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Week 9 - Friday 15th November 2019

Value of the term:  
**Self-discipline**

*"We are what we repeatedly do. Excellence then is not an act, but a habit."* Aristotle

Stay on Green  
weekly champions:  
**Reception**

### Attendance

Whole school: 95.67% ↑

Reception: 96.17%

Year 1: 97.12%

Year 2: 99.15%

Year 3: 94.65%

This week has been an extremely eventful week at Krishna Avanti Croydon, with many different exciting and creative events children taking place. We began with a tasteful and inspiring commemoration assembly, and we ended with a mufti day in aid of Children in need, with lots of creativity in between. I hope you enjoy this week's newsletter which will celebrate all that has taken place over the last five days.

## Remembrance Day



Thank you for encouraging your child to take part in the poppy competition. We expressed our thanks and paid our respects to all those brave souls who have lost their lives in conflict during our Remembrance Day assembly. The children shared their creative and inspiring poppy and wreath designs, which are now proudly displayed in our own Flanders Field. It was extremely challenging to choose a single winning design, so we simply had to celebrate a design from each class.

The winners are:  
Reception - Manan  
Year 1 - Atharva  
Year 2 - Reyansh (overall winner)  
Year 3 - Raghav  
Congratulations to you all!



Please see page 3 for **urgent** medical information

### Parent elections!

We have an opening for a parent stakeholder to join the governing body of our school. Guidance and a timetable will be sent home with the children in due course. If you are interested please keep your eyes peeled for further details.



### Key dates coming up:

- Cinderella pantomime coming up on **Wednesday 11th December**
- **Year 1** will be visiting the London Eye on **Wednesday 20th November**
- Next week is **Road Safety Week**
- **The Christmas Fayre** is taking place on **Saturday 7th December 2-6pm**
- **Year 2** will be visiting **Croydon Minster** on **Thursday 5th December** to watch the Christmas orchestra
- **Reception** will be going to **Central Croydon Library** on **Wednesday 4th December** for their first school trip





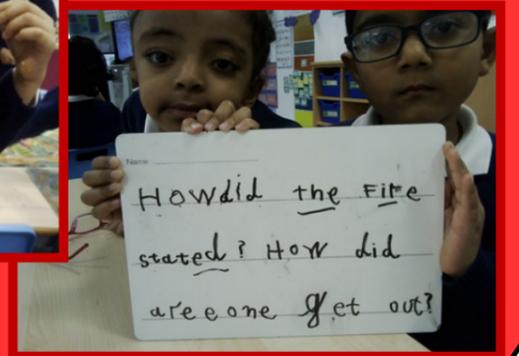
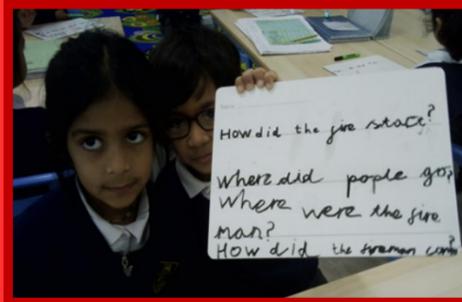
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As part of their topic learning, **Year 1** have created innovative and thought-provoking pieces depicting the Great Fire of London. In addition, the children generated questions about this disastrous event that they'd like to investigate. Now we are extending the learning and the children have also begun to construct 3D Tudor houses which would have been decimated by the fire.



This week **Year 3** erupted in laughter and wonder while on their visit to the Natural history museum to learn about...



The children demonstrated their knowledge of the composition of the Earth, explored how and where Earthquakes occur and even got to recreate a volcanic eruption!



As part of their Beat, Band, Boogie topic, **Year 2** have used recyclable materials to create their very own musical instruments! The children have made both maracas and drums.





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### NHS flu immunisation consent

This is a polite notice to ensure that all parents who have given their consent for their child to be immunised have read each section carefully. It is clearly stated on the form that the vaccination contains **porcine gelatine** (products derived from pigs). Should you wish to reconsider whether you permit your child to have this immunisation, you must send an email to:

[ch-trimmunisationteam@nhs.net](mailto:ch-trimmunisationteam@nhs.net)



### Health warning

There has been an instance of Scarlet fever brought to our attention by a parent. Please be vigilant for any symptoms. The link below will lead you to the NHS website, which clearly explains this condition and what you should do if your child exhibits any of the symptoms.

<https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/scarlet-fever/>



If you have any Teddy Bears to donate as prizes at our Christmas Fayre, they will be gratefully received!

If you have any Christmas lights you could allow us to borrow/ donate to us in order to decorate the school for the Christmas Fayre, these will also be gratefully accepted!



### Life at Avanti

Our school councillor representatives in **Year 2** and **Year 3** will be visiting Krishna Avanti Primary school Leicester on **Friday 22nd November** with Mr Burton to explore their learning environments and interview other pupils about their learning. It is an exciting opportunity to interact with our sister schools, gain new innovative ideas and help to develop our own growing school. We are sure they will be excellent ambassadors for Krishna Avanti Croydon.