



## Value of the Month 'Tolerance'

## Message from the Head



### William Austin Wizards

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| South America | Ali        | Haniya   |
| Asia          | Safaan     | Jameela  |
| Europe        | Yusuf      | Zainab   |
| Africa        | Rayaan     | Ramsha   |
| North America | Hassan     | Eknoor   |
| Hokusai       | Hashim     | A'ishah  |
| Baker         | Ibraheem   | Zoya     |
| Hadid         | Yusuf H    | Esha     |
| Hepworth      | Yunus      | Aamilah  |
| Van Gogh      | Asim       | Haleema  |
| Mars          | Salahuddin | Inayah   |
| Venus         | Issa       | Hafsa    |
| Neptune       | Nawaz      | Sumaya   |
| Jupiter       | Hasan Q    | Labaik   |
| Saturn        | Ayaan      | Haram    |
| Goodall       | Emal       | Safia    |
| Curie         | Bilal      | Rizza    |
| Hawking       | Taha       | Alisha   |
| Jemison       | Ayaan      | Summayah |
| Johnson       | Talha      | Safa     |

Dear families

It was lovely to have the pupils back to school after the half term break. They started the term with Citizenship Day where they focused on our school values, our golden rules, antibullying and CVs. All pupils have a CV where they record their achievements throughout the half term. They get to take them home at the end of the summer term to share with you and it's a lovely record of all they have taken part in and achieved throughout the year.

Our open evening was really well attended - it was great to be able to see so many parents. I know that the teachers were really pleased to be able to share with you how your child is getting on. I hope the report the pupils took home helps you see your child's strengths and next steps in reading, writing and maths.

Some of our pupils took part in the Luton Town Table Tennis Tournament that we hosted on Thursday. I am pleased to say the girls came in 3rd place and the boys team have reached quarter finals. Thank you to Mr Britten and Mr Osborne for organising it.

We held our remembrance assemblies this afternoon where the choir sang Remember and Mrs Slater played the Last Post on her flute. The senior prefects read prayers and poems and the whole school sang Fields of Poppies. We held a minute's silence at 11:00 along with the rest of the country and again in our assemblies later in the day. Thank you to all parents who sent money in for the poppy collection - we sold out of many items well before today. I look forward to hearing how much we have raised.

We are marking the start of antibullying week with Odd Socks Day - reminding us that we are all different.

Finally, I am pleased to welcome back Mrs Begum and Mrs Zerva who have both returned from their maternity leave.

Enjoy your weekend.

Mrs Adams

#### Attendance

The class with the highest attendance is::



**Baker 97.1%**



#### Cool Website

In Year 4 this week, pupils have been enjoying composing their own music online. Everyone has enjoyed being able to make music without a single instrument. And there are many websites out there for making music and playing virtual instruments. Two of my favourites are the [virtual piano](#) and this [virtual drum kit](#). Have fun creating some amazing tunes.

#### Author of the Month - David Walliams

1. David's real name is David Edward Williams, he changed his name when he became an actor.
2. Some of David's books have been adapted to TV shows and musicals, including Mr. Stink and The Boy in the Dress.
3. David has swum across the English channel to raise money for charity.



Please make sure you keep your dinner money account topped up.

The price is £12 per week.

#### Upcoming Events:

15.11.2022- Flu vaccinations- All Years

18.11.2022 -St Albans Cathedral visit- Hokusai and Hepworth classes

### FAMILY CENTRE NEWS

Dear Families,

We hope you are all well and wrapping up on these cold dark winter mornings. Its great to see so many parents making an effort to get their child/ children to school on time, late calls to parents are reducing! Just to remind you if your child is late then please go with them to the school office to explain why they are late. This is a school requirement and also part of our safeguarding policy.

#### Breakfast Club

Every morning from 8:00am. There is no need to pre-book as we have spaces just give us a call should you wish your child to attend and for more information.

#### High School Applications

**Well done Y6 parents!** All applications completed on time. Should you need any support regarding your child's High School place then please contact LBC Admissions Team not Family Workers.

#### Family Panto - Library Theatre

Join us with your families to watch, the Griffin Players perform their traditional family pantomime. There'll be singing, dancing, bad jokes (oh yes there will!)



Saturday 10th December at 11:00am

Tickets are £11 per person

If interested please give us a call tickets are limited.

#### Makeup Course -Thursdays 1:30pm — 3:30pm

Starting Thursday 17th November for 10 weeks, £40. Places are still available should you wish to attend. Please give us a call., sorry we do not have a creche therefore children are unable to attend with you.

