

Welcome to this edition of the digital newsletter.

Attendance

Attendance this week has been **89%** based on pupils currently attending.

If your child is currently attending school, but is unwell, please phone and let us know as soon as possible. Thank you.

Social Distancing

We are following the guidance from the Government and local authority to keep everyone as safe as possible. Please ensure you are following the guidance as a family in the home and community to keep everyone as safe as possible.

Summer Reading Challenge

The Summer Reading Challenge is back with Silly Squad! It's time for this year's Summer Reading Challenge, and for 2020 it's all about funny books, happiness and having a laugh! Join the Silly Squad Take the challenge. Get rewards, play games and earn badges as you discover awesome books to read this summer!

Follow the link:

<https://summerreadingchallenge.org.uk/>

Please see the school website for additional reading resources:

<https://www.newbolsover.derbyshire.sch.uk/home-learning/home-learning-english>

Start & finish times

Thank you for following the timetable which supports social distancing.

Year	Arrive	Collect
R new starters	9.00am	12.00pm
R	9.15am	3.10pm
1	8.45am	3.20pm
2	8.55am	3.15pm
3	8.55am	3.15pm
4	9.05am	3.25pm
5	9.05am	3.25pm
6	9.00am	3.25pm

DfE Guidance

The Government updated their guidance for parents this week which can be found here:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/what-parents-and-carers-need-to-know-about-early-years-providers-schools-and-colleges-during-the-coronavirus-covid-19-outbreak/what-parents-and-carers-need-to-know-about-early-years-providers-schools-and-colleges-during-the-coronavirus-covid-19-outbreak#uniform>

Further guidance for schools was published yesterday. We look forward to sharing more details with you before the end of term and welcoming all pupils back at school in September.

Busy Bees

The children in Mrs Holland's bubble have really been working hard this week and they have been completing addition, subtraction, multiplication and division problems and showing a good understanding of a working method. They have also been extending their vocabulary by describing an old abandoned house and will be working on using this in their own story following the guidelines of Winnie the Witch.

Mr Langbein's & Mr Thompson's Bubbles

This week our bubbles have been learning about division and multiplication in maths. We have learnt to group and share objects and have continued to practice counting in 2's 5's and 10's. The children have been programming objects using a programming app and have learnt about different materials. We have enjoyed finding out how different materials and textures affect the speed and distance that cars travel down ramps.



In the Reception bubbles we have been learning about wishes and writing our own poems about what we would wish for. We then made our wishes come true using lots of different resources.



Being a superhero
'Mr Bubbleman'

Becoming a giant on a
giant bed.



I wish I cud bee
a princess.
I wish I cud hav
a boutique.
I wish It was
crisms.
I wish I cud
surf.

We painted ourselves as superheroes. Can you tell who we are?



This week the Reception Starters have been learning all about Jack and the Beanstalk. They have planted beans, gone on a giant hunt and created their own model beanstalks.



Miss Wigmore's Bubble

This week in Science, we have been looking at animal adaptations. We looked at lots of different birds to see how they have adapted to survive in specific environments. We then designed and made our own birds.

