



News Update

Summer Term 55—Week 4

14th May 2021

Diary Dates

Pyjamarama	21st May
Half Term	31st May—4th June
Inset Day	7th June

Recognition Awards

Year R: Maxwell D, Kiera P, Jemimah F, Itanife W, Cleo B, Sehrish C.

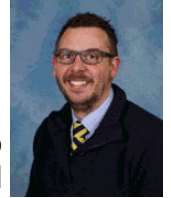
Year 1: Keirt B, Anaika P, Ruby E, Ilori W, James F.

Year 2: Archie B, Tesh D, All of Rocket with a special mention for Vignesh.

Principal's Post

Dear Parents/Carers,

Firstly, I hope our members of the community who celebrated Eid ul Fitr had a blessed and peaceful day.



This week, I continued to talk to all children at the academy about completing the short survey, as part of 'The 'Big Ask' campaign.

If your child has not already completed this survey, available via this link: <https://www.childrenscommissioner.gov.uk/thebigask> then I strongly encourage you to sit with your child to support them in sharing their views and opinions.

Of course, if accessing the link from home proves tricky, please let the academy know and we will offer support.

I will be working with the Pupil Parliament representatives next week to begin to plan the 'PHIA Big Ask', specific to the children's thoughts of PHIA.

Take care and stay safe,
Mr Tom Jordan—Principal



Please remember to visit the online clubs form for your child's year group if you would like to request a place for the after school activities we have been able to plan for June & July.

Reception: <https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=n2BDxfl2ekuhTmqItMqOnjWaMKacPBZKijanMkCvEDFUNUXPUUs0MTNMVThVNkcwM1JLMzJaVVNMRI4u>

Year 1: <https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=n2BDxfl2ekuhTmqItMqOnjWaMKacPBZKijanMkCvEDFUMEtHVzFTUEpCTENMN0U0ODdSRke2TIFVVS4u>

Year 2: <https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=n2BDxfl2ekuhTmqItMqOnjWaMKacPBZKijanMkCvEDFUQktSUDdGNIhSWUEyUktPQVhVV1ZZQTBNsy4u>

Year 2: <https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=n2BDxfl2ekuhTmqItMqOnjWaMKacPBZKijanMkCvEDFUQktSUDdGNIhSWUEyUktPQVhVV1ZZQTBNsy4u>

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Reading at home:

- Your child will come home with a home reading book up to twice a week.
- Drop boxes remain available on a Monday, Wednesday and Friday only. This is to support the quarantine cycle.
- If your child does not return their book within the week, they will no longer be given a new reading book until their current book is returned. This is to ensure we have enough books in circulation to provide for all our children.

Home reading arrangements will be reviewed at the end of this term and any changes will be sent to parents and carers after half-term.

Thank you for your continued support and understanding.



Deep Sea Artwork

Apollo, Comet and Galaxy classes have been creating their own underwater world in the academy, with some fabulous colourful artwork trying painting, colouring and collage.

Useful academy contacts

General inquiries and attendance:
office@phiacademy.org.uk

SEND provision inquiries:
inclusion@phiacademy.org.uk

Work submission/ teacher contact:
reception@phiacademy.org.uk
year1@phiacademy.org.uk
year2@phiacademy.org.uk

Pyjamarama hits PHIA next Friday.

Remember, coming to class in your pyjamas and paying £1 into the collection pot will help organisers provide bedtime reading books in the hope of enabling every child to have access to a bedtime story!

Please support our charity committee

Seeking lunch inspiration?

We have just added a section to our website which gives some ideas for healthy snacks for lunchboxes—feel free to check it out.

Can we take the opportunity to remind parents that children are provided with fruit as a mid morning snack—free of charge. If you send in an alternative snack for your child please could you stick to healthy options. Sweets and chocolate bars should not be sent into school for day-time snacks.

Uniform Reminder

At PHIA we believe a uniform enables pupils to feel a sense of belonging, to feel secure in their environment and encourages a sense of pride in their appearance. Now we are fully re-opened after lock-down, and shops are now opened, we request all pupils to be in full uniform at all times, unless under exceptional circumstances.

All uniform and PE kit must be clearly named, with the child's first name and surname.

Academy uniform: maroon sweatshirt / cardigan, white polo shirt, grey trousers, shorts, skirt or pinafore dress (not black) and dark grey, black or white socks or dark grey, black or maroon tights. Shoes or trainers should be plain black with no logo. Summer uniform might also include pink and white checked gingham dresses.

PE kit should include: a white T-shirt, maroon shorts and black plimsolls. Dark jogging bottoms/ sweatshirts (without logos) are required for outdoor sessions.

As ever, if you would like to speak to a member of the Senior Leadership Team in supporting you during this period, please do not hesitate in contacting the academy or approaching a member of SLT on the playground. Thank you for your continued support and understanding.

Got any bits of wool or fabric tucked away in drawers or cupboards at home that you are not using? Mrs North is collecting items that could be used for her crafting club projects. If you have any suitable items you would like to donate please contact the office.



After reading all about traditional fairy tales, our Year 2 children have been challenged to design and create their very own Rapunzel towers.

They are really focusing on building exactly what they have drawn as a plan and the results so far have been amazing.

