



REDLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER 11.12.20

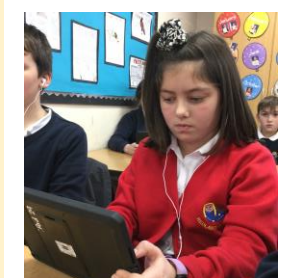
Primary School Applications for 2021

You can apply for primary school places online at <http://www.wiltshire.gov.uk/schools-learning-admissions-applying>

The deadline for primary school applications is **15th January**. Please contact the school office if you would like to book a visit.

Headphones

The FORS very kindly gave us funding so that children can have their own set of headphones for computing work. This is especially important during current times. The headphones can be used with the laptops and the iPads during class computing sessions.



Thank you to the FORS!

Christmas Parties

Next week, we will be having class Christmas parties. For their parties, the children can come into school in mufti clothes.

Weds 16th December	KS2 parties – Puffins, Nightingales, Buzzards, Hawks, Kingfishers & Falcons.
Thurs 17th December	FS2 & KS1 parties – Wrens, Owls, Robins, Starlings.

A message from the Headteacher

This week's Christmas Lunches have been a great success. There has been a lovely atmosphere in the hall each day, and the children have enjoyed their delicious meals. The staff did too! I must mention how well-mannered and polite the children were throughout. They were complimentary to the kitchen staff and very appreciative of their dinners. A huge thank you to our fantastic kitchen staff for organising and preparing the meals, and to the FORS for funding this Christmas treat!

Have a good weekend.

Best Wishes
Mrs Joy

Christmas Lunches



School Times	Drop off Time	Finish Time
Wrens and Owls -	8.25am	2.40pm
Robins and Starlings –	8.35am	2.50pm
Puffins and Nightingales –	8.45am	3.00pm
Buzzards and Hawks –	8.55am	3.10pm
Falcons and Kingfishers -	9.05am	3.20pm

FORS NEWS

Rainbow Hamper Raffle

We are very pleased to announce that a record amount was raised by those who bought tickets for the rainbow hamper raffle – an amazing £1,111 !! This is such a fantastic amount – thank you again for your colourful donations and for buying raffle tickets to support our school. Congratulations to the ten winners who will all be receiving their hampers shortly.

Redland Elf Hunt

Don't forget that the Redland Elf Hunt is still running until Monday 14 December. Why not enjoy a little festive stroll with your family/friends to spot 35 Redland elves that are sitting in the windows of the addresses listed around our area. You will need to make a note of the Christmas related items are they pictured with. The trail map and the answer sheet can be downloaded from our Facebook or are attached to the email. Once you have completed the trail, send us a picture or email us your answers by 15 December and two entries with all correct answers will be picked at random to win a treat hamper as the first prize and a £10 voucher from Glazed as the second

prize. forsevents@outlook.com

We are asking for donations on our JustGiving page in support of the trail -

https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/forselfhunt2020?utm_term=jPN8d7veg

FORS funding update

We hope that the children and staff enjoyed their Christmas dinners this week – we were very glad to be able to provide this for all to enjoy. We have also recently bought headphones for each child to use when they use the laptops and a new cover for Salt and Pepper's rabbit hutch.

Finally, we are hoping that on the last day of term, a dancing reindeer will be at the school gates to wish you a Merry Christmas and if you have any spare change will be doing a collection for FORS fundraising. Thank you!

Future Dates

December

Mon 14th Christmas Jumper Day
Weds 16th – KS2 Christmas parties – mufti

Thurs 17th – FS2 & KS1 Christmas parties - mufti

Fri 18th – Last day of term.

January 2021

Mon 4th – School starts

TD Days for 2020-2021

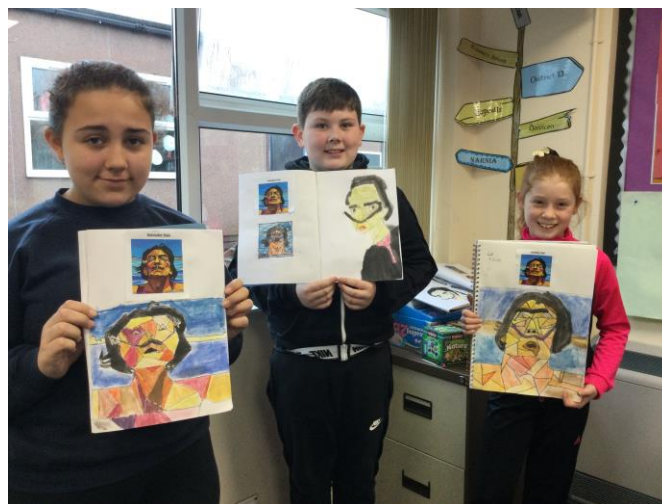
Monday 14th June 2021

Wednesday 21st July 2021

Thursday 22nd July 2021

Friday 23rd July 2021

Falcons and Kingfishers Class Learning



Falcons and Kingfishers have been using their art sketchbooks to explore different artists, including Georges Braque, Pablo Picasso and Salvador Dali.