



A Message from Mrs Hewins

Dear Parents and Carers,

What a fantastic term it has been. The children have had the most amazing experiences with all the trips and immersion days for their topics.

This week pupils were investigating the sightings of a child who lives in the wild. We think she came in to the school, but things are not always what they seem to be! Our amazing English leads came up with the idea to inject awe and wonder to the children and enthuse writing. Yet another way in which we have inspired their imagination. Our pupils worked on a book called 'Wild' by Emily Hughes. It's an amazing book, read it if you can.

I'm looking forward to all the Christmas celebrations including the reception performance, Christmas concerts, talent show, carols in the meadow, Christmas dinner (and hopefully a visit from Santa!), winter fair and the teachers' panto. The children are in for a treat. A huge thank you to all the parents who have sat in the cold selling raffle tickets, creating flyers and setting it all up. I'm sure it will be another spectacular success.

I hope you all have a wonderful and merry Christmas and look forward to seeing you all again next year.

Norma Hewins

Winter Fair Poster Competition

Thank you to all the children who took part in the Winter Fair Poster competition! The judging process was very difficult so there were lots of children's' entries shortlisted. The winning posters can be seen around the school and all the others will be on show at the Winter Fair on December 8th. They can also be seen on the website [here](#).

Key Stage 1 and Early Years

Runners-Up: Zayan Edwards (Y1), Leyla Becker (YR), Zayan Bulbulia (Y2)

Second Prize: Frankie Metson-Bailie (Y1)

Winner: Matilda Glover (Y1)

Key Stage 2

Runners-Up: William Tapper (Y3), Ishaana Cannell (Y5), Maliha Hasna (Y4)

Second Prize: Milo Tarring (Y3)

Winner: Efe Cetin (Y3)

Year 6 Experience Life in a Refugee Camp

As part of their Immigration through Time topic, Year 6 spent an afternoon making a Skype call to a refugee camp in Greece. Children spoke to Rhamat, an Afghanistani refugee, who informed them about what life was like in the camp and his journey to Greece. Children collected lots of information which helped them write their persuasive letters to Theresa May based on the current refugee crisis.



Topic Dress Up Days!

On Friday 3rd November, the whole of Jubilee Primary School dressed up taking inspiration from their history topics. We had Romans, Vikings, Stuarts and even cave men and women! During a special assembly, we created a whole school timeline to see how each topic fitted in to British History!



STEAM N16 run by Elevate

Here is a sneak peek of what we have been getting up to in our first term at Jubilee...for more photos and to see what we have got planned for the New Year, check out our website: www.kidzelevated.co.uk!

Sally & Aasiyah.



Special Events

7.12 Reception
Christmas Show

8.12 Winter Fair

15.12 Spruce Class
Assembly

18.12 Carols in the
Meadow



Check the calendar [here](#) for all the upcoming dates for the remainder of the school year!

Phonics at Jubilee

We use a programme called Read Write Inc. to teach phonics at Jubilee. This is a fun and interactive approach to teaching children to read and write. Read Write Inc. is taught daily in Reception and Year 1, with children moving off the programme as they progress through Year 2. Children enjoy their lessons immensely and rapidly learn a complex alphabetical code which they apply to their reading and writing.

Encourage your child to 'sound out' when reading and writing. Practise the sounds using either the sound cards (which are available to buy at Reception) or the sound mat found on our school website. Encourage children to find the more tricky sounds when reading.

Please check out our phonics page [here](#) which provides more information, resources to use at home and a

Rabbi Roni visits Jubilee

As part of our RE this term, a local rabbi came to visit Year 5 and Year 2 and talk to us about Judaism and the Jewish families who are part of our local community. The children were very excited about the visit and asked some fantastic questions.



IMPORTANT REMINDER ABOUT DROP-OFFS AND PICK-UPS:

Please do not stop your vehicle to drop or pick up your child on the white zig zag lines on Cazenove Road. It is against the rules and jeopardises the safety of everyone because traffic flow, or the lack of it, has a knock on effect.

Let's keep all children safe!