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# Playground Fun





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## JEANS FOR GENES

Thank you to all of you who wore jeans today and donated to the Jeans for Genes charity. The children always enjoy the thrill of a mufti day at school. It is especially helpful in opening up conversations around kindness—giving to charity—and the different causes that we support.



## HARVEST FESTIVAL

The children have started singing Harvest songs in readiness for their Harvest Festival on Tuesday 8th October. Please come along if you can to enjoy this



lovely assembly. We will be serving hot drinks from morning drop off until the assembly starts at 9.30am.

## PARENT CONSULTATIONS

Parent Consultations

We have Parent Consultations coming up on Tuesday 5th and Friday 8th November. Please look out for a Parentmail message arriving at 7pm on Monday 14th October inviting you to book your preferred time slot. Appointments will be issued on a first come first served basis and I will endeavour to give you the time slot you would like.

## FOX CLASS

We have had a very productive week in Fox Class. In Literacy lessons we have been learning about letter formation. In our Maths lessons we have been counting objects that cannot be moved.



We have also had a tour of the school grounds. Well done Foxes you have worked very hard.



## OWL CLASS

This week in our Literacy lessons we have been reading the story of “The Girl who Thought in Pictures”.



In Art we have been drawing facial features and in topic we have been looking at a timeline of ourselves. Thank you to all the parents who sent in baby and toddler photos of the children.

## DEER CLASS



In Maths this week the children in Deer Class have been learning about problem solving using place value. In PE they have been

learning about outdoor sports and in Art they have studied Henri Matisse and the Snail Collage. Well done Deers!



## SPECIAL VISITORS—can you help?



Across the school, we teach the children about different faiths, beliefs and celebrations. This comes alive when the children hear a first hand account and experience. If you would be happy to talk to a class and share photographs, answer the children’s questions about your faith or the festivals you celebrate, please do get in touch— even sending over photographs, if you are happy to share, would boost in-class discussions. Thank you for helping us to enrich the RE teaching and expand the children’s understanding. Please contact Mrs Goddard at [deers@jordans.bucks.sch.uk](mailto:deers@jordans.bucks.sch.uk). Thank you for any help you may be able to give.

## OUR DIGGERS HAVE A REQUEST...

The children adore having digging opportunities at play-times and would be very grateful for some bags of soil to top up their digging zones. Can you help?





## DIARY DATES



Tuesday 1st October	a.m. Helen Rayner taking individual school photos.
Tuesday 8th October	8.45—9.39am JSA hosting tea/coffee in the hall. Donations please.
Tuesday 8th October	9.30am. Harvest Festival. Parents welcome.
Monday 14th October	7pm. Parent Consultations booking system opens.
Wednesday 16th October	'Flu vaccinations. Whole school—administered by Bucks School Nursing Team.
Thursday 17th October	3pm. Year 2 fundraiser.
Wednesday 23rd October	9.30am. Open Morning for parents of children starting school in Sept. 2025.
Friday 25th October	3pm. Break up for half term.
Friday 25th October	4.15—5.30pm Halloween disco, volunteers needed.
Monday 4th November	Children return to school.

### Assembly Time

Here is a quick round up of this week's amazing assemblies!



Values: **British Values**

RE: **Christian Creation Story**

Cultural Capital: **International Day of Peace**

Stories from Around the World: **The Bridge of Fishes from Japan**

Music: **Grieg: Peer Gynt in the Hall of the Mountain King**

Songs this week: **Mr. Scarecrow**



### Early Risers & Evening Owlets Breakfast and After School Care

Telephone: 07708 129302 Email: [wraparoundcare@jordans.bucks.sch.uk](mailto:wraparoundcare@jordans.bucks.sch.uk)

Webpage: <https://www.jordans.bucks.sch.uk/breakfast-club-after-school-club-holiday-camp/>



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## JSA NEWS

*Jordans School Association*

Hello and welcome to the first JSA News page of this academic year.

We have lots of fun fundraising activities planned for this school year, lots for the children and some for the adults. Please support as many events as you can. All the money raised will be spent enhancing the learning of **all** the children at Jordans School. Thank you.



### JSA Meeting

All families are a part of the JSA at Jordans School and have a great sense of camaraderie and community spirit, joining in and helping out with the different activities.

We have our first JSA meeting on Wednesday 2nd October straight after morning drop off. Everyone is welcome to come for a chat and a cuppa.

We can tell you all about the fundraising activities we have planned for this year.



We always need help organising and running events

So please come along and say hello.

It is a wonderful way to make new friends whilst enriching the learning experience of all the children... many hands make light work!

