

James Dixon  
Primary



# Newsletter

Friday 15th October



# Diary Dates

## Next Week:



Monday 18th October	Drama Club Years 1-3 - 3.00pm
Monday 18th October - Wednesday 20th October	Diversity Week
Tuesday 19th October	Drama Club Years 4-6 - 3.00pm
Tuesday 19th October	Cultural Dress Day
Wednesday 20th October	Gym Club AM 7.45am
Wednesday 20th October	Gym Club PM 3.00pm
Wednesday 20th October	Individual Photo Day
Wednesday 20th October	R.E Day
<b>Thursday 21st October</b>	<b>Inset Day</b>
<b>Friday 22nd October - 29th October</b>	<b>Half Term</b>



## October



<b>Friday 22nd October - 29th October</b>	<b>Half Term</b>
<b>Monday 01st November</b>	<b>Term Begins</b>



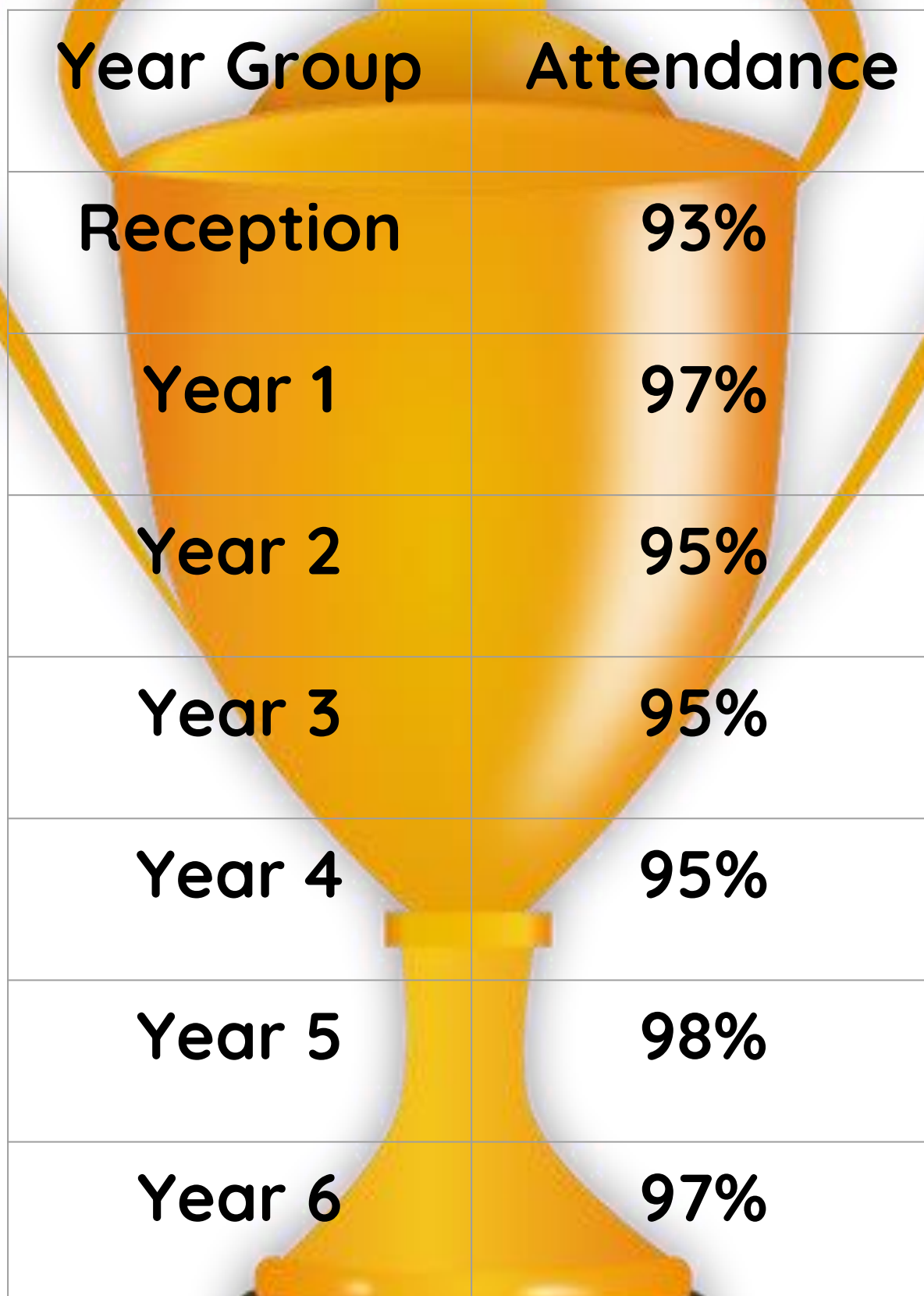
Friday 22nd  
October to  
Friday 29th  
October

