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NEWSLETTER

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WHOLE SCHOOL

ATTENDANCE FOR THIS WEEK WAS

**EAD TEACHER'S IGHLIGHTS** 

95.3%

unctuality - lost learning - 1hour 23 mins

Dear Parents and Carers

Our work on Autumn has continued this week, with Class 1 making an apple crumble using the apples we grew at the front of school. They have also been painting pictures using leaves and looking at Autumn colours.

On Wednesday I joined Year 1 on their Forest School visit. Whilst there we did an Autumn Walk with Natasha, our leader, looking at the different colours, shapes and objects that we could find that tells us it's Autumn. We then moved into the forest where the children made Autumn crowns using the objects they'd found. Lots of children then chose to dig and made a fantastic muddy puddle! It was a great morning.

Class 2 have had a real focus on computing this week, using the iPads and Beebots, exploring directions and giving instructions. Have a look at the photos below.

Finally, here are a couple of notices for you and a reminder that next Friday is a non-uniform day. The Friends of Church Aston Infant School are asking that children bring in some chocolate ready for a chocolate raffle at Christmas.

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Have a wonderful weekend.

Mrs Sarah Pitt

#### Harvest

We are celebrating Harvest slightly late this year. Unfortunately, St Andrew's Church doesn't currently have a vicar and so we will do an assembly in school for the children. St Andrew's are collecting for the local food bank, and so if you would like to contribute, please bring your non-perishable food donations into school by next Friday. We will ensure it gets to the church safely.



#### Book Sale

Next Friday, Year 2 and the Friends of Church Aston Infant School are holding a book sale at the end of the school day. Please support them to raise money towards the Christmas Disco.

Next Wednesday 23rd Reception will go to Forest School.



#### Class 1





We made an apple crumble using the apples from our Apple Tree.

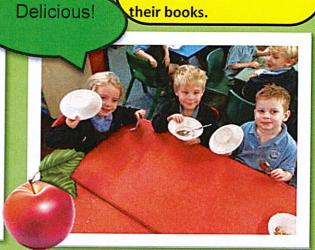
#### IMPORTANT



Please can you ensure that your child has their reading books and reading diary in their book bags every day to enable us to hear them read in school and change their books.







#### Class 2



We used i-pads to programme and move objects in a variety of directions.

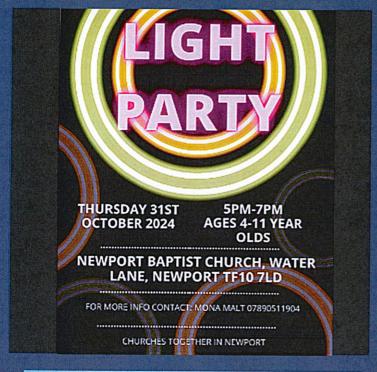






We programmed the Bee-bots to move in different directions.







#### SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPHS

6th November - School Photographs— Siblings at 8.30am. All children will have an individual photograph taken and a photograph taken with their class and any other groups they are part of e.g. school council. Proofs will be sent home once available so that you can order individual and/or group photo's that your child is part of if you would like to. Orders are online only. We ask for consent for school photographs as part of our admissions process. If you wish to review consents you have provided, or have any concerns or questions, please contact Mrs Reynolds in the school office, thank you. If you would like a sibling to have their photograph taken with your child please arrive at 8:30am.

#### **SCHOOL ADMISSIONS**

The online admissions application process is now available on the <u>Telford & Wrekin</u> <u>website</u>

The following deadlines apply this year:

- Applying for Reception Year school places to start in September 2025 (starting school for the first time) – closing date
   15th January 2025
- Applying for Infant to Junior school (Year 2 into Year 3) places to start in September 2025 (current Year 2 pupils) – closing date 15th January 2025

If a child has an Education, Health & Care Plan the closing date is 31st October 2024 for all applications.

### IMPORTANT DATES

**Wednesday 23rd October** - Year R Forest School

Friday 25th October—Last Day of Autumn 1 Term—Non-Uniform Day bring chocolate

Monday 4th November - Back to School

**Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> November** - School Photographs— Siblings at 8.30am. *(see notes opposite)* 

**Tuesday** 12th November—Parent Teacher meetings—from 1pm—6pm appointment sheets will be with your Class Teacher from 21<sup>st</sup> October – please see them to make an appointment.

**Wednesday** 13<sup>th</sup> **November** – Whole school trip to Stafford Castle, letters have been sent home, please return your consents as soon as possible, thank you.

**Friday 15th November**—Children in Need—more information to follow



## Celebracing Sacces REWARDS OF THE WEEK

Well done to all the children that received an award for Marvellous Mathematician, Wonderful Writer, Hand Writer of the week, Reader of the Week or Breakfast Club Superstar. Keep up the hard work.



STAR OF THE WEEK



Class 1 Stars



STAR OF THE WEEK



Class 2 Stars

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