can - if you ever feel like you need support and don't know where to turn, we will be happy to listen and signpost you in the right direction.

I'm looking forward to next year and watching the children continue to build on their success!

Ms K Benton

Principal

Amazing Attendance!

Our current attendance figures are

Reception - 94.2% down from 94.7%

Year 4 - 95.3% down from 95.5%

Year 1 - 94.0% down from 94.7%

Year 5- 97.3% up from 97.0%

Year 2 - 97.5% up from 97.4%

Year 6 - 93.7% up from 93.3%

Year 3 - 95.4% down from 96.5%

Whole School - 95.4% down from 95.7%

Year 2 continue to have our highest class attendance, closely followed by Year 5! Well done to Y6 who have also improved their attendance.

Attendance reminders:

- * If your child is absent from school you must let us know by telephone or Dojo, giving a reason for the absence by 9.15am.
- * Absences are not automatically authorised - depending on your child's level of attendance and reason for absence may be unauthorised or further information requested.
- * We follow Public Health England guidance for absences, some of the most common illnesses are listed in the table below. For absences over two days medical evidence will be requested to authorise the absence.

Illness / Infection	Period to be kept away from school
Chicken Pox	5 days from the onset of the rash and until all spots have scabbed over
Hand, foot and mouth	None, children can attend as normal
Impetigo	48 hours after starting antibiotics or if not having antibiotics when all sores are scabbed over
Scarlet Fever	24 hours after starting antibiotic treatment
Diarrhoea and/or vomiting	48 hours after the last episode of diarrhoea/vomiting
Conjunctivitis	None, children can attend as normal
Head Lice	None, children can attend as normal. You will be contacted if we see headlice to advise treatment is required
Tonsillitis	None, children can attend as normal
Common Cold—cough & runny nose	None, children can have medicine e.g. calpol and attend as normal.
Flu—temperature of over 38, lethargy and aching muscles	Until temperature is below 38, for a second day to be authorised medical confirmation is needed
Ear Infection	None, children can attend as normal

Attendance Information

1 day = 2 sessions
There are 365 days in a year, pupils should attend 190 days – every day school is open
Being late (after the registers have closed) counts as an absence

What is Excellent Attendance?

97% and above	95% to 97%	Less than 95%	Less than 90%	Less than 50%
Excellent	Good	Concerning	Persistent Absence/ Critical	Severely Absent/ Critical
No more than 6 days/12 sessions absent in a year	No more than 10 days/20 sessions absent in a year	More than 10 days/20 sessions absent in a year	19 days/38 sessions or more absent in a year	95 days/190 sessions or more absent in a year

Days off school add up to lost learning...

There are 175 non-school days each year. That's 175 days to spend on family time, visits, holidays, shopping, household jobs and other appointments.

1 or 2 days absent a week might not seem like much, but...

If your child misses...	That's equal to...	Which is...	Over 13 years of schooling, that's...
1 day per fortnight	20 days per year	4 weeks per year	Nearly 1 and a half years
1 day per week	40 days per year	8 weeks per year	Over 2 and a half years
2 days per week	80 days per year	16 weeks per year	Over 5 years
3 days per week	120 days per year	24 weeks per year	Nearly 8 years

Think it won't matter if your child is late 10 minutes a day?

Only missing just...	That equals...	Which is...	Over 13 years of schooling, that's...
10 minutes per day	50 minutes per week	Nearly 1.5 weeks per year	Nearly half a year
20 minutes per day	1 hour 40 minutes per week	Over 2.5 weeks per year	Nearly 1 year
30 minutes per day	Half a day per week	4 weeks per year	Nearly 1 and a half years
1 hour per day	1 day per week	8 weeks per year	Over 2 and a half years

How We Can Help

Meet with you to discuss reasonable adjustments the school can make to support regular school attendance
Develop a support plan
Make referrals to other agencies and professionals for support

