

News letter Thursday 9th February 2017

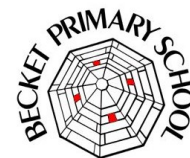
February Half Term Break

School finishes at 3.15 p.m on Thursday 9th February for the Half Term Break.

Friday 10th February is a planned INSET day for staff training.

School reopens for all children on Monday 20th February.

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INSET DAY

Our next INSET day will be on Friday 26th May 2017.

Please put this date in your diary.

Mechanical Advantage

This week all of our year 6 pupils performed alongside Sinfonia Viva and other schools in a production called 'Mechanical Advantage' at Derby Theatre. The performance was based around scientific concepts of forces following input and teaching from engineers at Rolls Royce.

The performance of their composed song 'Gravity Don't Ground Me' was amazing to hear as well as them playing their musical instruments alongside a professional orchestra. Thank you Year 6 your performance was outstanding - you are a credit to the school.

"Everything about performing in the show was awesome"- Harley Smith.

"I enjoyed listening to the orchestra" - Kyla Towle

"I enjoyed singing 'Levers', the orchestra sounded really good then." - Mobushir Hyat.

"When we performed our song 'Gravity Don't Ground Me' the orchestra was playing and it created a great effect" - Stephen Draper.

Attendance - Four week Challenge!

We have one more week to do of our four week challenge. Well done to those children who have completed 3 full consecutive weeks so far. Another week of full attendance after half term will mean that their names will go into a prize draw to receive a cinema voucher and certificates will be presented to them.

Our challenge will continue for the rest of the academic year and any child completing it will be added to subsequent prize draws.

Our target is to achieve attendance over 95% for the whole school.
We can do it!

The following clubs will be running next half term

Monday; Booster sessions - Year 6 only
 Cycling - Year 5
 Bench Ball– Year 3,4
Tuesday: Gardening Club– Year 3,4
Wednesday: Tennis
Thursday: Homework Club - Year 3,4,5,6
 Spelling Club -Year 6
 Deda Dance
Friday: Gym Club - Year R,1,2



Job Opportunities

Our catering manager is looking for staff to provide relief cover to help with the preparation of school meals, set up and clear away the dining room. If you have suitable experience and are interested in this vacancy then please speak to the school office for an application form. This post is subject to a successful enhanced DBS check.

Nursery Places

If you have friends with young children please let them know that we have vacancies in our Nursery for 3 and 4 year old children.

Children can begin Nursery as soon as they are 3. Please see the office staff for an admission form.