

The Priory Press

12th January 2024



Welcome back and happy new year!

We've been back for just one week and two days, but Priory is a hive of activity. Read on to find out more...

We are conducting our annual family survey. Please click the link to complete.

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**Warmest wishes,
Ms Laver**

Whole School Attendance
this week 97.4% - Brilliant!

Britto 96.2%

Hepworth 93.4%

Kusama 95.1%

Matisse 94.4%

🏆 Ringgold 97.4% 🏆

Warhol 90.0%

Are you a School Hero?

**Here Everyday Ready On
time.**

Pride of Priory

This week the following children have been celebrated for their learning in class.

Britto – Teddy & Rafe

Hepworth – Edith & Oakley

Kusama – Joshua & Hugo

Matisse – Tommy & Huey

Ringgold – Franklin & Harry

Warhol – Kodie & Kayleigh

Home Learning

Don't forget, Year 1 to Year 6 children will be receiving their home learning on Google Classroom from today.

Computing at Priory

A focus for all of us in 2024 in to develop Computing at Priory. On January 5th we took delivery of our class set of 16 laptops and on Wednesday 10th January Alan O'Donohoe, a STEM teacher and Computer Ambassador led sessions with all Key Stage 2 classes. These were hugely enjoyable, and Alan will be coming back to Priory in the future to work with us again.

Read, Write, Inc Book Volunteers

Thank you to all the parents who responded to Miss Tomlin and are volunteering some of their time to help us develop the school reading scheme books – we are truly grateful.

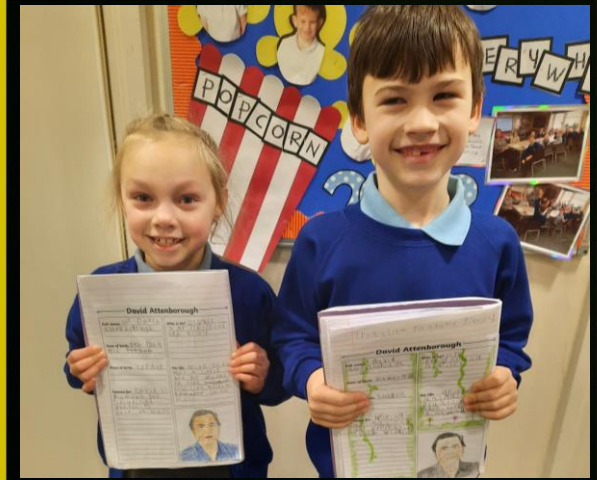
Gardening volunteers

Our school garden needs some love. Our aim is for it to be a learning space for all children. A family have already kindly offered to support the school with this. Are you green fingered? (Or happy to get digging?) Please contact the school office.

MDA opportunities

We are hoping to recruit two new Midday Supervisors in 2024. This role involves outside and supporting children to play a wider range of games together. The hours are 12.00 – 1.30 everyday, however we would consider a flexible approach to the days.

[Please click here to apply.](#)



From top left, clockwise:

- Warhol Class with our new laptops
- Hepworth learning about David Attenborough
- Ringgold's display linked to their book 'Tar Beach' by Faith Ringgold!
- Alan O'Donohoe – STEM ambassador with Kusama class
- Britto investigating shapes in the work of Joan Miro.

Dates for your diary

- **01/02/2024** – Diversity Workshop
- **02/02/2024** – NSPCC Number Day
- **19/02/2024 – 23/02/2023** - Half Term
- **26/02/2024** – Pupils return
- **22/03/2024** – Rocksteady Concert 14.30pm
- **28/03/2024** – Last Day
- **29/03/2024 – 12/04/2024** – Half Term
- **15/04/2024** – Pupils Return
- **06/05/2024** – Bank Holiday