Steps We May Take to Ensure Excellent School Attendance

Ask you to attend a support meeting with a member of the school staff
Ask you to attend a support meeting with the trust Attendance Support Officer
Ask you engage with other agencies and professionals such as Early Help
Make referrals to the local authority, social care or the police where there are concerns about the safety and well-being of a pupil
Where parents do not engage with the support offered or there is no significant or sustained improvement in attendance, we may ask the local authority to take statutory (legal) action
Ask for medical evidence where attendance is a cause for concern or for illness absence of more than 5 days. If medical evidence is not obtained absence maybe unauthorised

Safeguarding

Where there are concerns about the safety and well-being of a pupil we may make referrals to the local authority, social care or the police

Legal Responsibility

Parents have a legal responsibility to make sure that their child receives an education at school or by education otherwise than at school. Where parents decide to have their child registered at school, they have an additional legal duty to ensure their child attends that school regularly. This means their child must attend every day that the school is open, except in a small number of allowable circumstances such as being too ill to attend or being given permission for an absence in advance from the school. Department for Education – 'Working together to improve school attendance' Sept 2022

Brilliant Breakfast Club



We are delighted to continue our partnership with the Gregg's Foundation and are passionate about eliminating hunger as a barrier to learning. Our breakfast club offers a free, nutritional breakfast and aims to encourage children to enjoy themselves and engage with school staff and the education system. Breakfast club is completely free to all children and we have 50 spaces available each day, these must be pre-booked via school money. Please contact Miss Mason for support with booking.

One of our wider attendance aims is to reduce lateness and breakfast club can help with this by getting children ready and set up for the day ahead. Late minutes = lost learning! The gates close at **8.45am** and any child who arrives after this time will be late. If your child is late they must be brought to the school office by an adult to be signed in and a reason given for lateness and will need to make up any lost learning during break time. Children who arrive after 9.30am will be recorded as late with a 'U' coded mark which is classed as an unauthorised absence. Persistent lateness will trigger an attendance meeting.

Lateness = Lost learning

TIPS FOR GETTING TO *School* ON-TIME!

1. PACK LUNCHES
THE NIGHT BEFORE

2. LAY OUT CLOTHING,
SHOES AND SOCKS
THE NIGHT BEFORE

3. PLACE BACKPACKS AND ITEMS
NEEDED FOR THE SCHOOL DAY
NEAR THE FRONT DOOR, READY TO GO
IN THE MORNING

4. SET A WARNING ALARM
10 MINUTES BEFORE IT'S TIME TO LEAVE

5. PUT A CHECKLIST ON THE DOOR.

Our Learning Journey



Reception



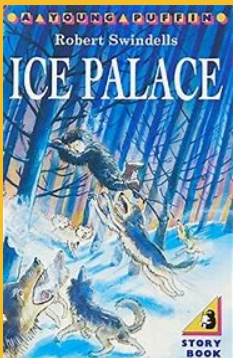
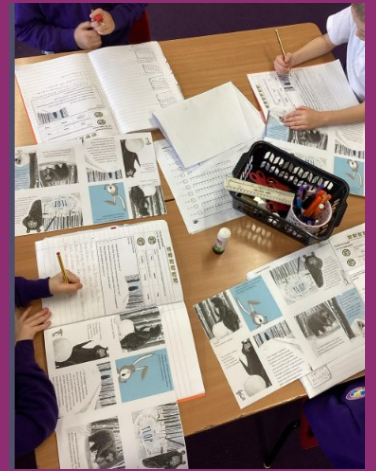
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Our Learning Journey

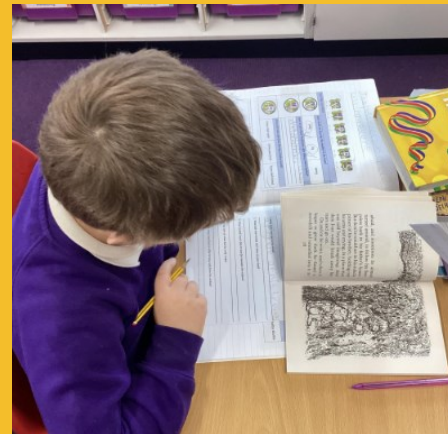


Year 2



We made Stone Age tools using recycled materials!

