

A RESIDENTIAL IN SUNNY WALES!

What a fabulous time Year 3 had on their residential trip to Colomendy last week. The children enjoyed a whole host of superb activities like caving, rock climbing, bouldering and the crowd favourite...the 3G swing! The children spoke fondly about the campfires and late night sweetie feasts! Earlier today during our celebration assembly, Miss Styles and the other staff who attended the trip gave out certificates to celebrate those individuals who performed particularly well during the stay. For lots more photographs, please head over to our Flickr feed where we have posted hundreds of snaps of the trip! Lastly, a huge thank you to our dedicated staff who made the trip possible - by giving up their time to ensure our children had the best possible experience!



A VIP Visit from the Director of Children & Young People Services

What a special treat for us all on Friday when the Director of Children and Young People's Services, Steve Reddy, visited our school to congratulate us on our outstanding Ofsted report. He spent time discussing school matters with our Head Boy, Head Girl and their deputies and was shown around our fabulous school by the Head and Governors. It was a really treat and a superb way to cap off another successful week! We think he was impressed with what he saw!

Rice Lane Urban Farm as part of World Animal Day

Last Friday was World Animal Day and to show our support for this, some of our Year 4 children enjoyed an enrichment trip to Rice Lane farm. The children met all of the usual farm animals, as well as a Chinese duck, some rabbits and a host of beautiful white doves. Everybody's favourite animal by far was Pumpkin the African pygmy goat. The children spent quite a while laughing as Pumpkin played with her football. After that the children walked around the fields of the nearby cemetery where they met more animals, and also came across the grave of the author Robert Tressell (Ragged Trousered Philanthropist).

Bringing Black History Month Alive!

As part of Black History Month, Year 5 have been writing their own inspirational speeches and to enhance their understanding of this topic some of them took a trip to the International Slavery Museum at the Albert Dock. The children were able to see lots of different African crafts and artefacts. They also saw some original documents from the slaving ships from hundreds of years ago. All of the children learnt new facts to take back to school and share with the rest of their classes. They were all very surprised to learn about how big a part our city played in transporting slaves.

Important Safeguarding Update for Parents and Carers!

Just to let all parents/carers know...updated copies of the Department for Education's new Keeping Children Safe in Education and our new Child Protection policy are now available on the school website. We have also placed a QR code in the parent noticeboard for those technology savvy parents to access these documents quickly - please check them out! Keeping our children safe is our number one priority!

Look at what else we've been up to this week! That's what we are all about at Florence Melly - creating memorable learning experiences for our children. Head over to our Twitter feed for more details.



WHAT'S NEW ON THE WEBSITE

The photos of Year 3 at Colomendy now on our Flickr feed. They're AMAZING!

Our Draft Child Protection Policy 2019/20.

Hundreds of new photos on our Flickr feed.

www.florencemelly.org

Please follow us on Twitter!

Our feed is where we celebrate the wonderful learning opportunities we provide for our pupils everyday!

@flomellynews

KEY DATES

14/10/19

L6 Centre Special Assembly in aid of Operation Christmas Child

15/10/19

School Photo Day with Posh Prints (16/10/19 to finish off)

21/10/19

Cross Country Competition at Clarke's Gardens

25/10/19

The Children Finish for the Half-Term Holidays

26/10/19

Florence Melly Reunion at Frames Snooker Club 8:00pm start

ATTENDANCE MATTERS

AT FLORENCE MELLY COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL

WEEK 6
11/10/19

It is really important that each child reaches our school attendance target of 97%.
Please make sure your child is in school and on time everyday!



**THIS WEEK'S
EYFS WINNER**

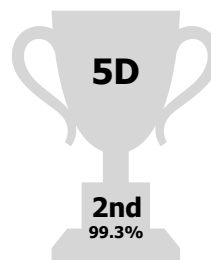


**THIS WEEK'S
KS1 WINNER**



**THIS WEEK'S
KS2 WINNER**

CLASS AWARDS



The winning classes will receive an additional playtime next week as a reward. Well done to 6S who had 100% attendance!

**OUR WHOLE-SCHOOL
ATTENDANCE FIGURE FOR THIS WEEK**

95.1%

**THE NUMBER OF CHILDREN WITH
100% ATTENDANCE THIS WEEK** **358**

WEEK 6 Results

RL	VS	6B
98.6%		98.0%
5W	VS	6S
96.2%		100%
4B	VS	5D
97.8%		100%
3M	VS	6F
95.7%		95.0%
2B	VS	2D
98.5%		96.4%
1M	VS	1B
92.5%		94.0%
RD	VS	4M
95.1%		98.2%
3S	Bye Fixture	
97.9%		

Florence Melly Community Primary School Attendance League Table WEEK 6

Position	Class	Games Played	Wins	Draws	Loses	Bonus Points	Form	Total Points
1	5D	6	5	0	1	30	W L W W W	46
2	4M	6	4	1	1	24	W W W L(B) W	39
3	6B	6	2	2	2	25	L W D W L	37
=	2B	6	2	2	2	25	L W D L W	37
=	3S	6	5	1	0	22	D W W W W(B)	37
6	6S	6	3	0	3	17	L L W W W	29
7	2D	6	4	0	2	14	W W(B) L W L	28
8	RL	6	2	1	3	15	W L L L W	26
9	3M	6	4	1	1	10	W W W L W	25
10	RD	6	1	1	4	12	W L L L L	21
11	6F	6	3	0	3	8	D W L W L	20
12	1B	6	1	1	4	8	L L L L W	17
13	5W	6	3	0	3	3	W W L W L	15
14	1M	6	0	1	5	7	L L L L L	14
15	4B	6	1	0	5	5	L L W L L	13

WEEK 7 Fixture List

RL	VS	6S
6B	VS	5D
5W	VS	6F
4B	VS	2D
3M	VS	1B
2B	VS	4M
1M	VS	3S
RD	Bye Fixture	

HERE TO HELP!

If you have any questions about your child's attendance, please see Mr Doyle (our Attendance Lead).

