

# EMERSONS GREEN NEWS

Today  
is the day  
we  
learn  
something  
new

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## WELCOME BACK TO TERM 2

**Well here we are at the start of a busy but fun-filled term! Christmas will be upon us in no time but there is lots to enjoy before then.**

This term we are learning...

**Reception**—Will be learning about different festivals and celebrations. We are learning about Bonfire Night, Diwali, Birthdays, Hanukkah and Christmas. This week children have learnt all about Guy Fawkes and why we celebrate Bonfire Night.

**Year 1**—Are learning all about 'Seasons'. We will be learning about the changes in each season, writing seasonal poetry and investigating daily weather patterns.

**Year 2**—Will be continuing to learn about Kenya in Geography and Habitats in Science. This will also link to our DT project, where we will design and make African animal glove puppets.

**Year 3**—Are learning about 'Volcanoes and Earthquakes' in Geography and 'Forces and Magnetism' in Science. In addition to this, we will be creating our own healthy sandwich in DT and learning to play netball in PE!.

**Year 4**—Are learning all about electricity in Science, making circuits using components. For our DT project we will then plan and make a light up card, using our knowledge of circuits. Later on this term, we will be going swimming and our Geography topic is finding out all about the Welsh valleys.

**Year 5**—Are exploring coasts in geography, looking at sea defences and erosion. They will be refining their painting skills through the work of Constable, Gainsborough and Monet.

**Year 6**—Are turning into Historians and looking back into the past. For the first two weeks they are exploring WW1 and the origins of Remembrance in readiness for the Remembrance Assembly. Then they go a little further back in time to the Victorian Period where they are focussing on how children's lives changed during the reign of Queen Victoria.

## Spooktacular Moves

What a tremendous success our Halloween Discos were this week. It was lovely to see everyone dressed up and showing their best dance moves—some children were impossible to recognise!



Thank you to our Mighty PTFA for organising the event and staff and parents that supported on the evening.

This event raised over £500 which will be added to the PTFA pot—information about their latest project is coming soon!

## Remembrance

**Our annual service of Remembrance will take place next Friday 10.11.23 at 9.15am**

As a school with a number of service families, Remembrance is of extra special importance to us. Our Year 6 pupils will host the service and would like to extend an invitation to all their families and military families from across the school to join us in school on 10.11.23.

Alongside our Remembrance Service Year 6 will have a table in the playground before and after school every day next week selling a variety of items on behalf of the Royal British Legion.

Please bring along some cash to make a donation:

Poppy Product	Suggested Donation
Silicon Wristband (white, teal, navy blue)	£1.00
Snap Band (white, blue, pink, green, purple & navy blue)	£1.50
Zip pull (white, blue, green, pink, purple & navy blue)	£1.00
Poppy reflectors (red only)	£1.00



REMEMBRANCE DAY  
*Let's Not Forget*

## All Smiles!

Tulip photography have been in school this week taking our individual photos. The children will have brought home QR codes—scan these and you will be able to see a proof and complete your order. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to pop into the office; we are always happy to help.



Orders should be with you before the end of term so ordering as Christmas gifts is a MUST!

## Flu Vaccinations

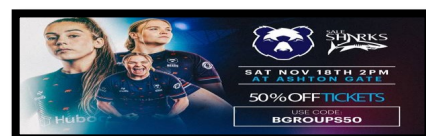
Children's Flu vaccination (nasal and injection) catch-up clinics are available for all students who did not receive their vaccinations at school.

Please book an appointment at <https://imms.sirona-cic.org.uk/flu/2023/book>

If you have any queries please contact the Immunisation Team directly on 0300 124 5515 or email [sirona.sch-imms@nhs.net](mailto:sirona.sch-imms@nhs.net)

## The Mighty Bristol Bears

Next month  
Bristol Bears



Women take on Sale Sharks at Ashton Gate to kick-off the new league campaign. We have been sent a code to get an exclusive **50% discount**. £5 for Adults and £2.50 for Under-12s.

**Health & Hygiene**—Please be aware we have had a couple of cases of Impetigo across the school this week. Please be vigilant and seek medical advice if you child develops a rash or chicken pox like spots.

**We love reading** Next week we are off on our termly visits to the library. These visits help to foster a love of reading in our children and are only possible with parental support. If you are able to help with any visit please drop the school office an email.

## Diary dates—TERM 2

### Week 2

Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup>—Y6 Library visit at 10am  
Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup>—SARI visit  
Thursday 9<sup>th</sup>—Y1 Library visit at 10am  
Friday 10<sup>th</sup>—Y5 Library visit at 9.00am  
Friday 10<sup>th</sup>—Y2 Library visit at 10.00am  
Friday 10<sup>th</sup>—Remembrance Service 9.15am

### Week 3

Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup>—Y3 Library visit at 10am  
Thursday 16<sup>th</sup>—YR Library visit at 10am  
Friday 17<sup>th</sup>—Y4 Library visit at 9.45am

## Quick announcements:

- ♦ It's not too late to sign up to Fencing Club. Wednesdays 3.15-4.15 Open to all ages and abilities. Remainder of Term 2 £30. Contact [annie@littlemusketeers.com](mailto:annie@littlemusketeers.com)



Well done to Red Class for your first week of Numbotz—we look forward to seeing more of you on there next week. Practice and effort will enable you to become competent, confident and MIGHTY mathematicians. Huge CONGRATULATIONS to Chester & Connie who entered the MIGHTY 1-Second Club!

Year Group	Number completing weekly sessions
Year R	5
Year 1	14
Year 2	7
Year 3	21
Year 4	23
Year 5	24
Year 6	28

# FORGING MIGHTY FUTURES

We firmly believe that everyone has the potential to be MIGHTY.

Emerson mouse believes that though he is but small, he has the might of a LION inside.

All these children have shown their inner lion this week.

Red Class  
Orange Class  
Yellow Class  
Green Class  
Blue Class  
Indigo Class  
Violet Class

Millie-Mae  
Dan  
Ava  
Jack  
Maya  
Riley  
Primrose