# This week's achievers

## Handwriting

Capable Class	Kyiaz
Cooperative Class	Sami
Caring Class	Emanuel
Adventurous Class	Lumen
Confident Class	Brandon
Kind Class	Isaac
Appreciative Class	Sabrina
Observant Class	Rinesa
Proud Class	Lydia
Considerate Class	Luna
Respectful Class	Leyla

# Attendance



Year Group	Attendance
Reception	93%
Year 1	97%
Year 2	95%
Year 3	95%
Year 4	95%
Year 5	98%
Year 6	97%

**Weekly Attendance: 96%**

# STONE AGE DAY



On Thursday, Year 3 enjoyed a taste of life in the Stone Age. We made our own beads out of clay, which we then made into necklaces and bracelets to take home. We fired bow and arrows made of willow, made shelters from wood and painted with berries, beetroot and charcoal. In the afternoon, we cooked mackerel over the fire and tasted it. It was delicious! A great day was had by all!



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FORGIVENESS THROUGH KNOWLEDGE

# PIRATE DAY



## SHIVER ME TIMBERS!

Year 2 enjoyed a great day of pirate themed activities that included crafts, following Captain's orders, seeking buried treasure and even walking the plank. A terrific time was had by all shipmates. "ARRRR!"

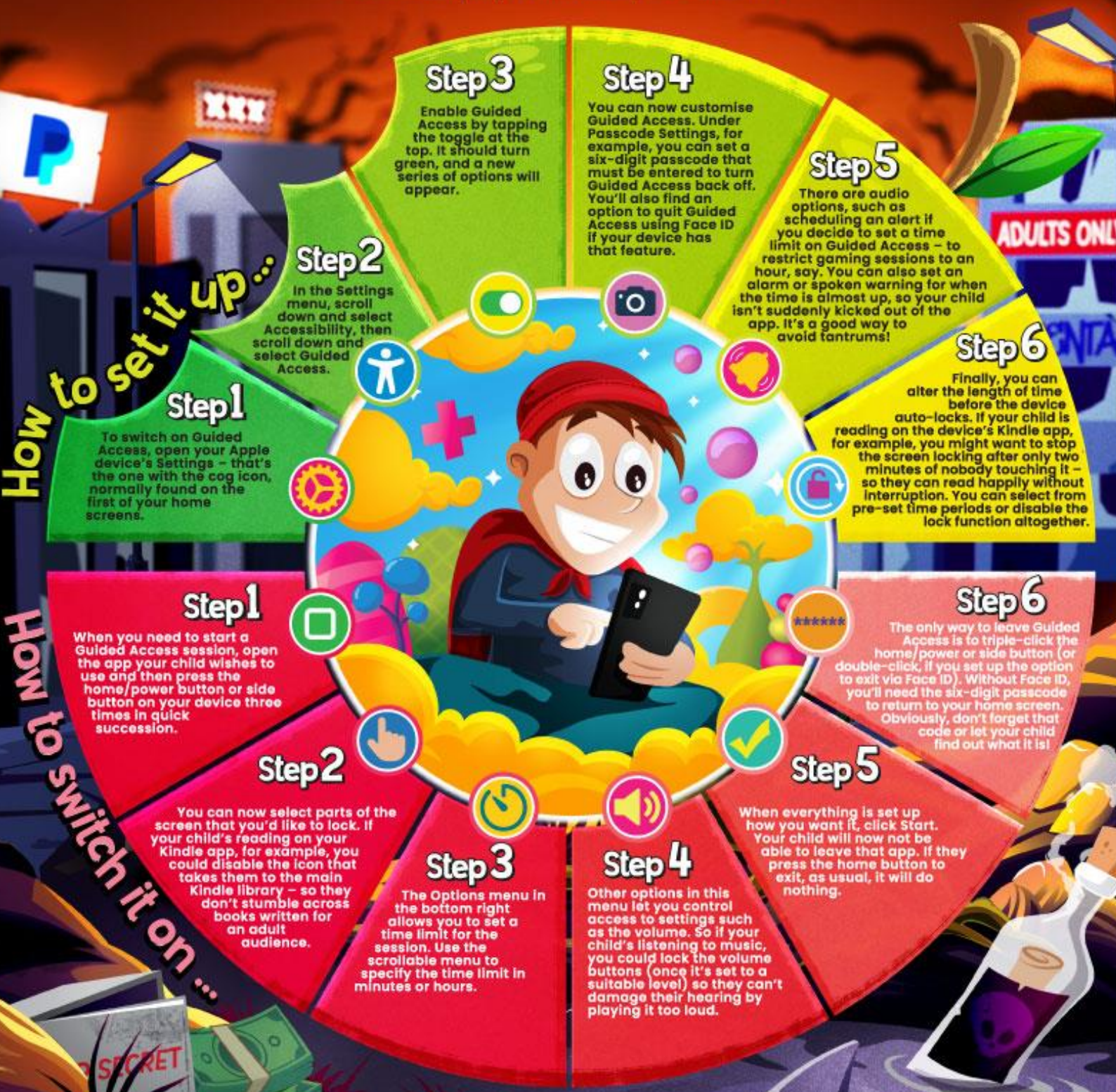


# Building Digital Resilience

## What Parents and Carers Need to Know about **APPLE GUIDED ACCESS**

IPhones and iPads don't offer separate user accounts. So when you hand your Apple device to a child to play a game or watch a video, you're also handing them access to your email, the web, messaging and numerous other apps through which they could accidentally do something regrettable.

