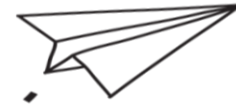




Reaside Academy Newsletter

12th November – 25th November 2021



Message from Mrs Carrier

As you are aware, our next teacher training day will take place on Tuesday 4th January 2022. Earlier in the year, I wrote to you about the areas that we are focusing on for development this year at Reaside; two of these being the improvement in writing and maths outcomes. Our teacher day in January will therefore be used to train staff on a new approach to the teaching of writing, which we are really excited about. We will also be spending time working on how we develop our children's recall of their times tables. You will hear more from us about these things during the Spring term.

Message from UWMAT

Due to continued rising numbers of COVID cases, unfortunately we remain unable to invite large groups of parents onto site. As we are coming up to Christmas, we will ensure any performances are recorded and shared with you.

Attendance

At Reaside, our attendance target is 96%.

Best class attendance

Week ending 5th Nov: **4S with 96%**

Week ending 12th Nov: **3M and 5F with 96%**

Office Messages

Parents Evening: If you have not yet done so, please remember to sign up for your child's parents evening on either 22nd or 23rd November via the link on Class Dojo.

Tuck/dinner money: Please ensure that you have downloaded the MyChildAtSchool (MCAS) app in order to begin paying for your child's dinner and tuck electronically. **From 22nd November, we will no longer be accepting cash payments for either of these.**

Reminders

P.E: Monday – Year 3 Tuesday – Year 5
 Thursday – Year 4 Friday – Year 6

Forest School: Tuesday - Year 4

Commando Joe: Wednesday - Year 5

Children should attend school in appropriate clothing for P.E, Forest School and Commando Joe activities. Uniform is not required to be worn on your child's designated activity day.

Arrival/Collection: 8.50am start for all children

(gates open at 8.40)

3.20pm collection Mon-Thurs

2.30pm collection EVERY FRIDAY

Absence: If your child is absent, you must call the school office to let us know for each day of their absence.

Important Dates

Monday 15th November

Odd Socks Day for Anti-Bullying Week

Thursday 18th November

Non-school uniform day for Children in Need

Remember to bring a £1 donation ☺

Thursday 18th November

Year 4 Ancient Greeks workshop

Friday 19th November

School Photographer -

Class groups and any missed individuals.

Siblings between 8.30-8.40am and no later.

Friday 10th December

Nasal Flu Vaccinations

&

Christmas Jumper day!

What we've been up to . . .

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Year 3



This week year 3 started their new science topic all about light! We learnt that things are harder to see when there is less light. When an object is shiny, it reflects the light and makes it much easier to see. Here are some Year 3 children testing out our ideas whilst looking for objects in a cardboard box.



	★ Achievement Awards ★		😊 Value Awards 😊	
3M	Kyle Y	Saimira Q	Maisie	Isabelle
3OL	Troy	Amy	Rosie	Taylor

Year 4

The last 2 weeks we have been working hard in maths, focusing on measuring. We have been converting measurements, adding/subtracting measurements as well as finding the perimeter of rectilinear shapes. Great work year 4!

	★ Achievement Awards ★		😊 Value Awards 😊	
4S	James	Saira	Lily	Billy
4K	Francesca	Elsa	Insha	Lottie

Year 5

This week, year 5 continued with their work on 'The Song From Somewhere Else.' The children produced some fantastic diary entries. Well done year 5!

	★ Achievement Awards ★		😊 Value Awards 😊	
5F	Ava	Joel G	Mia P	Maddie
5W	Tristan	Joseph	Lola H	Ellie P

Year 6

Year 6 have been preparing to make their own black-out lights as part of our learning about World War 2. We have even had one child make one at home! We will be making them next week and look forward to sharing the finished product with you all.

	★ Achievement Awards ★		😊 Value Awards 😊	
6B	Ezmae	Jamie	Connor	Rory
6R	Eva	Ellie	Aqeil	Bailey