

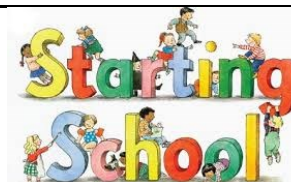
13th January, 2017

## NEWSLETTER

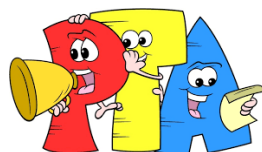


### CHILDREN DUE TO START SCHOOL IN SEPTEMBER 2017

Please don't forget Monday next week at 3pm is the deadline for submitting applications for your Nursery age child to start in Reception 2017. If you have any queries, please telephone Buckinghamshire County Council on 01296 395000. Thank you.



### PTA



We would like to invite you to join the Chalfont Valley PTA. Our PTA organises events to raise funds for our school and all the children who attend. You can commit to as much or as little time as you want,; every little bit helps. We will be having a meeting at 3.15pm on Friday 20th January in the Dining Room to discuss up coming fund raisers. Please come—we would love to see as many of you as possible.

### INCREDIBLE YEARS COURSE

Amersham Children's Centre is offering a free parenting course for parents of children aged between 4 and 12. The course runs on Thursdays until 30th March from 12.30-2.30pm. To book your place please e mail: [parentinggroups@buckscc.gov.uk](mailto:parentinggroups@buckscc.gov.uk) or telephone 01296 382412

### PE KITS

As outlined in last week's newsletter, your child **MUST** have a PE kit in school at all times. It is a legal requirement that they participate in PE lessons and as such, require the correct equipment. I will expect all children to have a PE kit in school by Monday.



### CONTACT NUMBERS

Please ensure we have the correct contact numbers for you. We have had several instances where we have not been informed of updated mobile numbers and have not been able to contact parents easily. It is vital for the safety of your child that we hold the correct telephone numbers.



### Kids Poems

### YEAR 6 POEMS

We have been informed that some of our Year 6 children are going to have their recent poetry work published. Well done to them for their hard work and endeavours.

### ATTENDANCE CARDS

You will have received your child's attendance card by now. The Government states that every child should be in school 96% of the time and that anything below this figure is considered to be poor. Please try and ensure your child is in school every day. If they are feeling a little under the weather, bring them in anyway. It is often the case that they perk up whilst at school. Thank you.




# CLASS NEWS

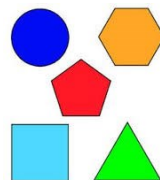
## ATTENDANCE SINCE SEPTEMBER, 2016

Reception =	92.07%	Yr 1 =	95.47%
Yr 2 =	94.47%	Yr 3 =	93.42%
Yr 4 =	90.54%	Yr 5 =	92.41%
Yr 6 =	94.30%		


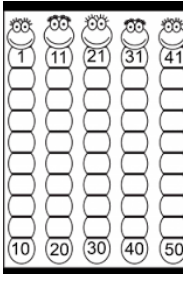
### NURSERY



This week we have been reading *The Gruffalo's Child*. We have also been looking at different types of footprints and in Maths we have studied 2d shapes.




### RECEPTION





In our Literacy lessons, we have been looking at Gruffalo character descriptions. In Maths, we have been counting to 50.

### YEAR 1



This week the children have been very excited as we have been learning all about super heroes. In Numeracy we have been working hard on our two digit numbers.



### YEAR 2



We have worked very hard this week. We have been learning to tell the time. In Literacy we have been doing acrostic poetry. Well done Year 2.

**Super Cool Happy On time Outdoor play Learning**


### YEAR 3



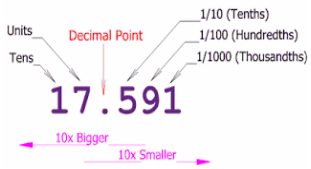
In our Numeracy lessons we have concentrated on place value for 3 and 4 digit numbers. We have also worked very hard learning about Greek Myths.



### YEARS 4-5



We have been studying place value and decimals in our Numeracy lessons. In Literacy we have been learning about mermaid myths. Well done class.



### YEAR 6

In our Numeracy lessons this week we have been learning about place value in decimals. We have also been studying negative and positive numbers. In our Literacy lessons we have been studying Shakespeare and in particular *Romeo and Juliet*.

