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NEWSLETTER

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This week Mr Bridden (our Academy Director) and I spent the day in classes to take part in lessons with the children. It was fantastic to see all the pupils and teachers working hard and learning together. The behaviour across the school was exemplary and children were engaged and enthusiastic in every classroom. In our Reception class, children told us what lessons they were having that day and showed us their listening skills. They also sang us a rhyme about the days of the week. Some of our nursery children wowed us with their counting skills and demonstrated their physical prowess on the trikes and bikes. In Year 1, phonics was being taught in different phase groups. We were incredibly impressed with the high level of understanding, as well as the spelling and writing skills the children demonstrated in these sessions. Year 2 pupils were busy with guided reading and the children explained to us how they found information in the texts they were reading.

When we went into Key Stage 2 the lessons got even harder! In Year 3, pupils demonstrated their oral story telling skills and retold the story of The Tortoise and the Hare (with lots of actions and expression!). They used this fable as a structure to help them write their own version and plan their next stage of writing. Year 3 also showed us the range of maths strategies they use to solve challenging problems and impressed us with their addition skills! In Year 4, children were writing myths and learning how to structure their writing in paragraphs. Our other Year 4 class were working on maths problems involving repeated addition and identifying multiples. Year 5 children demonstrated their remarkable maths skills by rounding numbers over 100,000 and Year 6 solved complicated maths problems involving a range of maths operations.

All in all it was a day to remember and the children made me very proud! There was so much to enjoy and celebrate. It was lovely to share in the children's successes and see the work ethic and capabilities of our pupils.

Well done to all the children (and teachers!!!) Anita Edwards – Executive Headteacher

Attendance Week Ending 27.9.19	
R	94.1%
Year 1	98.3%
Year 2	96.1%
Year 3	98.7%
Year 4	95.6%
Year 5	98.8%
Year 6	96.3%
Whole School (weekly)	96.7%
Whole School (Sept to date)	95.8%
Target 97%	

A Heathy Lunchbox

With your support we need to ensure children have a suitable midday meal that sustains and prepares them for the afternoon learning.

The recommended contents of a healthy lunch box are:

- A good portion of starchy food e.g. bread, crackers, pasta or rice salad.
- Plenty of fruit and vegetables e.g. an apple, orange, banana, carrot sticks, small box of raisins or any other fruit or vegetable
- A portion of milk or dairy food e.g. yoghurt.
- A drink e.g. a small carton of milk, juice, squash or a bottle of water.
- One small biscuit e.g. penguin, club, cake bar etc. – This is equivalent to a school meal dessert

PLEASE DO NOT SEND YOUR CHILD WITH NUTS OR FOOD CONTAINING NUTS AS WE HAVE A NUMBER OF CHILDREN WITH ALLERGIES – THIS INCLUDES NUTELLA OR ANY CHOCOLATE SPREAD

Packed lunches should not include:

- Chocolate bars (unless stated above)
- Fizzy drink
- Sweets
- Hot food (due to health and safety guidelines)

Thank you for your support.

Terrific Time Keepers

The winners this week are REC, 1EN, 3SI, 5LA, 6CB & 6LP!

What an achievement! Well Done!



Dates for your diary

- 15th October '19**
Fire Engine & Crew to visit Y6 as part of Safe4Autumn
- 16th October '19**
KS2 Harvest Festival Assembly 9.15am
- 16th October '19**
Parent's Evening
- 18th October '19**
Finish for Half Term
- 28th October '19**
Return to School
- 30th Oct – 1st November '19**
Robinwood Trip
- 11th November '19**
Odd Socks Day
- 15th November '19**
Children in Need
- Wc18th November '19**
Road Safety Week

For more dates visit our website @ Partingtoncentralacademy.co.uk

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Important: Parent Conduct

We have received a number of complaints about parents swearing and using inappropriate language on the school site. This is completely unacceptable and will not be tolerated. Please note that any parents who continue to behave inappropriately will be banned from the school site.

School Jumpers/Cardigans

We have a number of children who don't currently have a school jumper/cardigan to wear in school. This is a key part of our school uniform and as we move into the winter months the temperature is starting to fall.

Please can you ensure that your child has their jumper/cardigan with them each day. Can you also please ensure that their name is clearly marked on them.

If there are any problems with suppliers/orders then please inform the main office
Thank you.

★ OUR STARS OF THE WEEK ★

RKK – Reuben Holland & Nova Novelle Morris
REC – Kenzie Spencer & Alfie Cowie
IGJ – Sadie Bell & Mia McDaid
1EN – Jack Wilson & Harsukh Kaur
2SJ – Laila-Rae Williams-Scott & Chester Deay
2HW – Poppy Buckley & Zachary Keevney
3SI – Sundas Tahir & Lydia Lomas
3GC – Dougie Caswell & Demi Leigh Allen
4CT – Elouise McGuirk & Phoebe Morrell
4CW – Joe Griffiths & Mason Foulkes-Inkersole
5LA – Horatio Fox & Lexi Rowe
5AF – Amira Unita Grimshaw & Maja Lena Portalska
6CB – Aaliyah Jefford & Matilda Owen
6LP – Leah Ruchat & Joseph Sanganoo

THANKS A MILLION

MacMillan Coffee Fundraising
27th September '19



Thank you to all our parents for once again supporting the MacMillan Coffee fundraising event and to our wonderful Parent Council for all their hard work.
Thank you.

Important: Punctuality

Starting on Monday **the school doors will close at 8.45am** in the morning. This is when lessons begin so children should already be in class. We have a very high volume of children disturbing the first lesson due to their late arrival. With this in mind we must encourage parents to have their children in school before that time. Doors will open at 8.40am as usual. Anyone arriving after 8.45am will have to go through the main school reception area so we can contact parents of those regularly late to school. Thank you for your cooperation and your support in putting learning first.

Thank you Broadoak!

Y6 Spy Academy

Thank you to Broadoak school for inviting our Y6 children to their Spy Academy day. The children had a great time completing all the activities and challenges of the day.



Broadoak Open Evening

Thank you to all the parents that took the time to attend Broadoak's Open Evening this week. This was a very successful evening.

If you have any further questions about the information that was shared or would like more information about the school, please do not hesitate to contact us and we will make sure we pass on your queries.
Thank you!