



Burrsville Infants - Newsletter

Website: www.burrsvilleinfantacademy.org

Friday 13th March 2020

CLUBS

Monday

Yoga & Meditation Yr 1 & 2
Reading – Yr 2 (lunchtime)
Cooking – Yr 2

Tuesday

Wellbeing – Invitation Only
Maths – Yr 2
Lexia – Invitation Only

Wednesday

Headers & Volleys-1 & 2

Thursday

Games Club – Yr 1 & 2
Art – Yr 1 & 2
Music Club – Yr 2
Multi Sports – Yr 1 & 2

Holiday dates 2019/2020

End of term

Friday 3rd April 2020
Children finish at 1.30pm

Children return to school
Monday 20th April

Bank Holidays

Friday 8th May 2020
Monday 25th May 2020

Half Term

26th May – 29th May 2020
Non pupil day is 22nd May

Children return to school
on Monday 1st Jun

School Menu

Next week we will be on
week 2 of our school
menu 😊

Dear Parents and Carers,

It's been another busy week with lots of learning taking place! Mrs Turner organised a fun-filled science week for the children to enjoy. They have been wearing their white coats and carrying out experiments all week ranging from exploring how to make paper aeroplanes and kites fly to exploding volcanos! The children have had a brilliant week and are full of enthusiasm for science. We were even joined by Mr Caffull and children from the juniors who came to support our children with their learning. Thank you to Mrs Turner for all your hard work organising such an exciting week. Watch out for photos on the website soon! On Wednesday we were treated to a fantastic assembly from Cedar Class. I really enjoyed listening to the children talk so competently about their learning. Well done to all of the children and staff for showcasing your learning so well. Next week it is the turn of Sycamore class. Looking forward to seeing you there!

Thank you to everyone for your support and positivity regarding our new 3PR parking initiative. I have never seen the area outside of school so clear! Just a reminder, tokens will only be given to children who walk, cycle or scoot through the 3PR zone. Children using the back and side gates or attending breakfast club will also receive a token. Every Friday, the tokens are counted and the winning class receive the 3PR trophy at the end of each half term. Tokens will **not** be given to children whose parents block local residents' driveways; park in the cul-de-sac opposite the school; park on the bends of the cul-de-sac. Thank you so much for your on-going support with this matter. It has also been great to see many of you following the one-way system we have suggested. If you or your child are able to lend a hand and join us with our 3PR patrols and giving out tokens in the mornings, please let me know.

You may have seen our update regarding the COVID-19 pandemic on our school website. For those of you who haven't, it says: ***We are continuing to follow advice from Public Health England in respect of Coronavirus. We have not been put on alert to close and at present we have no plans to close the school for any additional time. We are working closely with the Local Authority and our Academy Trust (please see additional letter sent out today from Reach2).***

If we are advised differently by Public Health England and the Department for Education to close, we will inform parents and carers immediately. I will, of course, inform you as soon as I can if anything changes. In the meantime, I am following the advice I am receiving on a daily basis and continuing to promote regular handwashing and the 'catch it, kill it, bin it' strategy. Mr Baker and his cleaning team are working hard to ensure the school is cleaned to a high standard, which includes cleaning door handles and light switches. I know many of you are feeling quite anxious about the situation but rest assured, we are following the advice we have been given.

Have a great weekend.

Miss Siggery

A Gift for Someone Special

For Mother's Day this year, we, the PTA, have organised some special gifts for pupils to purchase for a special mum, nan, aunt or someone special. These will cost £1 each and each child will be able to purchase a maximum of 2 gifts. Members of the PTA will be visiting each classroom, everyday next week, so that your child can make their purchase. We would be grateful if monies could be in a named envelope, thank you 😊

Gifts will be brought home on Friday 20th March 2020, in time for Mother's Day.

