

Newsletter

Deansbrook Infant School

NEWSLETTER NO.7

'Learn, Grow, Achieve Together'

18th October 2024

Value of the month:

Respect

Link to the British Value of Mutual respect and tolerance of others

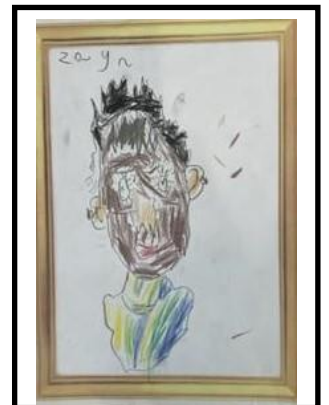


Message from Mrs Catley

Next week we are collecting for Colindale Foodbank as part of our harvest celebrations. Please bring any items to the school office or your child can give them to their class teacher. Thank you

Year 1 Art – Self Portraits

Year 1 have worked really hard this half term to learn how to draw a face, positioning the eyes, nose, mouth and ears correctly. They have experimented with different lines and shading and practised drawing features of the face. Finally, they produced their own self portraits and here are some of the wonderful results:



Flu vaccinations

We know that not all the children who requested a flu vaccine were able to have it administered this week.

The nurses have arranged to come back into school on:

**Tuesday 26th November
12.30 – 3.00pm**

If you have already agreed for your child to have a vaccine and they did not have it this week, they will be given it on November 26th instead. Thank you



**Don't forget our
Halloween Disco**



Thursday 24th October 2024

Reception/Year 1 – 3.30pm – 4.30pm

Year 2 – 4.45pm – 6.00pm

Tickets will be available in the playground, before and after school.

Tickets cost £5 each – cash only.

Children may wear their Halloween costumes and there will be prizes for the best!

We really need parents/carers who can help at the disco.

If you are able to help decorate the hall, prepare the food or supervise the children during the disco please email the PTA:

deansbrookinfantpta@gmail.com

Dates for your diary

Autumn Term 2024

Wednesday 23rd October – Y1 Harvest Assembly

Thursday 24th October – Y2 Harvest Assembly

Thursday 24th October – PTA Halloween Disco

Friday 25th October – End of half term

HALF TERM BREAK – October 28th – November 4th

Tuesday 5th November – 2nd half of Autumn Term starts

Friday 15th November – Children in Need

Monday 18th November – Year 2 Infant Music Festival at Mathilda Marks-Kennedy Primary School

Tuesday 3rd December – Rocksteady Concert at 9am in the hall (for parents/carers of children who attend Rocksteady)

Thursday 5th December – Christmas Fair (after school)

Friday 6th December – Christmas Fun Day (parent/carers helpers needed please)

*all dates in bold type can be attended by parents/carers



Birthdays

Happy Birthday to these children who celebrated their birthday this week:

Epiphany in the Nursery
Scarlett and River-Mac in Gold Class

We hope you all had a lovely day.



Last year we took part in the Just one tree campaign to raise money to plant trees. We planted 89 trees. This year we want to try and plant even more.

Thank you to everyone who brought their £1 to school today. If you would rather donate on line, please follow this link to our school page:

<https://www.peoplesfundraising.com/donation/just-one-tree-plant-a-tree?tag=DeansbrookInfantSchoolMillHill>

Attendance

This week the attendance in each class has been...

Class	Attendance %
Gold Class	91%
Silver Class	98%
Green Class	95%
Purple Class	89%
Red Class	88%
Blue Class	77%

Well done Silver Class!

Harvest Festivals

Next week we will be celebrating harvest with two special assemblies. Year 1 on Wednesday 23rd October and Year 2 on Thursday 24th October. Both assemblies will start at 9am in the hall and will last about 20 minutes.

We will be collecting food and provisions for our local Colindale foodbank.

Please see the list of items that they desperately need in the email sent from school. Please bring all donations to school during the week of Monday 21st October.



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我們希望您週末愉快

Hello. We hope you have a good weekend
(Chinese)

Do you need to hire a space?

Our school hall is now available to hire through the website Sharesy. The hall is suitable for a regular booking for a class or club or for one off family occasions, such as a children's party. Please click on the following link:

<https://www.sharesy.com/s/deansbrook-infant-school-main-hall>