

Newsletter

Friday 12th January 2024



James Dixon
Primary



STRENGTH THROUGH KNOWLEDGE

Pupil Principals

Good afternoon and Happy New Year. Have you made a resolution that you promise to keep? If so, try to stick to it as only a tiny 9% keep them for the rest of the year. This year I haven't made one yet so if you can give me any ideas I'd be grateful.

From Khalid.

Have a lovely week



Hey JD! This week we have been settling back into school life and working hard. I am looking forward to our new topic of Crime and Punishment. We are reading a book called Wild Boy. Dominic.



Curriculum focus - Jigsaw

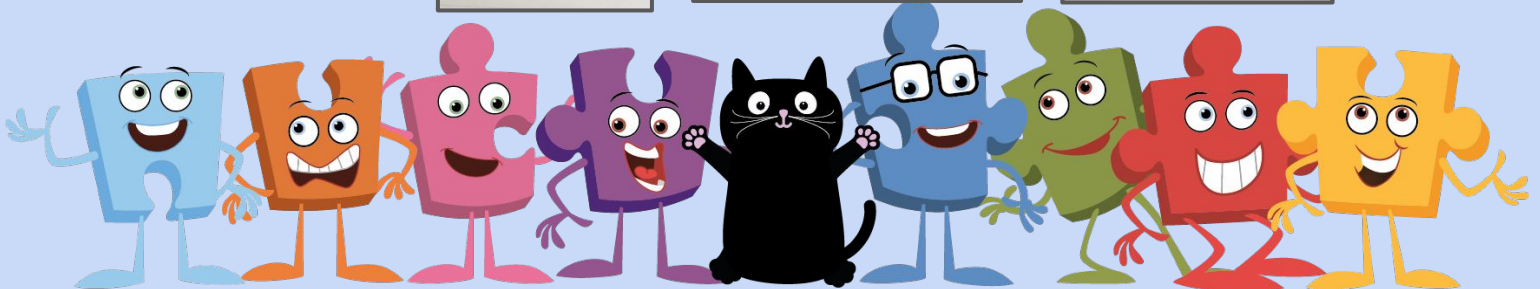
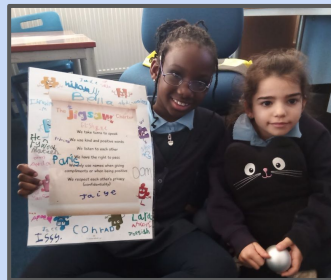
Jigsaw combines PSHE, emotional literacy, mindfulness and social skills. Jigsaw aims to help children know and value who they really are and how they relate to other people in this ever-changing world. Each year group works through the half termly themes in a way that is appropriate to their age and developmental stage

- **Being Me in My World**
- **Celebrating Difference**
- Dreams and Goals
- Healthy Me
- Relationships
- Changing Me

I like Jigsaw because it's nice to listen to your friends and they listen to you too!
Marley Y2



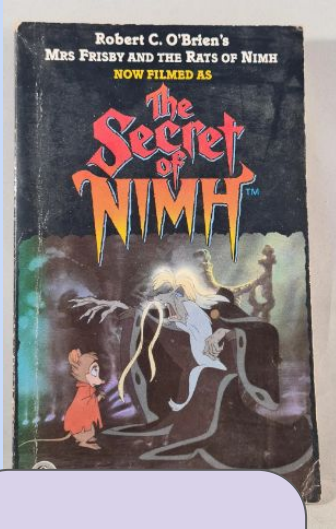
I like sitting in a circle.
Max Y2



Mrs Treleven

The Secret of NIMH/Mrs Frisby and the rats of NIMH - by Robert C O'Brien

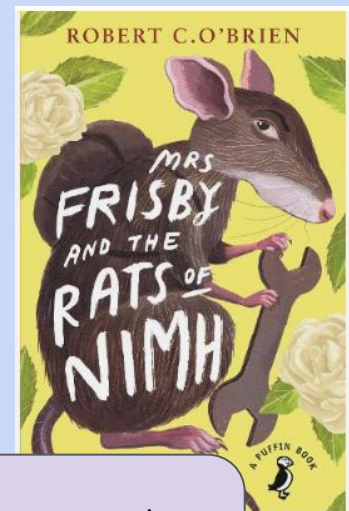
This was an absolute favourite book of mine when I was a child. Who knows, maybe it is the reason that I have ended up leading Science in school! It is an adventure/fantasy story where the main character - Mrs Frisby, has a son who is sick. The family have to move before the farmer ploughs the field in which they live, but he is too ill to be moved. She visits Mr Ages, a friend of the family, who advises her to ask for help from the rats who live in the rosebush. It transpires that they are not ordinary rats.....



This is the picture on the front of my copy of the book.



The movie came out in 1982 - I won't tell you how old I was but I went to the cinema and saw it 4 times. I have watched the original movie with both of my children, and it is one of the few films, that I will say, although not completely following 100% of the book - the film wasn't too drastically different from the original story.



This more up to date version came out in 2014.

NIMH is short for National Institute of Mental Health

Friday 9 February 2024 : 7pm to 9pm

£5.00 / ticket. Bar and snacks (cash and card).

