



AVANTI GARDENS
SCHOOL



WEEKLY NEWS
CALENDAR ISSUE 7
04/11/2022



EVENTS NEXT WEEK

| DATE & Time | EVENT | LOCATION | MORE DETAILS |
|--|---|---|--------------------------------|
| Mondays this term starting from 7th November Morning sessions | Year 3 & Year 4 Swimming | | |
| Tuesday to Thursday 8th to 10th November | No Teacher Run Clubs due to Child, Teacher and Parent Discussion Evenings | | |
| Tuesday 8th November | Year 6 Class Assembly | Theatre – Please sign at the internal main gate adjacent to the pottery room. | Year 6 Family member's welcome |
| Tuesday 8th November | Child, Teacher and Parent Discussions | Sports Hall – Please access via the Sports Hall Gate. Gate opens at 3.40pm | |
| Wednesday 9th November | YEAR 6 Only - Child, Teacher and Parent Discussions | Small Hall – Please access via the main school office | |
| Wednesday 9th November | Prospective Parent Booked Group Tours | | |
| Thursday 10th November | EYFS to YEAR 5 Child, Teacher and Parent Discussions | Theatre – Please sign at the internal main gate adjacent to the pottery room. | |
| Friday 11th November | Year 4 and Year 5 Trip to the Observatory and Bristol Downs | | |



THERE WILL BE NO TEACHER LED CLUBS NEXT WEEK DUE TO PARENT'S MEETINGS

CLUBS



| | Mon | Tues 3.15 – 4.15 | Wed 3.15 – 4.15 | Thurs 3.15 – 4.15 | Friday |
|---|-----|---|---|--|--------|
| School-led clubs 3.15-4.15pm End in term 2 on 1 st December 2022 | | Choir/Charanga Club 15 Children Years 2-6 | Book Club 15 Children max Years 3&4 only | Football 15 Children Max Years 5-6 | |
| | | | Art Therapy 15 children max KS2 – 3,4,5 & 6 | Knitting and Sewing 15 Children Max KS2 – 3, 4, 5 & 6 | |
| | | | Drama 15 children Years 2-6 | | |
| School-supported clubs 3.15-4.15 | | Yogact 20 children Year 1 and 2 | | Minisingers 20 children Year 1 and 2 | |
| External clubs 3.15-4.15pm Dates on website | | | KIDS WITH BRICKS 15 children max KS2 - 3,4,5 & 6 Book via their website | Cookery | |
| External clubs 3.30-4.45pm Dates on website | | Sporting Chance 3.30-4.45pm MULTISPORTS Years 3-6 Book via their website 2 spaces left | Sporting Chance. 3.30-4.45pm SUPERSTARS Reception – Yr2 Book via their website No spaces | | |

Next Half Term Clubs

Please note that all teacher-led after school clubs end on **Thursday 1st December** due to other events being planned. They will resume in January.



= These are teacher-led clubs



On Tuesday 1st November we had a BAT-TASTIC morning when Stewart from the BRISTOL BAT RESCUE CHARITY brought his beautiful and awe-inspiring rescue bats in.

BIG, BIG THANK YOU TO STEWART and REBECCA for organising this amazing experience. !



Class Assemblies

| CLASS | DATE |
|-------------------------|-------------------|
| Snapdragon Class Year 6 | 8th Nov @ 9.05am |
| Foxglove Class Year 4 | 15th Nov @ 9.05am |
| Iris Class Year 3 | 22nd Nov @ 9.05 |
| Jasmine Class Year 5 | 29th Nov @ 9.05am |

Family Members Welcome!



| Year Group | EVENT & DATE |
|-------------|-----------------------------------|
| Key Stage 2 | Winter Concert 12th December |
| EYFS | Nativity Concert 13th December |
| Key Stage 1 | Winter Concert 14th December |



NEWS FROM THE OFFICE

Vacancies at Avanti Gardens School

We are looking for people to join our team as Lettings Caretakers. If you are interested, please see more details here:

<https://www.tes.com/jobs/vacancy/lettings-caretaker-multiple-bristol-leicester-herts-1725274>

There will also be a new advert for a midday supervisor coming out shortly.

If you are interested, please contact the office.

Christmas Card Competition

Your child may have come home with a form to create a Christmas Card for the Metro Mayor Competition. The winning entry will be made into a Christmas card and sent to organisations right across the West of England and beyond. Entries cannot be returned. Please note the size of the rectangle for the drawing must be A5 in size.