Apple Guided Access solves this potential problem by letting you restrict the iPhone or iPad to one particular app whenever your child uses the device. If they try and leave that app, they will be asked for a passcode or Face ID, meaning they can't access anything they shouldn't elsewhere on the device. Here, we show you how to find and set up the Guided Access feature, so you can confidently let your child borrow your iPhone or iPad.



# COMMUNITY NEWS!

## BROMLEY YOUTH CHOIRS

*Love singing?*

Then why not join us  
and represent your Borough?

### Children's Choir, Years 1-3

4.15-5.15, Wednesdays

### Junior Singers, Years 4-6

4.15-5.30, Wednesdays

Anerley Town Hall, Anerley Road, SE20 8BD

Financial support is available through our bursary scheme.

<https://tinyurl.com/BYMTchoirs> for more info  
or email [ecene@bymt.co.uk](mailto:ecene@bymt.co.uk)



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LDS LITERACY PRESENTS



## PHONICS BUDDIES

Developing early literacy and language skills for  
toddlers & pre-schoolers through movement, play and  
dance



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Venue 28, 28 Beckenham RD, BR3 4LS

For more information and to register visit:

[www.ldsliteracy.co.uk/phonics-buddies](http://www.ldsliteracy.co.uk/phonics-buddies)

Tel: 07985 530335

individual Phonic  
Buddies resources

delivered by a trained  
specialist Literacy  
teacher

track your child's  
progress

Making learning fun - it's time to  
party!



BYMT, Kinetika Bloco & Crystal Palace Community Trust

## ANERLEY BLOCO

Weekly from  
Tuesday  
2 November  
4.15-6pm



James Dixon Primary School, William Booth Rd, SE20 8BW



We are looking for dancers, drummers, steel pan players and  
brass or woodwind players to join us for weekly samba sessions.

