



Monkfrith Newsletter

Summer 2020: 11



Today we welcome back some of Year 6 for their final week at Monkfrith. Whilst it is an unusual ending to their time at primary school, I know they are going to have a great week. I am including some photos I found of them in when they were in Reception.

September

We had lots of guidance published about schools in September. The belief of Government is that it is possible for schools to reopen to all pupils, which is fantastic! Schools now need to write a detailed risk assessment to make this happen, which I am currently working on. As soon as I am in a position to share this with you, I will.

It will include:

- Use of different entrances for pick up and drop off
- The staggering of break times and lunchtimes to reduce the contact between

different groups of children

- Not having any large gatherings of children from different year groups (such as assemblies or concerts)
- Increased handwashing and other hygiene measures
- A commitment from the whole school community to engage with the NHS Test and Trace process.

I am very hopeful that we will be able to operate breakfast club and after school club although there may be some changes to the booking and cancellation process.

Last Wednesday I sent an email asking that if any parent feels their child will not be able to return in September due to shielding, to get in contact. Thank you to those parents who have. If you have not, but feel this may be an issue for your family, please get in touch via the Office.

Just a reminder that we are back on Wednesday 2nd September to start the Autumn Term.

If you have a child joining in Reception, you will receive a separate email with information about starting dates and times.

You will receive a New Teacher Special Newsletter later this week...

School Reading Books

Thank you to those of you who have returned readings books. If you have any school books at home, it would really help us to have them before the Summer Holidays so we can sort everything out ready for reading in September.

FOMS

Last week we had our last FOMS Trustee meeting of the year. We reflected on the year we have had and began looking forward to how we can develop the vital work of FOMS in the Autumn Term with the inevitable limitations of COVID.



At this meeting, Morgan announced her intention to resign as Chair of the FOMS Committee and to step down as a FOMS Trustee. Morgan has done a FANTASTIC job as Chair over the last three years. She has been incredibly supportive of school and dedicated hours and hours to organising events that have raised so much money to enrich the experiences of our children. I hope you will join me in a huge THANK YOU!

I know Morgan has every confidence in the rest of the Committee who are very active and supportive. There is now a vacancy for a Chair of FOMS. If you are interested, please get in touch either with a member of the Committee directly or via school.

Home Learning

This week there was a task to create a leaflet about a setting in a story of their choice. **Alfie** in **2K** created his based on The Faraway Tree. It is fantastic! Miss Kontos and I were really impressed!

I love getting emails telling me what books children have been reading. This morning I got an email from **Shrina** in **2D** who has finished her 20 books for 2020. There were some fantastic books on her list. Well done Shrina!

Black Lives Matters

This week we received information to share with parents about the recent Black Lives Matters protests from Barnet Council which I am sending out alongside this email.





Times Tables Rockstars

(for the last 7 days)

We are currently 21st in the Nearby School Leaderboard.... very very slowly creeping up!

Class	% of active players	Average Speed	Accuracy
5D	52 ↓	2.9 ↑	94%
5F	41 ↓	2.58 ↑	91% ↓
3P	74 ↓	2.6 ↑	94% ↑
3B	64 ↓	3.81 ↓	96%
4P	42 ↓	1.25 ↓	95% ↓
4B	53 ↓	2.3 ↓	94% ↑
6D	10 ↓	3.1 ↓	91%
2K	16 ↓	4.5 ↓	92% ↑
2D	20 ↓	3.3 ↓	93% ↑

Class	Most improved accuracy in the last 7 days
3B	Beth
3P	Alexa
4B	Josh
4P	No-one improved this week
5D	Alexandria
5F	Mia
6D	Violet

Most improved Studio Speed in the last 7 days	Most Coins in the last 7 days	Most correct answers in the last 7 days
Elina (3P)	Halil (3P)	Halil (3P)
Ayana (5F)	Kacper (3B)	Yusuf (4B)
Eefah (5D)	Dillon (5F)	Kacper (3B)
Edward (3B)	Ege (3P)	Myren (4P)
Yusuf (4B)	Ayana (5F)	Dillon (5F)
Daania (5D)	Reece (3P)	Shriya (5D)
Ben (4B)	Connor (3B)	Abi (5D)
Milin (3P)	Myren (4P)	Talia (3B)
Rosa (4B)	Yusuf (4B)	Ayana (5F)
Talia (3B)	Beau (3B)	Daania (5D)
Mia (5D)	Zara (3P)	Ege (3P)
Alex (5F)	Lemoni (5F)	Mia (5D)

NUMBOTS

(for the last 7 days)

Most correct answers in the last 7 days	Most games completed in the last 7 days	Levels passed with 3 stars in the last 7 days
Josh (Oak) Kamren (Oak) Ipek (1C) Jaiden (1C) Saaiyuri (1C) Nina (1K) Philip (Oak) Zarin (Willow) Ruby (1C) Bronwyn (1C)	Josh (Oak) Ipek (1C) Kamren (Oak) Jaiden (1C) Nina (1K) Saaiyuri (1C) Heidi (1C) Elizabeth (1K) Zarin (Willow) Lilly (Oak)	Zack (2D) Lillya (1K) Dhruv (Oak) Philip (Oak) Mikey (Oak) Astrid (1K) Ruby (1C) Lilly (Oak) Naomi (1C) Gaby (Willow)