**FUNDRAISING for JAMES DIXON PRIMARY
SCHOOL PTA.**

QUIZ Night

Phoenix Community Centre, 66 Westow Street, SE19 3AF

Booking: <https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/james-dixon-primary-school-pta>

Come on your own or in teams, of up to six.

Open to your friends and family.



Weekly Attendance

Be here every day, all day!

95%

Year Group	Attendance
Curious	95%
Energetic	95%
Expressive	99%
Reflective	96%
Resilient	91%
Considerate	99%
Kind	94%
Capable	99%
Cooperative	93%
Caring	94%
Successful	93%
Adventurous	98%
Confident	95%

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Next week's achievers

Reading

Reflective Class	Isabella
Resilient Class	Erina
Considerate Class	Rio
Kind Class	Yunus
Capable Class	Blake
Cooperative Class	David
Caring Class	Willow
Successful Class	Siana
Adventurous Class	Barney
Confident Class	Zaida

Dates for your diary

<u>Monday 15th Jan.</u>	<u>Tuesday 16th Jan.</u>	<u>Wed. 17th Jan.</u>	<u>Thursday 18th Jan.</u>	<u>Friday 19th Jan.</u>
Football Club 3.00 pm Code Camp Yr 1-2 3.00 pm	Year 2 Heroic Healers Day Mini Athletics Yr R-1 3.00 pm	Cheerleading Club 7.30 am Achievers Assembly 10.15 am (invited parents only) Gymnastics Club 3.00 pm Code Camp Yr 3-6 3.00 pm	Phonics booster (selected children only) 3.00 pm Steel Pan Club Yr 3 3.00 pm Steel Pan Club Yr 4 3.30 pm	Dance Club 7.50 am
<u>Monday 22nd Jan.</u>	<u>Tuesday 23rd Jan.</u>	<u>Wed. 24th Jan.</u>	<u>Thursday 25th Jan.</u>	<u>Friday 26th Jan.</u>
Football Club 3.00 pm Code Camp Yr 1-2 3.00 pm Drama Club Yr 1-3 3.00 pm	Yr 6 SAT's Parents meeting 3.15 pm Mini Athletics Yr R-1 3.00 pm Drama Club Yr 4-6 3.00 pm	Cheerleading Club 7.30 am Achievers Assembly 10.15 am (invited parents only) Gymnastics Club 3.00 pm Code Camp Yr 3-6 3.00 pm	Yr 2 SAT's Parents meeting 3.15 pm Phonics booster (selected children only) 3.00 pm Steel Pan Club Yr 3 3.00 pm Steel Pan Club Yr 4 3.30 pm	Dance Club 7.50 am
<u>Monday 29th Jan.</u>	<u>Tuesday 30th Jan.</u>	<u>Wed. 31st Jan.</u>	<u>Thursday 1st Feb.</u>	<u>Friday 2nd Feb.</u>
Football Club 3.00 pm Code Camp Yr 1-2 3.00 pm Drama Club Yr 1-3 3.00 pm	Mini Athletics Yr R-1 3.00 pm Drama Club Yr 4-6 3.00 pm	Cheerleading Club 7.30 am Achievers Assembly 10.15 am (invited parents only) Gymnastics Club 3.00 pm Code Camp Yr 3-6 3.00 pm	Reflective to Capel Manor Farm 1 pm Phonics booster (selected children only) 3.00 pm Steel Pan Club Yr 3 3.00 pm Steel Pan Club Yr 4 3.30 pm	Dance Club 7.50 am
<u>Monday 5th Feb.</u>	<u>Tuesday 6th Feb.</u>	<u>Wed. 7th Feb.</u>	<u>Thursday 8th Feb.</u>	<u>Friday 9th Feb.</u>
Parents Evenings from 3.00 pm Football Club 3.00 pm Code Camp Yr 1-2 3.00 pm Drama Club Yr 1-3 3.00 pm	Mini Athletics Yr R-1 3.00 pm Drama Club Yr 4-6 3.00 pm	Parents Evenings from 3.00 pm Cheerleading Club 7.30 am Achievers Assembly 10.15 am (invited parents only) Gymnastics Club 3.00 pm Code Camp Yr 3-6 3.00 pm	Resilient to Capel Manor Farm 1.00 pm Phonics booster (selected children only) 3.00 pm Steel Pan Club Yr 3 3.00 pm Steel Pan Club Yr 4 3.30 pm	Dance Club 7.50 am

Jay Williams



Jay Williams is from Erdington which is an area of Birmingham. During his teen years he was heavily into streetwear and rap music and it was this passion that encouraged him to begin selling clothes with his own brand from his bedroom or the boot of his car. Hoodrich was the brand name with the slogan, "From Nothing to Something." Jay started with £200 and an initial batch of thirty t-shirts which he would drive around the country selling. His uncompromising demand for quality fabrics and bold branding ensured the brand grew quickly.

Fast forward to the present and Hoodrich designs can be found in all the big fashion outlets as well as being worn by celebrities such as Dizzee Rascal and 50 Cent. Jay is now 29 years old and his Hoodrich clothes are being sold in more than a thousand shops across twenty four countries. His big break came when Foot Asylum began stocking his brand in 2018 and Hoodrich is now one of the fastest growing labels in the UK.

