



Weekly News...

Friday 15th September

Our Big Science Adventure!



We came back to school with a bang this week as all the children took part in our Big Science Adventure. We were joined by Sublime Science who worked with every year group created weird and wonderful things such as creating sweets and slime as well as learning the science behind a rocket launch! Other activities undertaken by our little scientists were creating a working light bulb, making ice cream in a bag to investigate changing states, exploring how friction works by designing a hovercraft to name but a few. The rain managed to hold off, so much of our Science Adventure could take place outside and we got to enjoy our BBQ lunch on the field too. The children (and teachers!) had a great day and I think Year 5 summed the day up when they said 'I loved the Big Adventure and all the cool experiments. I wish we could do it every day.'

Parents will be able to join us on the afternoon of Wednesday 18th October where each class will share some of their science learning and investigations they carried out at our Big Science Fair. Further details will follow closer to the event.



Attendance

Nursery	Reception	Year 1	Year 2
90%	97.5%	90%	98.3%
Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
97.8%	98.4%	94.8%	96.1%

Best Class: Year 4

High School Science

In addition to our Big Science Adventure, several classes this year will have the opportunity to undertake Science lessons at Stafford Manor High School. Year 5 have already begun with afternoon sessions every Thursday until half term. Year 6 will also have the opportunity later in the year.

Parents meeting

Thank you to those parents who joined us on Wednesday for our Meet the Teacher session. It is an useful opportunity for teachers to talk to parents about challenge packs over the year, homework and of course just to get to know our parents. Teachers also ensure they are available regularly on the playground first thing and at the end of the school day giving opportunities for quick messages etc to be passed on. Every teacher from year 1 –6 is also available at least once a week from 8:30 on the relevant playground. Please find below the day your child's teacher will be out there should you wish to talk to them.

Mrs Beaumont	Tuesdays
Mr Smith	Tuesdays
Mrs Lewis	Thursdays
Mr Bourke	Thursdays
Mr Atkins	Tuesdays
Mrs Homer	Thursdays
Mr Hunt	Tuesdays

Next Week's Diary Dates

Year 3 swimming lessons begin—Tuesday 19th September
Year 5 SMHS science visit - Thursday 21st September
Year 6 Shugborough Residential— 20th—22nd September
Celebration assembly—Friday 22nd September