Aspiration Experience Nurture Community

Newsletter

Howard Community Academy

"Exploring, learning, and growing together—one day, one lesson, and one success at a time!"

ANGLIAN LEARNING

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This Week at Howard Community Academy

This week has been full of exciting learning and great progress. We're proud of our children for their effort and enthusiasm in every activity. Here's a quick look at what we've been up to:

Geography



Year 3 and 4 are starting to learn about life in Antarctica andthe geographical features of the continent.

History



Year 5 and 6 have been learning about the origins of World War 2 and why we have remembrance day.

Our SEND coffee information mornings for parents have restarted. Watch this space for details of the next meeting.

Spotlight on....

Each week, we celebrate some of our shining stars who have received Headteacher Awards! Congratulations to....

Amir Ella Katie Connie Bonnie
Cody Riley Angelene

Staff star of the week

Mrs Bugg for accompanying us on many outings this week!





Reminders

Please ensure your child has appropriate PE kit and removes all jewellery for PE.

Please ensure that your child leaves toys at home as these can be a distraction in class.

Please read with your child as often as possible. It benefits them in so many ways!



A note from Mrs Weir

It has been an eventful week at school this week with many art workshops taking place. It is always a pleasure to see our children so enthusiatic and focused, enjoying spending time with parents being creative. Thank you to all of you who were able to join us this week.

Our choir were delighted to go over to Marham Park care home and sing some of the songs we have been practising for our friends there. The residents were so delighted to hear our lovely singing that we have been invited back again to sing at their Christmas Fair.

Three of our Year 6 children represented our school beautifully at the Remembrance day service by laying a poppy wreath at the war memorial in town. It was a sombre and fitting occasion to remember those who have lost their lives or been injured in conflict. Children back at school marked the occasion outside with a minute silence by our Rememberance display. Thank you to all who contributed to our poppy display. It is a wonderful reminder.

Last week Year 2 also thoroughly enjoyed learning about different jobs and careers at the skills escalator day at West Suffolk College. Some were really inspired!

Our breakfast club goes from strength to strength and is growing in numbers. We are also so fortunate to be partnering with Premier who run our wraparound after school club provision. It is such an important provision but we are aware that after school club does need to have a certain number of children to continue to run. Please do use the service as we don't want to lose it!

Dates for your diary



23.11.26 Badger to culinary workshop
4.12.26 Year 1 to St Mary's church
14.12.26 Badger art workshop
15.12.26 and 16.12.26 Christmas concert
12.12.26 KS2 pantomime trip
17.12.26 Christmas lunch
18.12.26 Last day of term

SEND news from Mrs Whiting

This week I would like to remind you about two useful websites about neurodiversity, where there are links to workshops and ideas for how to support your child if they have neurodiverse needs.

These are : Childhood neurodivergence workshops | Norfolk and Suffolk NHS

West Suffolk Neurodevelopmental Support Service - Family Action - Get support - Family Action

I hope you find these useful.



Spotlight on attendance

Families, thank you for your continued encouragement at home in bringing your children to school. It has been lovely to see you all and it truly makes a big difference in your child's learning and confidence.

This week's average attendance was 91.3%. The government expectation is that your child attends school for at least 96% of the school year so that they can learn.

Please note that we are unable to authorise term time absences and penalty fines may apply.

Let's keep building great habits and learning together!

If you need any help with advice or resources to help your child learn, we are here to help. Please speak to a member of staff or contact the school office.

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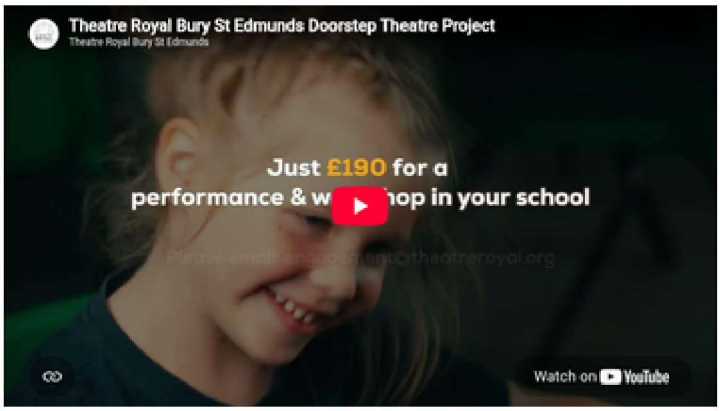












Please be aware that our bike shed is not locked and that bicycles and scooters are left in our bike shed at your own risk.