

Belleville Wix Academy Weekly



"You can find magic wherever you look. Sit back and relax, all you need is a book."

6th March 2020

Our World Book day this week has got to be the highlight of the week for everyone. Thank you to our amazing teaching staff, especially Miss Hawes, Mrs Baker, Mrs Ter Averst and Mr Mullin, who worked so hard to organise the events throughout the week and those who joined in the activities with enthusiasm to ensure everyone had a great time. We will showcase the wonderful week in next week's newsletter.



Gymnastics and dance

After half term our pupils who had gymnastics last term are now learning dance and vice versa. This week it has been wonderful to see the children so engaged in their new learning experiences and being excellent learners.



Music

We are so fortunate to have such a talented music teacher at BWA and to see the progression in pupil knowledge and skills is a joy to see. During the month of March we are listening to classical music. Music is played as the pupils come in to school and at assembly. Maybe you could listen to some classical music at home or in the car to increase the exposure the children have to different music.



Saturday Gardening

How lucky are we to have such generous parents, and grandparents, who give up their time to help build planters for the children to use in school? I think we are very lucky. Last Saturday, we had parents from BWA and Ecole de Wix generously give up their precious family time to build 7 planters behind the sports area in our playground, in the pouring rain. There wasn't a grumble! We are now planning the next stage to get the classes to planting. If you are green fingered or eager to help, please do get in touch – don't be shy!



KS1 Reading Area

You will have noticed the beautiful planters by the main school steps that were also part of the Saturday garden activities. These brighten up the playground and separate the quiet reading area for pupils in KS1. If you have books at home that are in good condition that you are not using any more or if you wish to donate some books for the pupils, we would welcome your kind contributions, which can be left in the school office.



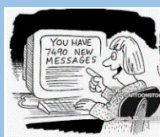
Sports Relief

During the week Mr Bartlett, our PE teacher shared with us the exciting events planned for next Friday. A letter will be coming out soon with more information so do keep a look out for this.



Coronavirus

We continue to advise staff, pupils and parents about what we are doing in school, in accordance with government advice. Please do check your emails regularly for updates we send out. If you do have any questions or concerns please do contact us.



Email traffic

I am becoming increasingly aware of the amount of email traffic that is coming into the school. Please may I ask that if you can speak to a member of staff rather than sending an email that would be really appreciated.

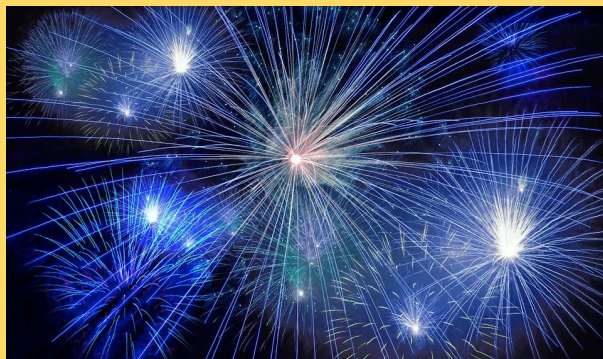
Wishing you all a very happy and peaceful weekend.

Séana Henry



Excellent Learners

Ask Questions



1AB	★	Estelle
1C	★	Stefan
1Bi	★	Millie
Y2	★	Chari
2Bi	★	Victor
Y3	★	Alexandru
3Bi	★	Olivia
Y4	★	Maddie
4Bi	★	Elyes
Y5	★	Scarlett
5Bi	★	Camille
Y6	★	Valentin
6Bi	★	Leah

KEY DATES FOR YOUR DIARIES

Spring Term

- 11th Mar** → English Stream class photographs.
- 19th Mar** → EYFS Mother's Day celebrations (details to follow)
- 20th Mar** → KS1 & KS2 Mother's Day celebrations (details to follow)

Holiday Dates

- 6th April – 17th April** → Easter Holiday
- 3rd April** → Last Day for English Stream @1.45pm
- 3rd April** → Last Day for Bilingual Stream normal time
- Inset Day** → Monday 20th April – School closed to English Stream only.
- 20th April** → Bilingual Stream return to school
- 21st April** → English Stream return to school

End of Summer Term

- 16th July** → Last day for Bilingual Stream @ normal time.
- 17th July** → Last day for English Stream @ 1.45pm

Weekly Attendance 95% Target

N1:	96.0%	★	N2:	100%	★	N3:	97.5%	★
RO:	94.3%	○	RM:	98.4%	★	RBi:	100%	★
Y1AB:	97.7%	★	Y1C:	96.5%	★	1Bi:	92.9%	○
Y2:	94.2%	○	2Bi:	96.2%	★	Y3:	95.4%	★
3Bi:	92.9%	○	Y4:	97.4%	★	4Bi:	97.9%	★
Y5:	95.1%	★	5Bi:	98.1%	★	Y6:	95.4%	★
6Bi:	100%	★						