

Newsletter



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Every day Matters!

Don't forget we have an INSET day coming up - Friday 16th Oct - Academy closed to all children

Attendance

Well done everyone ...last week was even better than the week before for attendance across the Academy. We ended the week with an Academy total of 97% which is amazing in these challenging times.



- ★ Well done **Otters** for best attendance last week!
- ★ Well done **Barn Owls** for the most improved attendance last week!

Online learning

Don't forget to log into Timestables Rockstars and MyOn to support your child's learning in maths and reading. If you do not have the log-in details please email your child's teacher on the year group email address.

We are very excited to celebrate World Mental Health Day this week on **Friday 9th October**. As part of this celebration we will be learning about what mental health is, how we can take care of ourselves and each other and identifying things that might help us all. We will be taking part in a #HelloYellow three step challenge!

#helloyellow

On Friday we will be inviting everyone to wear something yellow with their uniform if they would like to. This could be a badge, t-shirt, jumper, hairband, socks etc...

Black History Month

We are really excited to be starting our Black History month projects this week. We will be learning about black people who have positively influenced life as we experience it today. We will also be reflecting on why we celebrate Black History month and what this means for us now. It is really important however that this is not stand alone within our curriculum. We have been working hard to ensure that our curriculum reflects our whole community and celebrates the successes of all throughout history. We will also be asking ourselves and each other challenging questions about what we can learn from event in history to make our lives now even better.



We will soon be asking children to consider applying to join our Agents for Change - Diversity to work with us in the Academy to ensure we are fully inclusive and celebrate diversity in all we do.

Applying for school places

- If your child is in **Year 6** you will need to apply for their secondary school place by 31st October 2020.

• Apply online at [https://](https://www.bristol.gov.uk/schools-learning-early-years/secondary-apply)

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Hello

I'm Sadie, the Community Engagement worker!



I'm looking to get parents involved with some new projects around the school!

Have your say, and get stuck in, drop me a text if you're interested

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