Anerley Bloco is FREE to attend

For more information & to register, please visit [www.bymt.co.uk](http://www.bymt.co.uk) or use the link below  
<https://ukbromley.speedadmin.dk/registration#/course/173>

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Would you like your toddler to  
burn some energy whilst  
developing literacy skills?

[www.ldsliteracy.co.uk](http://www.ldsliteracy.co.uk)

Monday sees the start of Diversity Week at James Dixon.

# DIVERSITY

## Monday - Diversity Week Launch & Steel Orchestra Assembly

The assembly kicks off the celebration of diversity at James Dixon with a look at the rich cultural heritage of our school and the community it serves. In addition, we will hear a selection of songs from our current Y6 Orchestra as well as a special appearance from last year's orchestra.



## Tuesday - Cultural Dress Day

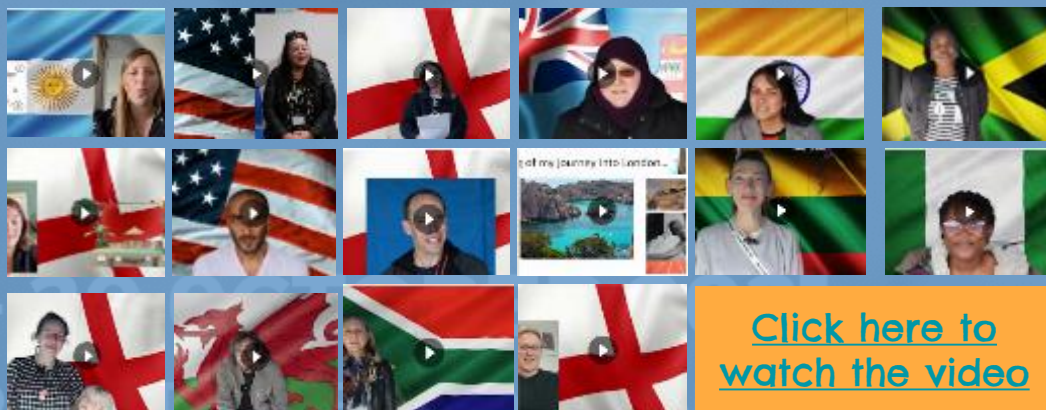
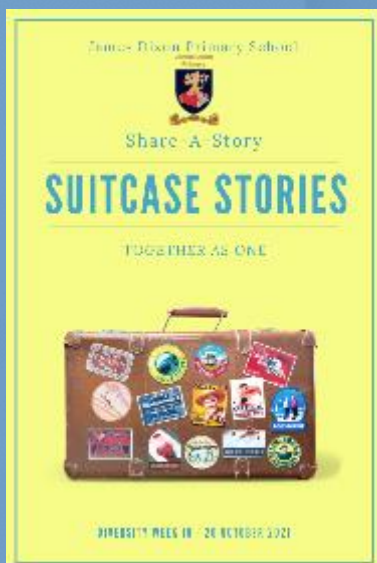
Children and staff are encouraged to wear clothing from any culture of their choice. In addition, colours can be worn to represent any flag of the world.



## Wednesday - RE Day

Children will explore the histories and traditions of different religions from around the world.

## THANK YOU TO ALL THE PARENTS & CARERS WHO RECORDED A 'SUITCASE STORY'



[Click here to watch the video](#)

# SCHOOL COUNCIL

Well done to the recycling competition winners:

**Successful Class**

## Tip of the week

"When you have finished using recyclable items such as cereal boxes, use them in arts and crafts to create something new."

Rehoan Richards - Respectful

Do you have a top tip or quote you would like to feature in our Newsletter? If so, please speak to your class representatives or Mrs Dass.

**"THE FUTURE  
DEPENDS ON  
WHAT YOU DO  
TODAY"**

**School Councillors are responsible for ensuring their class saves energy. Turn off lights and screens everytime you leave the classroom.**







Everyone is welcome to  
this PTA Funded Event

# DIGITAL SAFEGUARDING TRAINING

How to keep your child  
safe online.

November 22, 2021

Online event

Morning session: 9:30-10:30

Evening session: 4:00-5:00

[Click here to join the meeting](#)

