



Axbridge C of E Academy

Together We Inspire, Thrive & Excel

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Dear Families,

Despite the wind and the rain, it's been a really successful day of learning and it's wonderful to have our clubs up and running again. Well done to those who took part in Football and Cricket tonight, they had great fun despite being inside!

Later this week, we will be welcoming Kings of Wessex Fitness team to launch their new Junior Activity Passport, with a whole school fitness session. We also welcome the 'Lets Go Zero' charity to the school, who will be bringing their thermal imaging devices to help us locate ways we can become a more sustainable and energy efficient school. On Wednesday, we will be exploring different languages as we celebrate the European Day of Languages, with thanks to Mr Sage for his support around this.

All of this feeds into one of our school's bigger targets this year, which is achieving its 'Rights Respecting School' status; something that encourages your children to become healthy, responsible and active young citizens, by taking positive action! More on this in weeks to come.

It's really been a wonderful start to term and the children are really flourishing in their new classes - well done all of you! Keep thriving, keep smiling and keep working hard!

Mr Shillabeer

Head teacher



September

Week Commencing 23rd - After School Clubs

Thursday 26th @ 3.20pm -

Welcome to My Class

Monday 30th @ 2.45pm -

Phonics Workshop for Year 1

October

Tuesday 1st @ 7pm - PTA AGM @ The Lamb Inn

Thursday 3rd - National Poetry Day

Monday 7th - Harvest Collective Service. Children to wear harvest colours & bring donations for food bank.

Friday 18th @ 9am - Church Service - everyone is welcome

Friday 18th - Flu Jab all year groups - more information and consent forms to follow

Tuesday 22nd @ 9:15am - Year 3 to visit Batts Coombe Quarry

Thursday 24th October - school closes for Half-Term at 3:20pm

Friday 25th is an INSET Day

Monday 4th November we return to school

Keep up to date with all school news by checking in on ClassDojo, The School Jotter App and our Twitter feed -

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SAFEGUARDING CHILDREN IS A RESPONSIBILITY OF US ALL

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Our Christian Values are:

Faith
Hope
Love

Our Christian Vision for all of our children is;

"I have come so that you may have life, a life in all its fullness"

John 10:10

Our Learning Skills are:

Thinking
Social
Self-management
Communication
Research

Congratulations to our certificate winners this week, we are so proud of you!

	Pine	Hazel	Chestnut	Redwood	Oak
Star of the Week	Zephyr	Jaxson	Seth	Freddie	Eda
Christian Values	Maddie	Ellie-May	Kobe	Maya	Jack
Learning Skills	James	Lacey	Finn	Lola	Freya

Headteacher's Awards

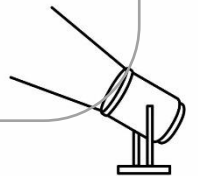
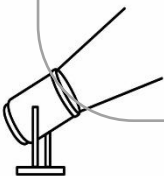
Star of the Week	Leyla	Christian Values	Maddie	Learning Skills	Howie
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Class Spotlight - Redwood

This week Redwood Class have been journeying down to the centre of the Earth.

We have discovered that the Earth is made of 4 layers and that the mantle, made up of molten rock, is 9 times hotter than boiling water! We used chrome books to find out about how different rocks are formed and loved reading the book 'The Street Beneath My Feet'.

In maths we have been looking at the number 100 and discovered there are lots of ways we can make and represent the number 100. We have also been enjoying our PE and learning ball handling skills and building our fitness in circuit training.





Great work Redwood Class!