This week's Attendance

Class	Attendance	Lates
Rowan	90.7%	7
Maple	98.9%	5
Cedar	99.3%	7
Sycamore	96.3%	1
Elder	98.2%	1
Hazel	97.0%	15

Well done Cedar class for the best attendance this week 😊

The Golden Book

Cedar Class

Sofia Burch for always following steps to success.

Tobias Roberts for an improved attitude to learning.

Elder Class

Riley Charlton for working so hard on his maths quiz.

Leah-Rose Prescott for lovely letter writing.

Sycamore Class

Arthur Clawson for trying his best and asking good questions.

Lilah-Grace Panrucker for fantastic measuring.

Hazel Class

Ella-Rose Brabben for a great attitude to learning this week.

Zackery George for amazing listening and contribution in music.

Dates for the diary.

Wed 18th Mar – Sycamore class assembly

Thurs 19th Mar – Elder class Mother's Day Lunch

Fri 20th Mar – Hazel class Mother's Day lunch

Wed 25th Mar – Rowan class assembly

Fri 27th March – Non uniform day – Cancer research, rainbow day

Mon 30th Mar – Year 1 trip to Colchester Zoo

Wed 1st Apr – Maple class assembly

Fri 3rd Apr – Last day of term, children finish at 1.30pm

Mon 20th Apr – Children back to school

Wed 29th Apr – Year 2 open morning



Special Table - MDA – Superstars of the week

Hazel – Summer Stacey

Elder – Faith Docherty & Colin Brand

Sycamore – Willow Olliffe

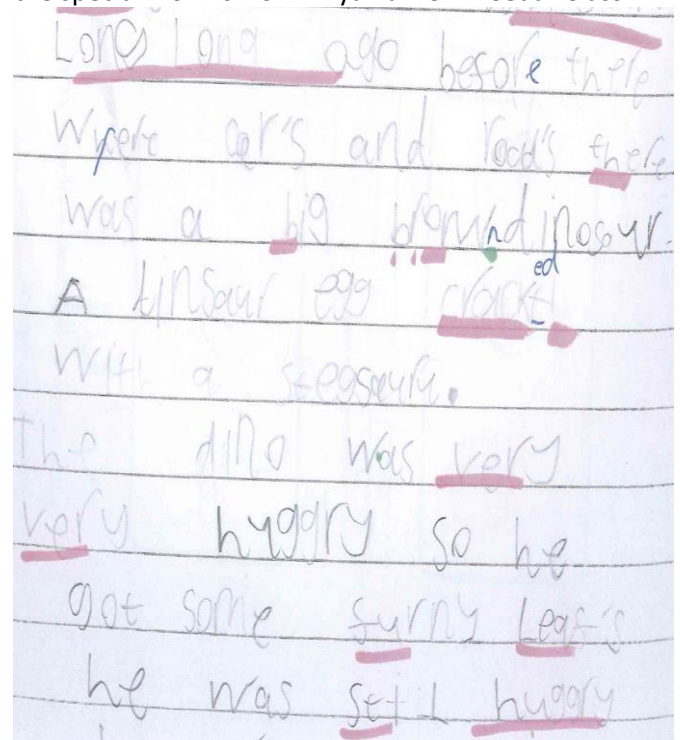
Cedar – Kaiden Maples & Tommy Ward

Maple – Beau Bell & Belle Watkinson

Rowan – Sophie Wall

Writer's Corner

This year our whole school focus is on writing. To ensure we keep this focus high profile, each week we will share a special piece of written work. This week the special work is from Priya Turner in Cedar Class.



QUIZ NIGHT – Friday 20th March @ 7pm

A London Marathon fundraising event for

Phabkids at Burrsville Infant Academy

Adults only - £5 per person – Teams of 6 people

Bring your own drinks

Raffle, Sweets Sale and Prizes

Email debbiesiggery@gmail.com to book your place.

Please remember to bring PE kits back to school! Lots of children have had to sit out as we have not had enough spare kits available.

PE is part of the National Curriculum!

Thank you 😊

YEAR 1 PE – TUESDAY

YEAR 2 PE - THURSDAY