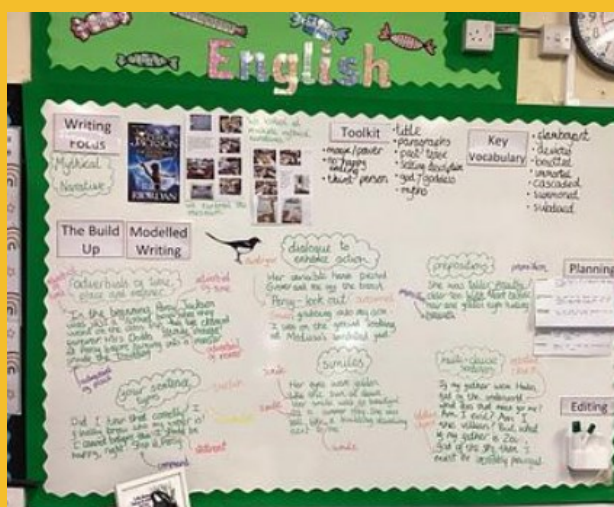
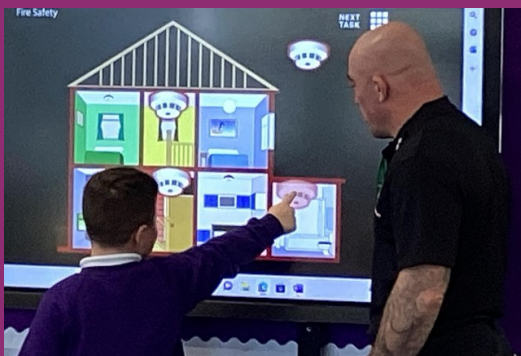
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Our Learning Journey



Year 4



Year 5



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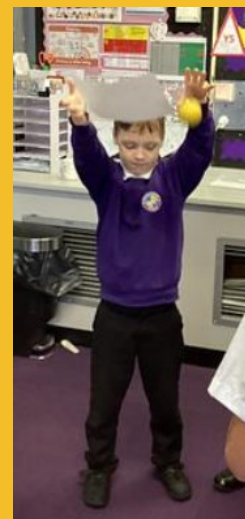
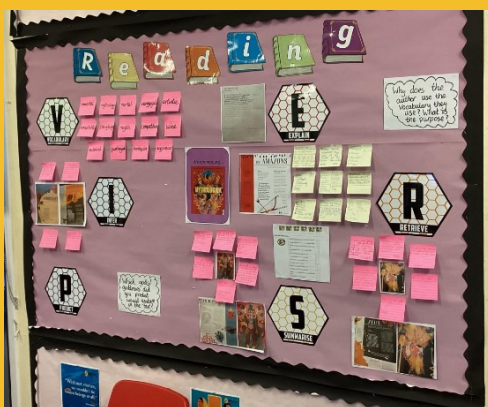
THE TEMPEST

Characters:
 Johnathan: islander, a teenager, sensitive fellow with ginger hair, Mia's brother.
 Mia: islander, a teenager, beautiful girl with blonde hair, Johnathan's sister.

Act 1, Scene 1: Exploring the island.

The deserted island has experienced a dangerous tempest. There has been hissing of lightning and flashing of thunder. The waves were floating and crashing of boats with survivors in.

