



**Attendance: 93%**

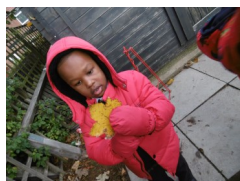
**Attendance target: 97%**

**A message from the school office:**

Last week Bentley Photographic came in to school to take individual photographs, your child should have brought home a "Ticket" which had their name and a unique code on it in order for you to go online and place your order—if any parents haven't received this, please call the school office and we will arrange a link.

**News from school... Rainbows**

This week in class we are exploring the changing seasons and what happens during Autumn time. The children worked in small groups and went on an Autumn walk, looking for signs of Autumn. The class found lots of Autumn materials and then used their imaginations to make Autumnal sculptures in the classroom.



They also enjoyed making their own Autumn tree pictures using different materials to print with including cotton wool buds, cork and finger prints.

On Thursday, the children also celebrated bonfire night and had lots of fun taking part in firework activities, making bonfire night pictures, creating fireworks on the I pads and taking part in firework dances in PE! We also learnt about Guy Fawkes and the gunpowder plot and the importance of keeping ourselves and others safe during Bonfire night.

We are very proud of you all Rainbows, keep up the great work!



**TERM DATES**

**Autumn Term**

**Last day 18th December 2020**

**Christmas Holiday**

**19th December to 3rd January 2021**

**Spring Term**

**4th January to 26th March 2021**

**Half Term**

**15th February to 19th February 2021**

**Please note 4th January is a non pupil day—school re-opens on**

**5th January 2021**

**Our Gospel Values**

Courage  
Creativity  
Forgiveness  
Generosity  
Humility  
Joy  
Perseverance  
Stewardship

**Executive Headteacher**

Mrs Sandvig

**Head of School**

Mrs Martin

**SENCO**

Mrs Silke-Cooper

**Our Classes**

Rainbows Miss Aldous  
Mrs Iannelli  
Mrs Abbott

Class 1 Mrs Thackeray  
Mrs Durston

Class 2 Mrs Jones  
& Mrs Smith  
Mrs Tella

Class 3 Mrs Rafferty  
Mrs Dowsing

Class 4 Ms Hughes  
Mrs Tooke

Class 5 Mr Grimwood  
Ms Borley

Class 6 Mr McGill  
Mrs Catalanotto  
Miss Tooke

# ATTENDANCE

## WHY IS IT IMPORTANT?

### ABSENCE FROM SCHOOL

Children are required by law to attend school 190 days per year. The Government states that every pupil's attendance should be at least 95%.

How do YOU measure up?

Attendance	Days Absent	Weeks Absent	Lessons Missed
95%	9 Days	2 Weeks	50 Lessons
90%	19 Days	4 Weeks	100 Lessons
85%	29 Days	6 Weeks	150 Lessons
80%	38 Days	8 Weeks	200 Lessons
75%	48 Days	10 Weeks	250 Lessons
70%	57 Days	11.5 Weeks	290 Lessons
65%	67 Days	13.5 Weeks	340 Lessons

89% & Below  
Drastic effect on  
academic achievement

95% - 90%  
Cause for  
concern

100% - 96%  
Excellent

