



Great Bradfords

INFANT AND NURSERY SCHOOL

Headteacher: Mrs Anita Easton

Celebration Awards Friday 24th January 2020

Jet	Grace, Beth
Topaz	Jamie, Lola
Amethyst	Macey, Ella
Opal	Margaret, Sophie
Diamond	Aryana, Rose
Sapphire	Freddie, Maja
Emerald	William
Ruby	Brody
Moonstone	Lucas

English and Maths, Emotional Wellbeing, E-Safety and First Aid, and others. For more information visit the [ACL](#) website.

PTFA PJ & Popcorn Night

The film for the PTFA PJ & Popcorn night is Toy Story 4. Please complete slips and return to the office with £2.50 per child by Monday 3rd February. The PJ & popcorn night is on Thursday 6th February. Parents/carers should bring children to their classes for 5.00pm and collect from class at 7.00pm sharp.

Pirates Everywhere



"We are dressed up as pirates because we have trained to be a pirate to join Redbeard's crew. We are going to explore the world and sail the ocean's dagger.

Redbeard wants us to join his ship. We are so excited to be a member. We are going to celebrate being a pirate this afternoon." Sienna and Amber (Topaz).

Free Learning Workshops

Essex County Council are offering free workshops and courses for parents to help improve parental engagement. These cover a range of subjects from

New Email Address

From the 31st January the school's email address will be changing to admin@gbins.co.uk The website address will also change to www.gbins.co.uk

The newsletter is emailed to you every Friday. If you are not receiving school emails, please contact the office as we may have an incorrect email address for you.

Writing Celebration Wall

The display in the library celebrates children's effort and achievement in writing across the school. Please feel free to pop in to the library to read the selected pieces of writing.

The chosen writing belongs to: Lara (Jet), Marianna (Amethyst), Genevieve (Topaz), George H (Opal), Aryana (Diamond), Leah (Sapphire), Emilie (Emerald), Julia (Ruby) and



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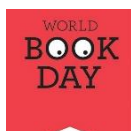
Laurenza (Moonstone). Well done everyone.

Easimaths Champs

Every week we have decided to award a certificate for the weekly highest scorers on Easimaths. The top scorer from year 1 and the top scorer from year 2 will receive a certificate in assembly each week. The first two winners to start us off are: Lukas in Amethyst with 5330 points and Oscar in Opal with 2955 points.

World Book Day

We thought we would give you lots of time to prepare for World Book Day on Thursday 5th March. As always we will be inviting children to come to school dressed as their favourite book character.



After School Reading

Please come and support your child's reading in class. **The new days are as follows:**

Reception: Every day

Year 1: Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday

Year 2: Tuesday, Thursday, Friday

All sessions run from 2.55pm until 3.15pm. We hope you will be able to join us.



Attendance and Punctuality

Well done to Amethyst class for the best attendance of 97.9%. The class with 100% punctuality was Jet.



Tidy Classroom

Jet class won the award for tidy classroom this week. Well done.



Family Support

Sharon's drop-in sessions are from 8.30-9.15am on:

Monday 10th February

Monday 9th March

Monday 20th April

Monday 11th May

Monday 8th June

Monday 6th July

Diary Dates

28.1.20	Sapphire class visit Braintree library	12.30-2.45pm
28.1.20	PTFA Meeting in infants	7.00-8.00pm
29.1.20	Opal class visit Braintree library	12.30-2.45pm
30.1.20	Nick Butterworth visiting school	AM
30.1.20	Diamond class visit Braintree library	12.30-2.45pm
31.1.20	Emerald class assembly – parents & carers welcome	9.10-9.40am
3.2.20	Year 1 Dinosaur Workshop	Day
6.2.20	PTFA PJ & Popcorn night	5.00-7.00pm
12.2.20 & 13.2.20	Parent/carers consultations for Years 1 & 2	3.30-6.30pm
14.2.20	Sapphire class assembly – parents & carers welcome	9.10-9.40am
17.2.20 to 21.2.20		
Half Term		

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24.2.20	Non-Pupil Day	Day
25.2.20	Back to school	8.45am
5.3.20	World Book Day	Day
5.3.20	Governor Curriculum meeting	7.00pm
6.3.20	Jet class assembly – parents & carers welcome	9.10-9.40am
21.3.20	PTFA Easter Egg Hunt	11.00-1.00pm
31.3.20	Reception Dress Rehearsal	9.30am
1.4.20 & 2.4.20	Reception Performance for parents & carers	2.15-2.45pm
3.4.20	Break Up Easter Holidays	3.00pm
20.4.20	Back to School	8.45am

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