

Ellwood Community Primary School

Believe, Achieve, Belong

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Our value this term is: Responsibility

October 17th 2024

Weekly Attendance

Our aim is to have our weekly attendance above 97% in line with the Local Authority's expectation.

This week, our **whole school attendance was 94.2%**. Well done to Beech class for getting the highest attendance this week. We have had a lot of illness in school this week, hopefully the children start to feel better soon!

Please remember to report a child's absence before 9.30 a.m. ideally before the start of school by either phoning the school on 01594 833232 or emailing

admin@ellwood.gloucs.sch.uk

Thank you.

Oak	93.8%
Chestnut	93.8%
Beech	98.3%
Sycamore	92.7%
Willow	92.7%

Sports taster day tomorrow

A reminder that tomorrow we have a sports taster day for the whole school so could all children please wear their P.E kit.

Thank you!!



Beech class -

Beech class enjoyed making seasonal tarts and fruit faces this week. The children chopped and prepared the fruit and veg themselves very carefully, they then tasted their creations after!



Sycamore class -

Sycamore have been making bolognese during DT this week. The children peeled, cut vegetables and used their cooking skills to make a healthy bolognese sauce on a budget. They then taste-tested and evaluated the recipe; giving suggestions for what they would adapt in the future.



Rags2Riches - 5th December

We have a Rags2Riches collection booked for 5th December, so if you wanted a boost to get that pre Christmas sort out done, this is it!!

We will provide bags nearer the time but they accept clothes in any plastic bag. Clean, good condition clothes and shoes please of all sizes.....baby to adult.



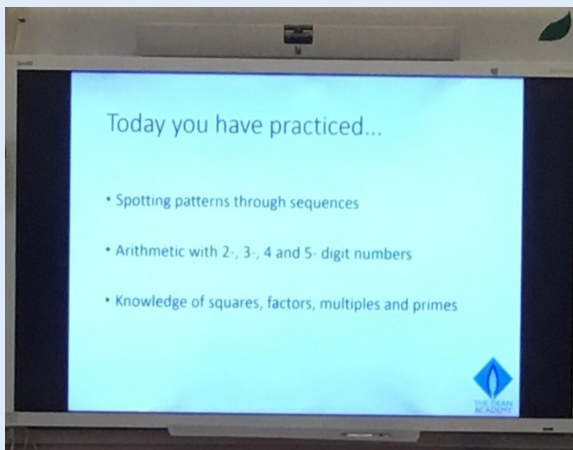
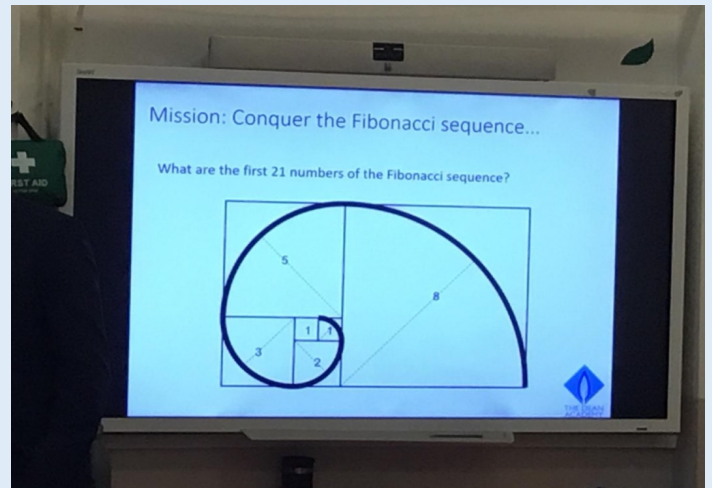
Reminders

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| Friday 18th October | - Year 3/4 football tournament |
| | - Progressive sports - taster day |
| Monday 22nd October | - Beech class assembly - 2:30pm |
| Thursday 24th October | - Individual & sibling photos (please bring P.E kit/
Forest Adventures kit in a separate bag) |
| | - Gymnastics - Y3 |
| | - School disco |
| | - Harvest festival assemblies (R, Y1, Y2, Y3 - 2:15
Y4, Y5, Y6 - 2:45) |
| Friday 25th October | - Inset day |

Year 5 -

This week year 5 had a maths lesson with Mr Fessey from the Dean Academy.

A great taster into how maths is taught there. The children really enjoyed it and were very engaged. Thank you Mr Fessey!





Half Term Activity Camp

Monday 28th Oct – Friday 1st November

Prices Starting
From **£25.00 PER DAY**

Bookings: prostars.ipalbookings.com

Ashfield Park
Primary School
(ROW)

St White's
Primary
(Cinderford)

Primrose Hill
Primary (Lydney)

Naunton Park
Primary School
(Cheltenham)

Berry Hill
Primary School
(Coleford)

Picklenash
Junior School
(Newent)

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Diary Dates

October

- Thursday 17th October - Parents' evening
- Gymnastics - Y3
- Friday 18th October - Year 3/4 football tournament
- Progressive sports - taster day - whole school P.E kit
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*******HALF TERM*******

November

- Tuesday 5th Nov - Swimming - Y5/6
- Thursday 7th Nov - EYFS height/vision screening. Y6 weight screening
- Friday 8th Nov - Non-uniform day in exchange for a chocolate donation