

Newsletter

Friday 12th October 2018 No.3

REAL SCIENCE!







Year 6 have been enjoying a great deal of hands-on, engaging Science over the past few weeks. They have been learning about different organs within the body and functions that they serve. To help make learning about the heart more realistic, Year 6 spent time exploring and dissecting lambs hearts and learning about the different sections that make it up.

In addition to this, pupils learnt about the lungs and the important function they play in oxygenating our blood. As part of their learning, pupils made their very own lungs using plastic bottles and balloons!

It has been wonderful to hear from the pupils about how much they have enjoyed this type of Science and the amount they have learnt.

FREE SCHOOL LUNCHES



A reminder to all parents and carers of pupils in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2, that your child is entitled to a free school lunch **every day**. If you have not already signed your child up for one, please drop in and speak with the office staff who can add your child to the register.



WORKSHOPS FOR PARENTS AND CARERS

Reading Workshops for Year 3, Year 4, Year 5 and Year 6: Wednesday 17th October

English Leader, Ms. Williams, will be hosting two workshops for parents and carers of children in KS2 at **9am and 4.30pm.** She will provide guidance on supporting your child with reading at home and further information about guided reading in school.



Teaching First Aid in School

People who listen to Radio 2 of a morning may have heard Chris Evans discussing the need for more First Aid Training to take place in school as part of the curriculum. This is a view shared by the staff at Barlows and over the past few weeks, our Year 6 pupils have been taking part in First Aid workshops. During their sessions, pupils learnt about making an emergency call, the recovery position, first aid kits, minor and severe burning and the effects of poisons. Pupils saw the benefits of having some knowledge around first aid in case they should need to help someone in the future.







PARENT/CARER **MEETINGS**



Our first parent/carer meetings with the class teacher will be taking place during the week commencing Monday 10th December. Specific dates, times and details on how to book will be sent out closer to the time.



WATER BOTTLES

A reminder to please provide your child with a bottle of water each day. We strongly recommend that the water bottle is clearly marked with their name. Please note that the bottle should **only contain water** and not fruit cordial or fizzy drinks.

JUMPERS AND NAME LABELS

It has come to our attention that some uniform providers are offering to embroid children's names on the back of the school jumper where it is visible to all. We ask that you do not have this done as it allows stangers to call your child by name and can present a safeguarding risk. Please continue to put your child's name on the inside of the jumper.



APPLY NOW | Secondary School Applications

A reminder to all year 6 parents that the closing date for Secondary School applications is on the 31st October 2018.

Secondary school applications are completed online and can be found at the web address below.

liverpool.gov.uk/schools-and-learning/school-admissions/how-to-apply/



Have an enjoyable weekend