



Randwick Primary School: Resilience, Passion, Success



NEWSLETTER

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Welcome back!

Wow! How lucky we are to have such amazing children here at Randwick. Everyone has been so impressed with the children here this week, and we are so glad to see them all again. We know coming back has not been easy and rest assured that we are here to care for your children and help them feel settled back in school.

This may take some time but there is no rush and we will adapt our curriculum as needs be. Most important is the children's health and well-being, and we've seen them shine this week at Forest School, in class, outside in PE sessions today and at playtimes. They have shown kindness to each other and we are inspired by them!

We hope you have a lovely weekend and we look forward to welcoming everyone back next week. Do keep in touch with us – talk to your child's teacher or email us if there is anything we can do to help.

Parking

This week there was a near miss when a child had to move around a car parked on the white hazard lines on The Lane outside school. When parents park here other cars have to move around them and this enhances the risk of an accident. We know parking isn't easy, but within a short walk there are spaces on Church Road, outside the village hall and in the car park adjacent to the Vine Tree. **Staff will be asking any parents parked there to move** as there is a risk of a potential accident to a child at the school. Please help us all keep safe.

Doug

I've been really impressed by children's kindness towards Doug and we hope for some that this will help them settle and relax back into school. I hope soon that children will come and read to him outside my office. He is most grateful and loves coming to school! Mr Poad

Reduced Curriculum

At this time we are not trying to cover everything in school because we don't want to overload the children. We also believe activities like Forest School and PHSE need additional time right now, to help the children return to school after lockdown. For these four weeks there will be topic, science, art, music, PHSE, PE and Forest School sessions in the afternoons, with maths, reading and writing continuing as normal. You might like to check out these resources to support some French learning at home:

<https://www.duolingo.com/>

<https://www.languagesonline.org.uk/Hotpotatoes/frenchindex.html>

This week

Buzzards

We have had a lot of fun in our first week back together again in Buzzards. We have enjoyed playing together, writing stories, spotting signs of Spring and doing crafts like making these paper flowers. We really loved our walk around the village for World Book Day too!



Kestrels

This week, as part of our "Amazing Mountains" topic, we have been exploring how volcanoes are made and erupt – we even made our own and watched the process live!



This week continued

Hawks

We had a fantastic walk around the village on Monday to celebrate World book day. It was great to see so many characters out in Randwick. A huge thank you to everyone who helped. Here our world book day potato entries for Ks1. The winner being the Hungry caterpillar by Evelyn.

The ks2 winner is Burglar Bill by Evie-May. Book related prizes will be heading their way.



Owls

What a wonderful week in Owl class! We started with our walk around the village spotting the characters from our favourite books, we have watched our tadpoles hatch out and written a book to teach Mr Poad about dinosaurs.



WEEKLY AWARDS



Woody for being kind, friendly and helping others, as well as being attentive and focused on his work.



Freya for always showing respects and using good manners.



Ravi for working hard on his reading and settling back into the school routine.



Harrison for showing great respect to everyone and being a wonderful friend to others.



Emily for showing respect to all and being a pleasure to work with.



Billy W for showing great focus in Maths and working so hard with his fractions.



Alfie for real enthusiasm in learning and for making such a super Mothers Day card!



Lenny for a fantastic first week back – getting on with every challenge with quiet diligence.