

# HENLEAZE INFANT SCHOOL BULLETIN 15TH OCTOBER 2021

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To Prime Parents of: 

To School Members: 

 EMAIL



## October 15th Bulletin

### Headteacher update:

Please look out for an important communication regarding local authority and school updates on Covid this afternoon. There has been a temporary change to guidance in this area.

Regardless of the challenges associated with Covid and other winter illnesses this week, life in school has been focused on giving children the best offer we can. There has been much to celebrate with new Reception children now joining some whole-school assemblies and really feeling part of the Infant School fabric, Year 1 making it out for their second educational visit of the year, Year 2 representatives taking part in a sports tournament as well as great learning taking place across the curriculum. (see blogs)

Looking ahead to next term, we are really excited about some of the additional events and enrichment we have planned. Please take a look at the 'Coming Up' section for dates to add to your diaries and take a regular look at the school calendar for updates.

In the city-wide services meetings in the past weeks, there has been much discussion about the offer for children and families with SEND. Due to a national and even steeper local increase in demand for services this year, Bristol is working hard to meet the needs of schools and families. There has been an improvement in the offer of support for families via [SEND YOU-SAY](#) This organisation aims to support families in understanding the SEN services available to them. For information about Bristol's SEN offer and other support services available click [here](#).

Have a good Weekend

### Coming up:

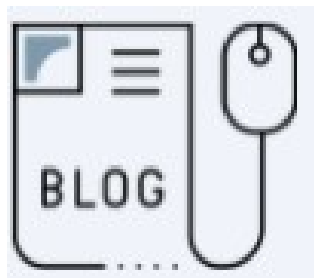
20.10.21 KS1 Curriculum Q&A  
1.11.21 INSET-school closed  
4.11.21 Open morning 9:00-9:45 (face coverings must be worn inside classrooms)  
4.11.21 Reading Ranger meeting 9:45-10:30  
9.11.21 & 13.11.21 Remote Parent's Evenings  
wb 15.11.21 Parent meetings for children on the SEN register  
1.12.21 Choir at Henleaze Bazar  
8&9.12.21 9:30 Reception Nativity (invite according to surname)  
9.12.21 3:00 Carols in the playground  
14.12.21 9:30 Christmas Service in St Peter's church

[Click below for the school calendar](#)



Gemma Fricker

Photos and information about what has been happening in classes, the learning plans as well as important messages from teachers are all found in the class blogs ([click below](#))



### Curriculum Update: PE



The PE curriculum in our school is based on the Jasmin 'Real PE' scheme which incorporates the development 'Fundamental Movement Skills' alongside developing attitudes and behaviours needed to be confident, resilient, independent and resourceful; all essential in sports and great life-skills. In addition to this, we employ Shine Coaches to lead PE sessions and support lunch play, giving our children a breadth of PE experience. This connection to Shine enables us to join in with Shine Sports community tournaments; the first of which was the Year 2 athletics tournament last week. Click [here](#) to see our Year 2 athletes in action and read the sports report outlining their achievements.

### History:

KS1 will be watching a live online storytelling event on 20th October by performer and educator Usifu Jalloh. The event provides an important opportunity to highlight and learn about Black history and heritage, and the way that people of African and Caribbean descent have shaped our nation's story. For more information head to their website [https://www.settlestories.org.uk/whats\\_on/black-history-month-storytelling-screening-for-primary/](https://www.settlestories.org.uk/whats_on/black-history-month-storytelling-screening-for-primary/)

Ella Grant- History and Geography Lead

### Important Messages:

#### Parent Talent Bank!

Thank you to all parents who have volunteered their time and talents. We will contact you as opportunities arise across the year, but want to get started with 'Reading Rangers' next term. We



**Class 4 Mabel**  
**Class 5 Amaya**  
**Class 6 James**  
**Class 7 Ted**  
**Class 8 Herbie**  
**Class 9 Millie**

**Class of the Week: Class 3** for exemplary behaviour around the school; particularly their 5 Star lining up!

**Congratulations everyone!**

To watch a clip of our celebration Assembly today click the Stars of the Week image above.

### FHIS:

**FHIS Fireworks** is back!

Join us for a fun evening with an amazing firework display on Friday 5 November. Tickets will be on sale at school pick up on 15<sup>th</sup>, 20<sup>th</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup> October and 3<sup>rd</sup> of November as well as at selected vendors on Henleaze High Street (details on poster). Payment with card when possible please.



would like to invite those of you who indicated availability to come in regularly to support children with reading to come to an information session after the open morning on **Thursday 4th November at 9:45.**

Click below for information and more news on the FHIS webpage:

### Harvest food donations



Thank you to those who have already sent in contributions. We will continue to collect non-perishable foods via class teachers next week.

To book breakfast club, after school club or sports enrichment click below. To see more enrichment opportunities visit our [extra-curricular clubs page](#).

School's Out Henleaze



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