

Newsletter

Deansbrook Infant School

NEWSLETTER NO.8

'Learn, Grow, Achieve Together'

25th October 2024

Value of the month:

Respect

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



Message from Mrs Catley

I wish you all a very happy half term break and look forward to seeing you on Tuesday 5th November. Have a safe half term everyone.

Halloween Disco

Thank you so much to our PTA for organising such a wonderful Halloween Disco yesterday. The children had the best time and looked amazing in their costumes. Thank you to Katherine who sold tickets everyday in the playground, Imogen who put together a party bag for every child, Tracy who cooked numerous pizzas and Dan who played some great tunes! Thank you also to the parents that came along to help on the night. Our children are very lucky!



Thank you to everyone who donated to our Just one Tree collection last Friday.

I am delighted to tell you that we raised £100 which will plant 100 trees across the world.

This means that with last years total Deansbrook Infant school have now planted 189 trees. Well done everyone!

Thank you to everyone who donated to our harvest collection. All items will be delivered to the Colindale food bank where they will be given to local families in need.



Happy Diwali



Best wishes to all our Hindu and Sikh families who are celebrating Diwali next week. I hope that you all have a wonderful time and enjoy celebrating with family and friends. Our school Diwali assembly will be on Tuesday 5th November at 9am in the school hall. Everyone is welcome. Children who celebrate Diwali can wear their special Diwali clothes.

Dates for your diary

Autumn Term 2024

Friday 25th October – End of half term

HALF TERM BREAK – October 28th – November 4th

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

Tuesday 5th November – Diwali Assembly at 9am in the hall – All welcome

Tuesday 12th November – Gold Class visit to Barnet Environmental Centre

Tuesday 12th November – Phonics workshop for parents/carers and children of Blue Class

Wednesday 13th November – Silver Class visit to Barnet Environmental Centre

Wednesday 13th November – Phonics workshop for parents/carers and children in Red Class

Friday 15th November – Children in Need

Monday 18th November – Year 1 visit to the RAF museum

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

Tuesday 26th November – Flu vaccinations session 2

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/carer helpers needed please)

Wednesday 11th December – Christmas Lunch

Wednesday 11th December – Reception/Year 1 Christmas concert at 9am: Red and Purple

Thursday 12th December – Reception/Year 1 Christmas concert at 9am: Blue and Green

Friday 13th December – Year 2 Christmas concert at 9am: Gold Class

Nursery Christmas concerts at 11.15am and 3.00pm

Tuesday 17th December – Year 2 Christmas concert at 9am: Silver Class

Wednesday 18th December – Reception, Y1 and Y2 visit to the Finchley Arts Depot theatre

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

Attendance

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

Class	Attendance %
Gold Class	85%
Silver Class	82%
Green Class	90%
Purple Class	79%
Red Class	85%
Blue Class	80%

Well done Green Class!

Gold Class won the award for this half term!



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सप्ताहांत अच्छा रहेगा

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



Birthdays

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

Lina in the Nursery
Eyaan in Blue Class
Joel in Green Class
Thasni in Gold Class

And these children who will be celebrating their birthday next week:

Yara in the Nursery
Aaron in Red Class
Ibrahim in Gold Class
Chahal in Silver Class

We hope you all have a lovely day.



If you read one book a day to your child, they will have read 1825 books by their 5th birthday!

Do you need to hire a space?

Our school hall is now available to hire through Sharesy. <https://www.sharesy.com/s/deansbrook-infant-school-main-hall>