



A Message from Mrs Campbell

Welcome to a windy Friday! Please look at our website for our new prospectus. There are a few photographs that need to be added but the 'nearly there' version is ready for you to view. We also have a QR code from which you can access our prospectus.



Years 1, 2 and 3 had a thoroughly enjoyable day at Shuttleworth on Thursday, learning about how bikes and planes were invented and developed. We would like to thank all of our wonderful staff and volunteers who were able to share the day with us.

As part of our drive to support families and increase and develop family engagement, we would like to invite you to a cake and coffee (or tea!) morning on 20th October at 11am. This will be an opportunity for families to chat and we will be able to show you some of the exciting ventures that we have in the pipeline. We have a new app, 'Learning with Parents' and we have also become members the 'National Online Safety' programme, which will help us and families to learn more about the need to protect our children online, including ways in which we can do this. On looking at the website this morning, I have learned some new things already.

Our open morning is on 5th November from 10-11.30am. Thank you to those children who have volunteered to come and help and to lead activities with prospective children and families.

Please remember to send a forest school kit with your children each Tuesday. As the weather gets colder, warm, waterproof clothing and waterproof shoes / wellies will be needed. We aim to be out in almost every weather! And finally.....

Do you have 10 hours a week (completely flexible in when and how) that you would like to help us and earn some extra money? We are looking for a keen and enthusiastic person who would like to join our team and become our caretaker. Some light DIY duties would be required alongside holding a key to the school. Further training can be provided. We very much look forward to hearing from anyone who would be interested.

Have a lovely weekend.

Dates for your diary

20th October 2pm – Harvest Festival at the Methodist Church
5th November 10 – 11.30am Open morning for prospective families
14-18 November – Anti bullying week. Children to wear odd socks for the week.

Monday 5th December – Bikeability Level 1 training

Monday 12th December – Bikeability balance bike training

Friday 16th December – Cinderella Pantomime at the Gordon Craig Theatre

Friday 13th January – Bikeability Learn to Ride training

14th February – Safer Internet Day (As this is in half term, we will be focusing on this during the week before half term)

ADVANCE WARNING OF DATES DIFFERENT TO CBC:

NO training day for our school on 21st October 2022. Children should be in school.

Monday 20th February 2023 – Academy Trust Training Day. No children in school.

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Healthy Snacks

Water bottles should contain water as this is best for hydration.

The Fruit for Schools programme provides fruit for Cygnus and Gemini. Key Stage 2 children need to bring their own healthy snack for breaktimes.

Parking in Manor Place

Please park respectfully on Manor Place, ensuring that you are not blocking driveways.

Also, a further reminder that you cannot park on the zigzag lines outside of school. Central Bedfordshire have informed schools that wardens will be patrolling outside of schools.

Cygnus Class Learning

This week, Cygnus have been learning about our school.

They have worked on learning how to get along with each other. They also have learned some new sounds. They now know 'm' and 'a'.

Gemini Class Learning

Gemini Class have been learning about the Victorian Era.

They have been looking at inventions during that time and trying to work out why so many inventions happened during that time.

Polaris Class Learning

Polaris have been learning about sound. They have learned about vibrations that make sound and how sound travels in waves. They also learned about decibels and how to measure the volume of sound. They have also learned to take notes from video and written sources, about Alexander Graham Bell.

Values

Our value is THANKFULNESS.

"Praise the Lord. Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good; his love endures forever." Psalm 106:1

