

Weekly Newsletter 6th October 2017

Dear Parents, Carers, and Families,

The classes have been continuing with our 'Changes' theme this week. There are lots of different activities, stories and sensory experiences happening across the school. In Lower School, pupils have been reading everyone's favourite story 'The very Hungry Caterpillar'. One of the pupils can be seen feeding the caterpillar for the interactive literacy lesson. Another pupil demonstrates sensory learning to change two colours to make purple. In the Upper School, pupils have also explored the changes in the seasons through their lessons. Everyone had lots of fun!



Induction Morning

Thank you to the new parents, carers and families that have made it to our first induction morning. We hope that you found it useful, we will be running these mornings each term. It is a great opportunity to learn more about our school, our curriculum, speak to therapists and meet other parents. At the induction morning the Sixth Form pupils escorted visitors and served tea and coffee to the attendees as part of their vocational learning qualification.



Coffee Mornings

Over the last couple of weeks classes have been inviting parents, carers and families in for coffee mornings or to take part in class based activities. It has been great to see so many of you in the school visiting classes and discussing the year ahead with the class teacher.



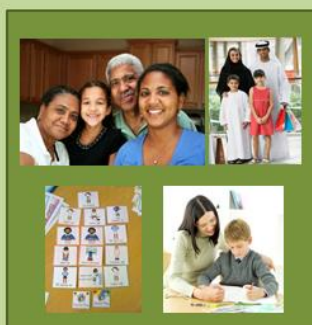
Exciting Update

Buttercup class had a charity cake sale and raised over £100 for a local charity! Thank you to everyone who came to support it! The cakes were delicious!



Our Family Inclusion Team are here to support you:

Family and Inclusion Team



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Somali Community



Robert Colledge
Parent Support
Advisor

Parent Council

Thank you to all of the parents that have volunteered or agreed to be a part of the Parent Council. We will share the names of the Representatives from each class and the dates for the meetings in next week's newsletter.

Best wishes,



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Head of School