STAY SAFE, WASH HANDS and KEEP YOUR DISTANCE  
Please call 01582 509121 for support, advice or information



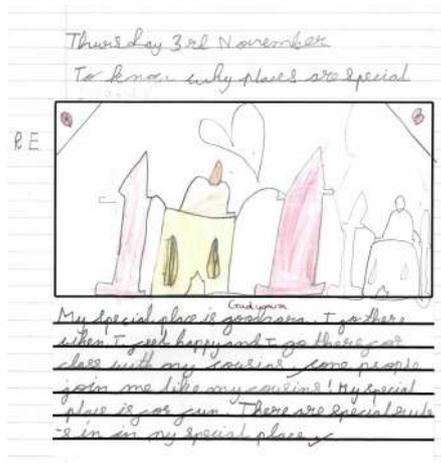
Take a look at this week's

# Wow Work!

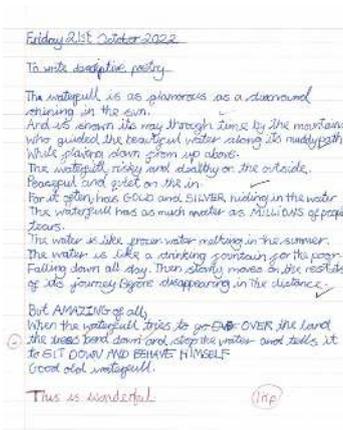
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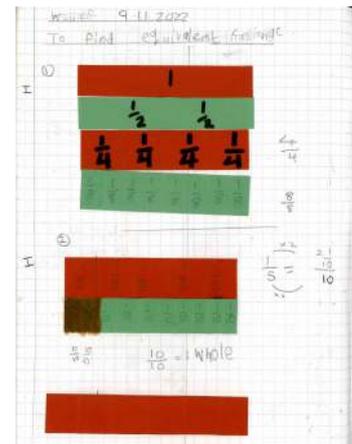
Eknoor  
(North America)



Zayna (Van Gogh)



Issa (Venus)



## Music- Mrs Slater

In music this year we have many activities planned for the children to enjoy! This term Year 5 have been very creative writing their own raps. In Year 3 the children are beginning to learn and play samba music. Year 4 have been transported to America where they have been playing and writing their own jazz music. Year 6 have been learning about music in the 1920s through to the 1940s to support their history lessons on World War 2.

Singing stars has got off to a great start with many of the children in school attending and enjoying rehearsals. In January the children are going to perform at Wembley as part of the Young Voices concert which is going to be a fantastic experience! At William Austin Juniors, we are also proud to offer the children with the opportunity of learning the guitar. Guitar lessons are on a Thursday during school time and taught by a professional musician. If your child is interested in learning the guitar please come and speak to Mrs Slater who will pass on your contact details to Luton Music Service.

### Year 3

It has been a fantastic week in Year 3. In English, we have started writing tales of fear and the children have really enjoyed gathering lots of vocabulary to make their stories scary. In Maths, we have continued to work on the column method for addition and subtraction and all the teachers have been very impressed with how confident the children have become. It has also been lovely to see lots more children playing TTRS this week and are becoming more confident with their times tables. Please remember all the children need to play daily as part of their homework.

Miss Thingsaker & the Year 3 team

### Year 4

Year 4 have created some incredible 3D instruments from recycled materials, to go along with their science learning of 'sound' this half term. In English, we have started suspense stories and children have begun to learn all the techniques to create fear. In Maths, we have continued with area learning as well as begun our multiplications unit. It has also been lovely to see lots of children competing in TTRS battles this week and are becoming more confident with their times tables. Please remember all the children need to play 10 minutes daily as part of their homework. Thank you for your continued support in reading and with TTRS.

Mr Patel and the Year 4 team

### Year 5

Year 5 have made a great start to their new learning this week. In maths, we're at the end of our multiplication and division unit and will be moving onto fractions very soon. In English, we have started work on non-chronological reports and have linked our learning to JK Rowling's Fantastic Beasts. Be sure to ask the children about our mysterious visitor from the Spiderwick Chronicles! In year 5, the children are expected to read every evening for at least 10 minutes. In addition to this, they have all been set 10 minutes of daily 'Garage' timetable sessions on Time Tables Rock Stars. This will enable them to practise daily and ensure they are learning their times tables. Please do encourage your child to play. Thank you for your support.

Mrs Hussain and the Year 5 Team

### Year 6

Year 6 children created some stunning WWII projects and some children had the opportunity to share them in our assembly. In maths, they have been working hard to represent, convert and simplify fractions and are going to be using all four operations to calculate with! In science, we've been learning about static electricity and experimenting with different components in series circuits. Thank you for supporting children with their homework and your continued support in developing their reading at home.

Mr Gilligan and the Year 6 team.

Author Guy Bass will be visiting our school on the  
21st November.

Please pre-order your books to ensure you get  
them signed on the day.

Last chance for orders is **Friday 11th November.**

If you do not have an order form then bring in the  
money in a named envelope with the book title also  
named.

We cannot guarantee that book orders made after  
this day will arrive in time to be signed.

Thank you.



## WHO IS THIS GUY?

Guy is an award-winning author whose children's books series include *Stitch Head*, *Skeleton Keys*, *Spynosaur* and *Dinkin Dings*. In 2010 *Dinkin Dings and the Frightening Things* won the Blue Peter Award for Most Fun Book with Pictures.

Guy has also written plays for both adults and children. He has previously been a theatre producer, illustrator, temp, gerbil whisperer and has acted his way out of several paper bags.

Guy spent his childhood reading comics and hoping one day to become a superhero. He spends his adulthood in more or less the same way.

Guy lives in London with his wife and *Imaginary friends!*

