



Jordans School

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Dear Parents,

We are here at the end of our second full week of term, don't be surprised if your children are a little weary this weekend! This week we have seen the start of our after school clubs for Key stage 1 children, our Reception children are now in school for full days and the children are busy learning about their topics.

Individual school photos

Helen Rayner Photography will be taking individual photos of the children. We are hoping for good weather on the 10th of October so that the children can be outside again. The 17th October is booked in case of poor weather. Helen will be available from 8:30am if you would like photos with non-Jordans siblings.

MacMillan Coffee Morning – Friday 29th September

We will be hosting a MacMillan Coffee Morning from 9 – 9:30am on Friday 29th September. If you are able to contribute cake, cookies or other goodies, could you please let Ms Ranahan know in the office. All are welcome to join us from 9am in the school hall.

Harvest Festival – 4th October

Please see the attached letter with details of our Harvest Festival this year, we look forward to seeing you for our assembly at 9am on Wednesday 4th October.

Chalfont St Giles Junior School and Chalfont St Peter Academy (CSPA)

We are welcoming the Headteacher of CSG Junior School, Mrs Elen Peal, and the Acting Headteacher of CSPA, Mrs Nicola Alburg, into Jordans to briefly tell you about their Junior Schools and answer any questions about the transfer to Junior School at the end of year 2. All parents are invited to attend, not just our Year 2 parents. This is a good way to find out about the schools and meet the Headteachers. , they are always delighted to meet you. The sessions last approximately 30 minutes.

Chalfont St Giles Junior School – Mrs Elen Peal – Wednesday 4th October 9.45am (following Harvest assembly)

CSPA – Mrs Nicola Alburg – Friday 6th October 9am

Sports Partnership

Jordans School is part of the local area Sports Partnership program. Later in the year all of our children will have the opportunity to attend sporting events with other local schools. Dr Challoners High School are one of the lead schools and offer free gymnastic lessons in a club for all partner school's children. The sporting activities are all paid for by our Sports Premium grant from the government. Please see the attached flyer for information and booking information.

Best wishes for a lovely weekend

Mrs Bancroft
Headteacher



This Week's Well Done
Certificates

We say Well Done for our learning and for being a great citizen!

This week we said Well Done to:

Avi and Luciana in Class R, Josiah and Bradley in Class 1, and Siya and Ewan in Class 2



Next Week's Learning

Year R

English – Stone Soup is our focus book for the week.

Maths – Making and copying patterns.

News/Requests – Donations from our wish tree would be most appreciated so that we can make soup and print with vegetables.

Year 1

English - we will be identifying, reading and writing captions. We will be looking at the features of sentences. Our sound of the week will be 'ie/i-e' and our common exceptions words will be 'said', 'says' and 'are'.

Maths - we will be focusing on Number Bonds, using cubes and a number balance to show those up to the number 10.

Year 2

English – we will continue writing about The Sandman image, focusing on verbs and question marks. Words of the week are: wild, child, last, past, fast

Maths – we are exploring different calculating strategies including counting on, re-grouping and column method.



Upcoming Dates

Fri 29th Sept	9am – Macmillan Coffee Morning
Fri 29th September	2pm – JSA meeting in school hall
Tues 3rd October	Local Press – My First School photos – Reception class
Weds 4th October	9am – Harvest Assembly for parents to watch
Fri 6th October	3pm – JSA Cake sale on the playground
Tues 10th October	Individual Photos