

# Bearnes Primary School Newsletter 12.10.1 Link Academy









#### Safeguarding

Our designated safeguarding officer is Ms Eeles and the

deputy safeguarding officer is Miss Clarke.

It is also possible to express concerns to the multi agency safeguarding team (MASH)

directly on <u>0345 155 1071</u> or email <u>mashsecure@devon.gcsx.gov.uk</u>

#### <u>Attendance</u>

Oaks- 96.2%

Chestnuts-98.3%

Sycamores - 96.2%

Redwoods-97.2%

There has been a slight improvement in lateness which is great. Please remember school starts at **8.55am** 

#### This week in...

<u>Acorns and Oaks</u>: It's been a lovely week in Acorns and Oaks class this week. However, the class has been invaded with Evil Peas and we have had to call in Supertato to help us out! Why don't you ask your child: What has the Evil Pea done to the carrots? What are your child's super powers? What 2D shapes have they found this week?

<u>Chestnuts</u>; This week Chestnuts have been comparing numbers using the terms; greater than, less than and equal to. They have been using the Greedy Crocodiles that always eat the biggest number to show which number is the 'greatest' and 'smallest'. In Literacy, the children have written what they think would happen next in our focus text; 'What I do with Vegetable Glue'. From this they have gon eon to write a letter to Miss Eeles about the importance of eating vegetables!

Sycamores; We hope you enjoyed the maths open morning in Sycamores. There was some fierce competition in the place value game! The children have produced some excellent informal letters this week, writing about life in the Stone Age. In Tri Golf, we were really impressed with their creativity in making up their own golf courses. In music, we got to try out the Ocarinas, which were great fun. We have also enjoyed writing about our trip to Kent's Cavern, producing some high quality work for our display board in school. In art we continued with our canvas designs adding paint and layering the board to achieve a textured finish. If anyone can help out walking to and from the Tag Rugby festival on Friday 19th October, please could you let one of us know. Thank you for your support

Redwoods; We've been busy polishing our writing skill this week. Not only have we been writing about a day in the life of Stone Age Boy but also we've written about our own trip to Kents Cavern. We've been practising how to use of the semi-colon, one of the trickier punctuation marks, and some of us have become really proficient! It was lovely to have so many parents joins us for maths on Tuesday; your presence gave us new energy and really boosted us - thank you. We're all getting very excited about the fast-approaching residential trip next week and it's hard to keep our minds on anything else but packing our bags. Let's hope the sunshine smiles on us next week!



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#### **Diary Dates**

- 16th October
   Key Stage One PE Festival
- 16th October Class visits from the dentist
  - 22nd October—Half Term
- 29th October return to school
  - 8th November -Flu
- Immunisations (Reception to Year 5)

Monday 10th December – Christmas
Performance 2.30pm

- Tuesday 11th December Christmas Performance 6pm
- Last day of the Autumn term
   20th December

#### A message from the Head of School

A huge thank you to all of the parents who attended the Back to School session and took part in the learning with their children. It has been fantastic to see the children so excited to share their learning experiences with you when they come out of school. We have had a lot of interesting discussions take place about the children's learning during the Parent consultations. If you are yet to see your child's class teacher we will be contacting you to ensure you get a consultation as they are an extremely valuable part of your child's learning.

Flu immunisations are on 8th November and the forms are due back by Monday so that we can request the correct amount to be brought to the school.

Next week is the school residential for our year 5 and 6 pupils, they will be leaving on Wednesday morning and returning on Friday afternoon.. We hope they have some better weather than we have today. I look forward to hearing all about your adventures Redwoods!

#### <u>Awards</u>



### **Star Learners**;

**Acorns**- Kayla

Oaks- Nikita

**Chestnuts**– Ceren

**Sycamores**– William

**Redwoods**— Anna

-Random Act of Kindness; Kieran R

-Attendance winners; Redwoods- 97.2%

-House Points; Lemon -39

Exe -82

**Dart** -73

Teign -56