



TPS Newsletter 7.10.22

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It's full steam ahead this 5th week of the Autumn Term: sharing and settled in Nursery; phonics groups shuffled as children make great progress in their early reading and writing; cooking in Forest School; facts flying about the Romans, British Legends and The Gunpowder Plot and a staggering 22 extra-curricular clubs running (all free!)

'Lovely to see old and new faces; lots of advice being shared - pistachio nuts and brown noise to help with sleeping! Open to all parents of children with and without SEN. Come along to the next one!' Mrs King

I am looking forward to meeting our 20+ new families who have joined Templars with pupils in Years 1-6.

Meanwhile next week is TTRockstars week — the competitive spirit will be spurring pupils and teachers on in a range of exciting competitions and assemblies. Aarav you are going to love this week! I am looking forward to beating Japneet and Zaza in a very public showdown! Any parents wishing to help beat the children, please let class teachers know— we need all the help we can get!

Watch this super clip shared by the Maths team during our staff meeting:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=auON92VEYB4>

How many Rileys are hiding in Templars? Get practising everyone; I'm off to buy my hat and guitar!

Every Child, Every Day, Every Chance this week:

Introducing ourselves: Elena, Freddie, Will, Zaza, Zach and Isabella.

We are the JLT (Junior Leadership Team at Templars. JLT sounds like SLT and that is kind of what we are; we are pupils who want to improve learning in school.

Next week we are being trained on how to run tours of the school for visitors and we will be at the New to School Parents Afternoon Tea.

We are also going to have projects around learning. Here are our ideas for investigations:

Seating plans

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Setting in Maths

How teachers use Visualisers

Reducing interruptions in lessons

Behaviour in cover lessons.

We will report back to our community when we have some findings. By the JLT.

Community Help:



Students will edit this template:



DB Duncan Brightside

Save Activity

Student Instructions

Hats On for Mental Health

Monday 10th October is Mental Health Awareness Day

On Monday we would like your children to come to school wearing a hat for the day and make a suggested donation of £1. It can be a simple cap or beanie, or something more extravagant which may be worn for Royal Ascot or a wedding!

The money raised will go towards Coventry and Warwickshire Mind, who have been supporting families at Templars for many years now. More details can be found at the link attached.

In addition to this, we would like you to design a hat. The winning design will receive a hamper of wellbeing goodies to support your family's Mental Health at home! You can use one of the attached templates or create your very own.

Closing date for the competition is Friday 14th October 2022.

Compatible with: Chromebooks, computers, iPads, iPhones, Android tablets, Android phones, Kindle Fire

Dates for your Diary:

World Mental Health Day: 10.10.22 Wear your hats to show support!

Reception Open Morning: Wednesday 12th October

New to School Parents in Years 1-6 Afternoon Tea: Wednesday 12th October

Dol-y-Moch Parent Meeting: Wednesday 12th October 5pm

Half Term: 24th—28th October

Meet the Teacher Parent's Evenings: 1.11.22 and 2.11.22

Dol-y-Moch Yr6 Residential: W/b 7.11.22

Children in Need (Wear your spots): 12.11.22

Boot Fund deadlines : Tuesday 22nd November 2022, Tuesday 7th February, 2023 Tuesday 9th May 2023

Yr 4 Roman Experience Day: 6th December

Young Voices trip for Yr 4 and the KS2 choir: Thurs 12th January

The Great Templars PANTOMIME kindly sponsored by BRUKER (UK) Ltd.: Jan

Headteacher's Award



- ★ Ty'Shara in RB for always coming into school with a positive attitude and eagerness for learning!
- ★ 2A Lexi Grace for always contributing to class discussions and being a valued and trusted member of the class.
- ★ Charlie 3S, for brilliant Maths and writing.
- ★ Jessica F (3H) She has worked really hard on her handwriting and is feeling much more confident with her sentence formations. Well done, Jessica!
- ★ This week's SOW goes to Scarlett 4D. She is an absolute role model in the classroom and on the play-ground. Always eager to learn and very curious about new things/challenges.
- ★ Ella 5DG – for being kind and caring to others and setting a fantastic example to her peers.
- ★ The award for 2L this week goes to Grace for challenging herself with her learning, trying her best and not giving up.
- ★ You have worked so hard this week Aron 6R and it has been a pleasure to have you in the classroom with your positive attitude. Keep up the hard work!
- ★ Harry 6S He's kind, polite and works very hard to improve.
- ★ 4M - Kai for always showing exemplary behaviour at Templars. His books always show he has listened and engaged in lessons, well done!
- ★ Noah in 4R for growing in confidence in Maths, working independently and becoming quicker with his times tables!
- ★ Levi 5G excellent role model in class, always pushing himself every opportunity he gets.
- ★ Omer Gozcu 1P for fantastic participation in class discussions and questions.
- ★ Arthur RK for always trying his best even when things are difficult.
- ★ 2H – Arief for getting better at working independently during maths lessons and for trying his best!
- ★ Sophia 6F - Always polite and trying hard. Has also completed some super extra homework this week. Well done Sophia!
- ★ RH- Courtney for fantastic work in phonics and amazing blending
- ★ I would like to nominate Luke 5KG for headteachers award this week because he has shown great enthusiasm in all lessons and consistently participates in class discussions.

The Lost Words Competition

**National Poetry Day x
The Lost Words Competition**

Inspired by 5 years of *The Lost Words* book by Robert Macfarlane and Jackie Morris we are inviting children to write an acrostic poem about their favourite plant or animal. Take a look outside what can they see? What would they like to protect for the future?

[Enter now](#)



WHO

The Competition is open to children in two age categories:

7 – 9 (years 2 – 4); and 10 – 12 (years 5 – 7)

PRIZE

First prize in each category – a certificate, a signed copy of *The Lost Words*, a *The Lost Words* poster plus £100 of PRH books.

Runner up in each category – a certificate, a *The Lost Words* poster and £50 of PRH books



Julian 4D

Umat 1S

Rowan 6S

Ovi 5DG

Jacob 4R

Nela 3H

Isobel 3S



The Children's Commissioner for England, Dame Rachel de Souza, wants to hear more from children at **Templars Primary School** about their summer holidays to create a unique picture of children's lives over the summer. There is very little currently known at the national level about how children spend their time over the summer break and this new research will really add to that picture.

This is a great activity for children to do in school in the first weeks of term as it can form part of wider discussions about summer holidays which can help teachers explore what new and exciting experiences children have had and help to identify children who may have had problems over the summer period. The Commissioner will use the answers to inform the Government about the best ways to support families, including what role schools can play.

This survey is a chance for children to have their voice heard, and to help us understand how we can best support families across the country.

Share your thoughts directly with the Family Review team: Family.Review@childrenscommissioner.gov.uk

[Find out more and take part](#)



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