



Weekly update:

Hello everyone!

This has a fantastic week at JKPS! We now have a JKPS Tigers football club for girls in Years 3-6, run by Amanda Johnson, which has been a true success. The boys continue their training off site on a Tuesday, whilst the girls train at JKPS on Wednesdays. We can't wait to put all this training into action as soon as the leagues start!

Sadly, we say farewell to Mr Zack, our facilities manager, who has worked at JKPS for just over two years. We wish him well for the future as he progresses with his career.

Reception children have been incredibly busy, learning about themselves and each other, creating self-portraits. The children also made bird feeders as part of their outdoor learning and support with fine motor skills.

Year 1 have been learning all about numbers and place value. They used Numicon tiles to make a range of two digit numbers. The children discussed how many tens and ones were in these numbers and then used this knowledge to identify which are the tens and ones digits when the number is written down. Transition has also been supporting the children very well in year 1. They have had fun accessing a range of activities independently as part of their safari topic this week.



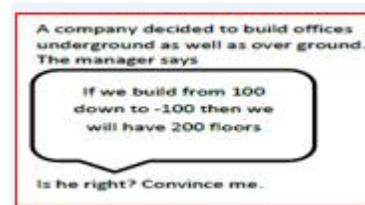
Similarly, Year 2 have had an incredible start with their topic about space! They have been learning about life in our solar system and creating their own story maps in literacy! Sky is the limit! In maths, the children have been using the greater than and less than sign, ordering numbers and solving 'space' missing number sentences.

It's been another busy week in Year 3 and in science we started investigating magnets. We used magnets to find out which magnetic materials we have in our classroom, as well as learning about where magnets can be used in the world around us. Where are magnets used around the home? And do you know which the most powerful magnet in the world might be?

Year 4 have begun writing their own stories based on our class book 'The Iron Man.' In maths, they are continuing with place value, solving maths riddles based on place value and have started to look at numbers with one decimal place. They have also continued learning times table chants which are mega fun! In science, they made posters warning people about the dangers of electricity and created their own electrical circuits.

Year 5 have embarked on an adventure! Their shared reading is 'Kensuke's Kingdom' so the children have had another week full of learning and challenges. In English, the children have been writing persuasive letters based on our book, Kensuke's Kingdom. In maths, they have been looking at number patterns, whilst in RE they have been learning about Hajj and why pilgrimage is so important to Muslims.

At the top of the school we have Year 6, who have been working very hard at mastering negative numbers. Can you solve this problem?



They have also been learning the Greek myth: Theseus and the Minotaur and discussing the flaws of our main character. Do you know what the seven key ingredients of a myth are? These busy bees have also been researching facts about Greece for their cross-curricular topic work where they are producing a report.

We wish you a great weekend and week ahead,

Miss Marta and JKPS Team

Information:

Mathletics:

Here at Judith Kerr, we are fortunate to be able to offer Mathletics to pupils from Years one to six, to enhance development in maths.

Mathletics is an engaging, supportive online learning resource designed to complement your child's mathematical learning. At home, children can access a wide range of resources, including: fun and engaging maths questions that specifically link with what your child is learning in school; videos to help reinforce times tables; and also Mathletics Live - a feature that allows your child to answer mathematical challenges and compete against children all over the world.

Children are awarded points for activities they complete. If they achieve 1000 points in a week they receive a certificate, which is awarded and celebrated in class. Each child has their own username and log-in details (see your child's class teacher if you need this).

If you have any questions regarding Mathletics, please speak to either Mr Nigel, your child's class teacher or send your queries to admin@jkps-cfbt.org



Uniform:

It is school policy that all children wear school uniform. Please ensure your child has a school jumper or cardigan (labelled with their name and class), grey trousers, skirts, shorts and a white top. Children are also required to wear black school shoes. Our children are always commended for their smart appearance. Thank you for your continuous collaboration and support to the school. If you have any personal circumstances that may affect any aspect of your child's education, please arrange an appointment with Miss Marta, we are happy to help where possible.

Sport:

PE kits: All children need to wear a school PE t-shirt, appropriate shorts or jogging bottoms and trainers for their lessons and clubs at JKPS.

Miss Keziah is our PE and Sport lead. If you can support with networking and making links with other schools, please email via admin@jkps-cfbt.org

JKPS School values:

Our school values are principles that are important to us and allow us to continue to make our school a happy place together. Our school values are:

- Aspiration – we have ambition to achieve
- Integrity – being honest and having strong moral purpose
- Collaboration – working well together
- Creativity – the use of imagination or original ideas to create something new
- Perseverance – determination to achieve no matter how difficult
- Courage – ability to do something that requires bravery

We believe that everyone in our school community, children, staff and families should support us in upholding our school values. We will be speaking to the children about our school values at our school assemblies.

Attendance:

Class	Attendance	Punctuality
RB	99.55%	97.27%
RG	92.69%	99.54%
1B	94.40%	98.40%
1G	97.08%	99.58%
2B	96.19%	99.05%
2G	99.05%	97.14%
3B	98.64%	97.27%
3G	96.67%	99.17%
4B	91.50%	99.50%
4G	92.17%	99.57%
5B	95.20%	99.60%
5G	98.70%	96.09%
Y6	97.27%	98.64%

Well done to everyone in Reception Blue for the having the highest attendance this week! Well done to all the children in 5B for this week's best punctuality records!

Upcoming events: (as on our school website)

Upcoming Events

[3B Class Assembly](#)

September 25

[JKPS School Choir @ Herne Hill Festival](#)

October 6

[Reception Performance](#)

October 12

[Open morning](#)

October 12 @ 9:30 am - 10:30 am

[Year 6 Showcase](#)

October 17

[Parents' evening](#)

October 18 @ 3:30 pm - 8:00 pm

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