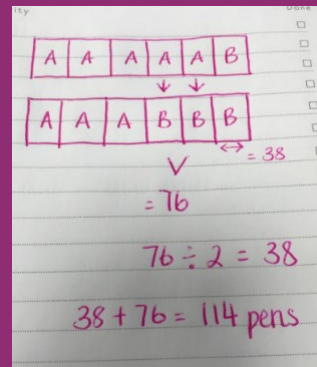
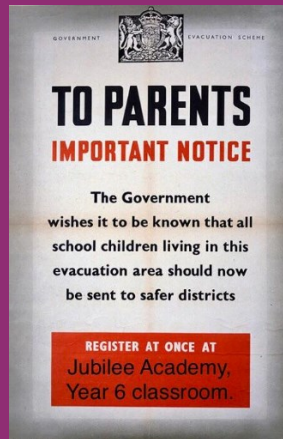
Johnathan admiring the shore, saw Mia.



Our Learning Journey



Year 6



Mrs. Benton
Jubilee Academy Mossley

Thank you for all the wonderful cake donations this morning!

Thank you for all the children and parents who came to our MacMillan coffee morning. We raised £158.83!!!!



Whole School



Reminders

Uniform

- ★ All children are expected to be in the full, correct uniform every day including school shoes and a school PE kit.
- ★ Earrings should be small studs and no make up including nails, nail gel etc is to be worn in school for health and safety reasons as if these get caught outside on the equipment they pose a serious injury risk.
- ★ If we have any children in school, not following our policy, we will ask parents to ensure that this is followed.
- ★ Please ensure that all uniform has your child's full name clearly labelled in it

Reading

- ★ Please ensure all daily reading is logged on Boomreader. If you do not have your child's log in details please speak to your class teacher!

Breakfast Club

- ★ Bookings for the next week close at lunchtime on a Friday - for any extra requests for spaces after this contact the office by 3pm the day before

My Child At School

- ★ We will be using 'My Child at school' for all information regarding your child and behaviour points etc. All parents will need to download the app and register their information in order to see your child's account.

Collection

- ★ Any messages about the end of the day must be sent to class on dojo by 2.30pm - after this please call the office as well as messaging.

A purple jumper or cardigan available from Crested Schoolwear



A white polo shirt and black trousers, skirt, shorts, pinafore or purple check dress