If your child would like to enter you will need to post their entry early next week to the address at the bottom of the form to get there by Friday 11th.

Good luck

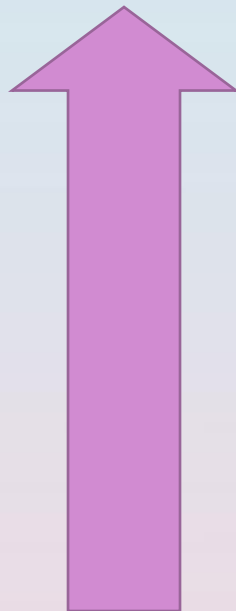




Our Weekly Attendance

is: **95%**

Last Terms Attendance :
92.8%



Our Target
is: **96.5%**

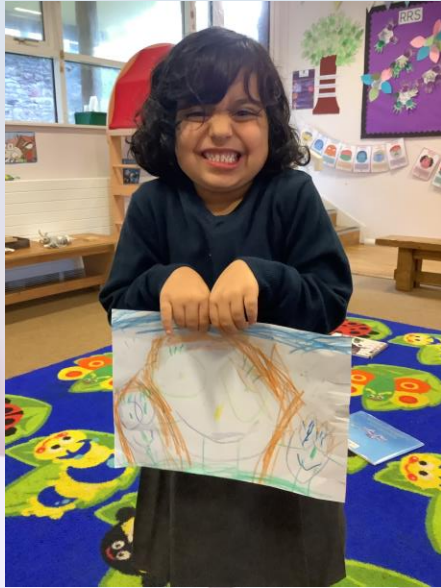
Attendance

Well done to our Wonderful Avanti Children for helping to raise our attendance this week. The Avanti Bear and Trophy are currently with Sunflower Class, who are delighted to proudly display it at the front of the class.

If your child is absent, please call the school office and leave your child's full name, class name and reason for absence, or email

absence.agb@avanti.org.uk

Please use this email address for absence reporting only,
Please contact us on every day of absence before 8:45am



Learning Highlights

This week we have been reading and reciting The Little Red Hen. On Wednesday we then baked our very own bread rolls! We were so impressed with their wonderful teamwork! On Tuesday we had TWO visitors, Avni's mum came to talk to us about Diwali and we had a visitor from Bristol Bat rescue.



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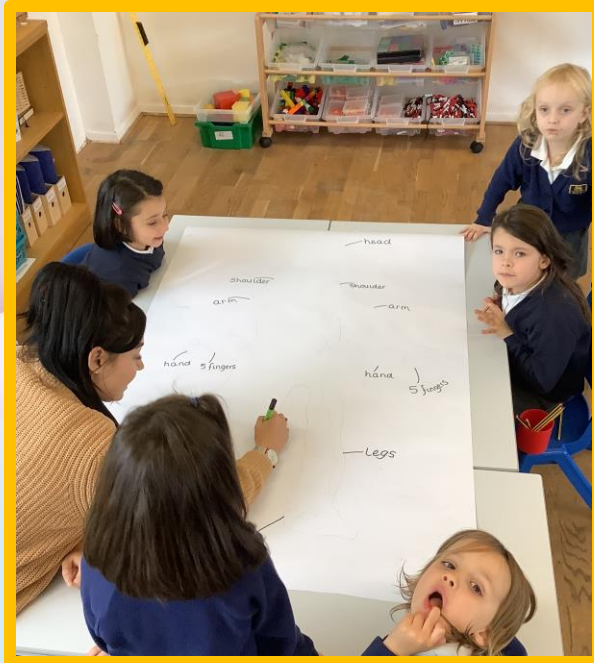
LAVENDAR CLASS





Learning Highlights

In Science this week we have looked at body parts. We drew round each other's body and labelled it. We enjoyed learning lots of new parts of the body!



DAFFODIL CLASS
LILY CLASS





Learning Highlights

We have been learning about bones this week in science. Some of the children brought in skeletons to show to their classmates.

IRIS CLASS





Learning Highlights

This week in D&T we began exploring food packaging and its purposes. The class were searching for the important information on the packaging including use by date, country of origin and whether it is recyclable.

