

# SNAPSHOTS OF THE WEEK



Week: 2nd to 6th January 2023

## PE Fitness Week

This week in PE we have had a Fitness Week. All children have completed the Cross Country course and, although the weather has not been on our side, the children have shown great enthusiasm and resilience! The children have also been exploring fitness circuits, looking at RPE (rate of perceived exhaustion) and personal challenge, and we have been so impressed with their can-do attitudes within this. A great start to the New Year!

## RISE Awards

This week we awarded RISE awards to children in KS2 for their efforts in the Autumn term. These awards are for those students who have shown a positive attitude to learning, resilience and values such as respect and integrity. On Monday, we will award RISE awards to KS3 children and there will be a celebration breakfast on Tuesday morning for these students to attend. Please find photos of the students who have achieved RISE awards to the right of this text.

## Eco Tip

Energy-saving light bulbs last up to 12 times as much as traditional bulbs, providing the same amount of light quality for much less energy. 80% of the energy used to power traditional bulbs is lost in heating energy, whereas LED light bulbs run at 80-90% energy efficiency. According to the Energy Saving Trust, they can reduce your carbon emissions by up to 40kg a year.



## Year 6 - Innovation and Invention - Electrical Circuits

In Year 6 we have been working on our Innovation and Invention topic, which looks at various aspects of science, design and technology. Before Christmas, we completed some investigative work on electric circuits, exploring how different variables can affect a circuit and undertaking some fair tests. We will be using this knowledge and developing other design skills as we move through this topic. The children worked really well as a



team, building up their science knowledge and skills.

## BMS Superheroes



## Timestable Rockstars



Before Christmas the winning classes in KS2 were 5V, 6Z, 5Y, 5Z, 6V. The highest scoring class was 5Z!

The winning classes in KS3 were 7W, 7Z, 7X, 7W, 7U, 7T, 8S, 8V, 8Z! The highest scoring class was 7W!

Jacob B 5Z      Lara T 6Z

Jayden H 7W      Kaitlyn B 8Y

CONGRATULATIONS to 6Z and 7W for winning the most battles over the half term. They have earned themselves a non-uniform day. **Battles will commence week beginning 8th January.**

## Upcoming Events/ Key Dates

- Viking historian visit year 5–5V, 5W, 5Z 9th Jan
- Viking historian visit year 5–5X, 5Y 10th Jan
- Year 6 Heights and Weights 17th Jan
- Year 7 disco 19th Jan
- UBC Outcome Event 2nd Feb 1.30-3pm
- Children's Mental Health Week 6th Feb

## After School Clubs



DAY	CLUB	YEAR GROUP
Monday	TT Rockstars	All Years
	Warhammer	KS3
	Multi Skills	KS3
Tuesday	Minecraft	All years
	Board Games	All years
	String Art	All years
	Dance Live/ TGBDO	KS3
	Multi Skills	KS2
Wednesday	Yoga	All years
	Tag Rugby	KS2
Thursday	Cartoonist	All years
	Dance Live/ TGBDO	KS2
	Multi Skills	KS3
	Choir	All years
Friday	Rugby	KS3
	Multi Skills	KS2

## Parent Communications...

### Inter House Competition

The Inter House competitions on the last week of term provided some friendly rivalry between the different houses. We were incredibly impressed with the participation, team work and communication of the children during the different activities. Congratulations to Rowling who will all receive a non-uniform day on Friday 13th January!

### Weduc Communication

Please note that from Monday 9th January we will no longer send emails as well as the app notification. If you have not done so already, please could you download the Weduc app so that you receive communications from us moving forward.

### Social Hub Year 7 Disco

Tickets will be available to purchase from 10th January.

