



Ashburnham Community School



Children in Year 4, 5, 6 have been enjoying developing their cycling skills all week with qualified trainers from BikeWorks.



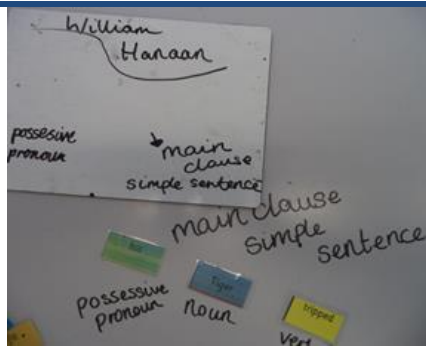
Yr2 with the QPR football schools project



The towers looking beautiful on these crisp, cold mornings!



Children in Nursery have been making playdough by themselves.



Yr6 working on their grammar.



Y4 make a smash in Whitstable

Next Week:

Tuesday	Parent Gym 9-11am
Thursday	Shining Stars 9am KS1 and KS2 Reading workshop 2.45pm

Open morning school tour for prospective parents: 8.12.16

If you know of anyone interested in enrolling a child in our Reception Class in 2017, we have our next open morning school tour at 9.15am, December 8th. The deadline is January 15th. If children currently attend our nursery, they still need to apply through the borough.

Heading East

Continuing our work on the Shanghai approach to Mastery in maths, Mr East flies East on Saturday to Shanghai for two weeks of ~~fun~~ hard work. He will be visiting schools and working alongside expert teachers. We look forward to the Shanghai teachers coming back to teach here for two weeks in January.



Year One Showcase

Many thanks to all the Yr1 parents and carers who came to the Yr1 Showcase; a very well-attended and celebratory opportunity to show off the great learning going on.

Ashburnham (nearly) Christmas Disco – 30th November

The ever popular DJ Dan will be returning with his snow machine for the Christmas Disco after school on Wednesday 30th November. This event is run by the parents' association and we would like to invite parents to come to a quick meeting on Friday 11th November at 9.00am in the school dining area if you would like to volunteer to help at the event.



Near the end of term, there will also be Santa, Christmas lunch extravaganza, and end of term parties in classes.

Whitstable Year 4 Trip

Once again our Yr4 class has gone to Whitstable in Kent to learn about a seaside environment and to find out about the great work of the RNLI.



Firework Safety

Remember the Fireworks Code this weekend. Have fun, safely. Keep pets indoors. No fireworks to be used by under 18s. Sparklers only for over 5's. Don't approach fireworks, even when they appear to be out. Wear gloves with sparklers.

Bishop's Park display is Friday 4th (ticketed event).



Staff training

This week the staff had training from Mr Brown on speaking and listening.

Educational news

The world's most oversubscribed school? The VidyaGyan Leadership Academy in India offers 200 places, but has... 250,000 applications!

Stars of the week: This week the Stars get to help out in Nursery during the week:

Nursery: Radwa; **Reception:** Hamzah; **Yr1:** Yusuf; **Yr2:** Isiah;

Yr3: Miguel; **Yr4:** Marwan; **Yr5:** Liam; **Yr6:** Luke

Mr Garcia's Sports Award: Aryana in Year 3

Mrs Dormer's manners award: Justin Yr2

Ms Blackshaw's Reading Award: Zayn in Y3