Friday 4th November
LO: To analyse a range of existing products.

| | | | |
|--|--|---|--|
| Food type | Chocolate | pineapple | |
| Packaging material and type | bar wrapper and foil | plastic to hold it and have elastic on top. | |
| Country of origin | UK and Ireland | Bristol | |
| Use by or best before date | 13/08/2023 | 7 November | |
| Is this packaging recyclable? | yes it is recyclable | no it can not be recycled | |
| How does this packaging help to keep the food fresh? | it keeps it fresh with foil on the bottom and paper on top | it has got a lot of covering | |

Friday 4th November
LO: To analyse a range of existing products.

| | | | |
|--|--------------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------|
| Food type | fruit | Vegetables | Meat |
| Packaging material and type | plastic and cardboard | can | plastic |
| Country of origin | France | AS (England) USA | Sainsbury's |
| Use by or best before date | up to you | 2 days | September 2023 |
| Is this packaging recyclable? | this is recyclable | Yes | recyclable |
| How does this packaging help to keep the food fresh? | keep it safe and keep it fresh | keep it hot & keep it fresh | to keep safe |

Friday 4th November
LO: To analyse a range of existing products.

| | | | |
|--|------------------------|----------------------|---------|
| Food type | Milk | Vegetable Soup | Avocado |
| Packaging material and type | plastic | metal | plastic |
| Country of origin | London | India | Peru |
| Use by or best before date | September 2023 | June 2024 | None |
| Is this packaging recyclable? | No | Yes | No |
| How does this packaging help to keep the food fresh? | To stop it going stale | To stop it going off | None |

Friday 4th November
LO: To analyse a range of existing products.

| | | | |
|--|---------------------------------------|----------------------|---------------------------|
| Food type | FRUIT | Vegetable Soup | Milk |
| Packaging material and type | Avocado plastic + cardboard | tin can | plastic |
| Country of origin | Peru | UK | Sainsbury's |
| Use by or best before date | up to you | 2 days | SEP 2023 |
| Is this packaging recyclable? | YES | YES | YES |
| How does this packaging help to keep the food fresh? | it has plastic cover to keep it fresh | a can keeps it fresh | plastic keeps the air out |

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FOXGLOVE CLASS





Learning Highlights

In Jasmine class we have been learning about Christianity and the pupils have been looking at how Jesus has been represented through time and how different cultures also show him. The pupils then drew how they visualised Jesus and wrote about why they portrayed him in this way.

JASMINE CLASS





Learning Highlights

This week we have been practising our performance skills ready for our class assembly on Tuesday. We are very excited to show you our learning from last term and hope that you will be impressed.

SNAPDRAGON CLASS



Sporting Chance

Happy Friday everyone! Hope you've all had a positive week and enjoyed your PE and yoga. Have a super weekend from all the Sporting Chance team.

YR - we worked together today due to space. The children explored during their ball skills topic by rolling, bouncing, and throwing a variety of balls.

PE champions: **Saphia** ? was excellent at sharing and playing well with other children.

Yoga masters: Bart was brilliant at adopting new poses in yoga

Y1 - Ball skills is our new topic - we used the 'bat' theme from assembly which the children loved. The balls (bats) practiced flying at different heights and speeds and landing in different targets!

PE champion:

Yoga master: Logan and Idris for excellent engagement and staying very Zen throughout yoga.

Y2 - we focused on mirroring and the basic dynamics in our dance lesson today. The children were very expressive in their routines. Great start.

PE champion: Hussain was very creative today and made a lovely routine

Yoga master: Eben was calm and exemplary in his yoga poses today.

Y3 - invasion games is our new topic - we all worked really hard on first session and very positive start.

PE champion: Ida made great choices and engaged really well today

Yoga master: Pippin had his best yoga session yet but staying engaged for the entire session. Well done.

Y4 - basketball - our first session was focused on dribbling and control. The children excelled and we look forward to what we can achieve next week.

PE champion: Anjali for winning our basketball dribbling competition and Alby for showing resilience even when the challenge was difficult

Yoga Master: Chloe was extremely zen and demonstrated poses very well.

Y5 - gymnastics - the children were put through their paces today to recall some of last years gymnastics session and focused on development of core shapes and balances.

PE champion: Marcey and Demba for excellent demonstrations and recalling prior learning

Yoga Master: Minnie was extremely engaged and acted as a good role model.

**Have a lovely weekend from all at Avanti
Gardens School.**