Plain black school shoes

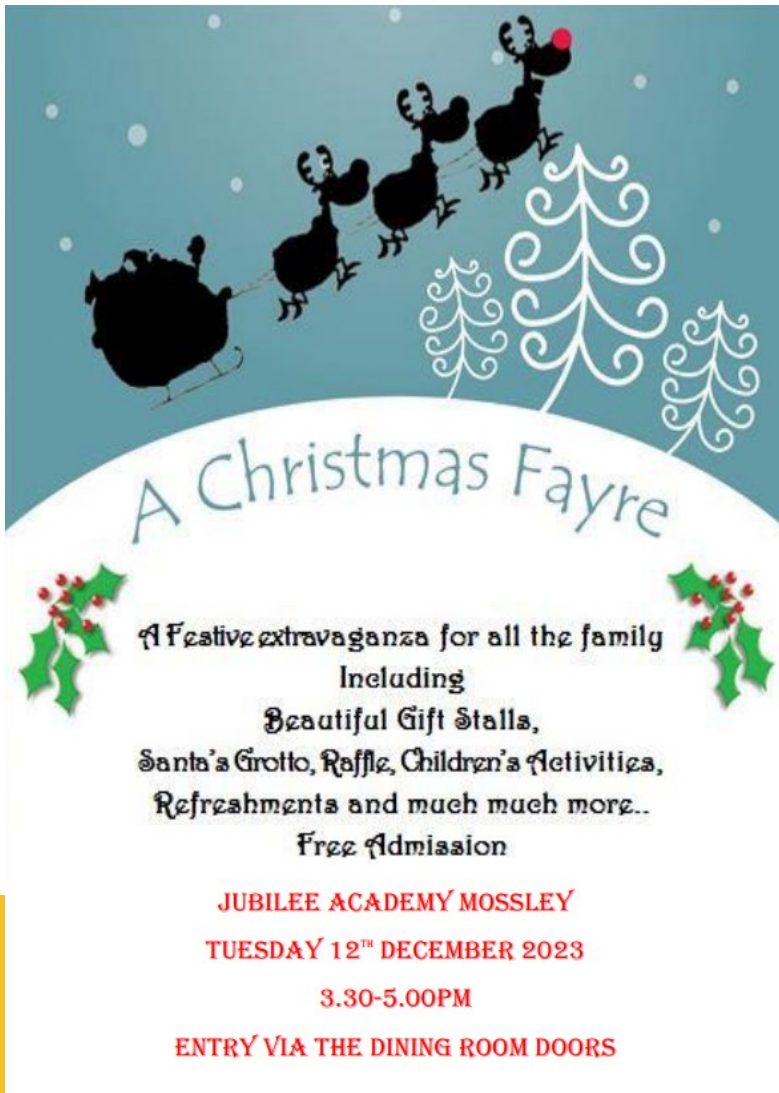


PE Kit

A purple PE top and black shorts (joggers in winter) and pumps or trainers



Christmas Events



Jubilee Christmas Fayre

- * Our Christmas Fayre will take place on Tuesday 12th December from 3.30-5.00pm - come along and join in the festivities!
- * Tables available to local businesses for £5 - please contact the office on 01922 710357
- * We will have two non uniform days to support the Christmas Fayre
 - bring a bottle on 1st December
 - bring something chocolatey on 8th December

We look forward to seeing you!



Mains

Roast Turkey or Roast Quorn

Sides

Roast Potatoes
Pigs in Blankets
Stuffing & Gravy
Carrots & Broccoli

Dessert

Chocolate & Vanilla Ice Cream Pot

Christmas Dinner - Wednesday 13th December

Our school Christmas Dinner will be on Wednesday 13th December!

All Christmas Dinners can be booked as normal by children in class on the morning and paid for via school money (if applicable). Please note no sandwiches or salad bar will be available on this day, dietary needs will be catered for as normal.



Safeguarding Focus - Children's Mental Health!

DO YOU SOMETIMES WORRY ABOUT HOW YOU ARE FEELING?

If so, read on!



Here are some brilliant tips from children just like you*. These children have also had ups and downs with their mental health and want to pass on some ideas that have helped them:

- Ask for help – from a teacher, parent, brother, sister, or other family member. Keep telling until someone listens to you.
- Remember you are not alone – everyone goes through tough times. Be kind to yourself – everyone is perfect in their own way.
- Stay calm – take some breaths or find somewhere to sit quietly for 2 minutes.
- Go outside and get some exercise to make yourself feel stronger.
- Spend time with your family and friends (or pets).
- It's okay to not always be okay.
- Think of your favourite thing and write it down.
- Keep a diary to track all your emotions.
- Stay positive and focus on things that make you happy. If you can't think of anything, maybe a friend can help you.
- Remember you are enough, and you are the only you.
- If you are being bullied, maybe the bully is being bullied or has something going on at home and they're taking it out on someone else. Tell an adult or trusted friend.



DO YOU SOMETIMES FEEL A BIT WORRIED ABOUT HOW SOMEONE ELSE IS FEELING?

If so, read on!

Things you can say to help support someone else:



*With thanks to the pupils at Seascapes Primary School and Ark Globe Primary School.

BEANO



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Dates for 2023/24

OPEN

CLOSE

Autumn Term 2023

Monday 4th September
Monday 6th November

Friday 27th October
Friday 22nd December

Spring Term 2024

Monday 8th January
Monday 19th February

Friday 9th February
Friday 22nd March

Summer Term 2024

Monday 8th April
Monday 3rd June

Friday 24th May
Monday 22nd July

Inset Days 2023/24

Monday 4th September 2023

Monday 8th January 2024

Friday 9th February 2024

Friday 28th June 2024

Monday 22nd July 2024

**We break up for
Christmas at 1.15pm on
Friday 22nd December!**

Merry
Christmas



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