

Friday 22nd September 2023

## Bankside Primary School Weekly Newsletter



# Bankside Primary School and Children's Centre

Putting down strong roots for success

### Learning Cog focus—Reflection

The children in Y1-Y3 that were chosen by their teacher this week to receive the award in our assembly:



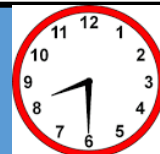
Well done to our winners this week in Orange, Yellow and Green Bases!



Next week's learning cog is collaboration! Stay tuned to see who the winners will be in Blue, Indigo and Violet Bases!

### Reminder: Timings of school day

Morning gates open at 8.30am (school starts at 8.45am)



Afternoon gates open at 3.15pm (gate closes at 3.30pm)



# Latest Learning!



What a great start to the new school year we have had in Rainbow Bigs! Here you can see us working hard to improve our sentence building using colourful semantics. Look at how focused we all are on our learning! Well done to Rainbow Bigs for giving their Bankside Best!



Indigo Base have been very active this week! They have been learning about how to accelerate when running, including pumping our arms and pushing off from our back foot.

We are so proud of our Nursery children who are settling in well and making new friends!



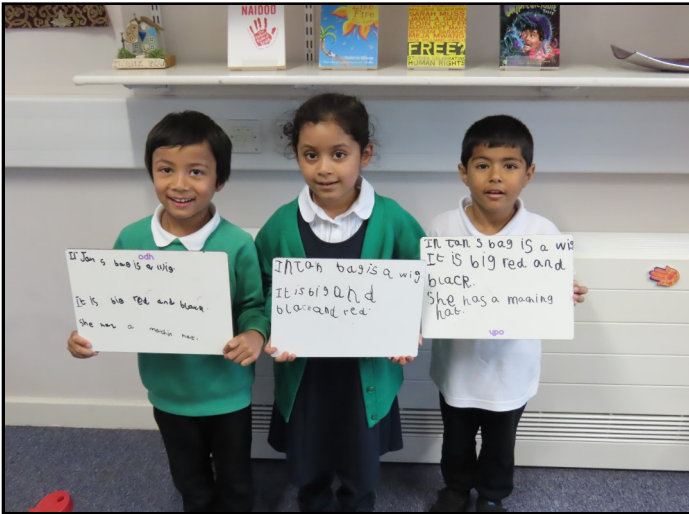
### Autumn weather reminder!

Please ensure your child wears a suitable coat to school as the weather starts to turn wetter and colder.

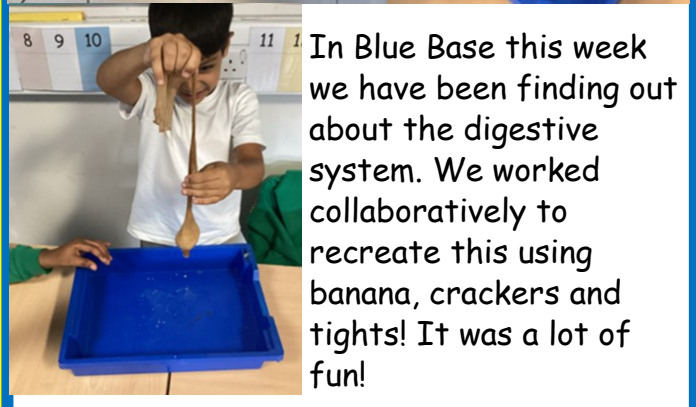




# Latest Learning!



Well done to our three Sounds-Write super star learners who were chosen by Mrs Sharp to share their fantastic work in the newsletter! Well done for giving your Bankside Best to your learning in reading!



## Reading at home!

Please ensure that your child is reading regularly at home. Regular reading at home allows your child to build on what they have learnt at school and encourages their enjoyment of books.



# Children's Centre Information



We enjoyed playing games together in our community coffee morning this week! We look forward to using the games at home with our families.



## Important Information

If you are struggling with food, finances, mental health or any other issues do not hesitate to contact us on 0113 336 8388.

If you have any breast-feeding needs, the Health service can offer you advice over the phone and may be able to arrange a 1-1 appointment, please contact the Health Visiting Team on 0113 843 5683.

<https://www.leedscommunityhealthcare.nhs.uk>

## Henry Group

Starting In September 2023

0-5 years old - Consists of 8 sessions

See Raj to put your name down on the waiting list.

COMING SOON

ESOL Basic Level <u>TBC</u>	See Shuhana or Raj for more in- formation on groups	Henry Starting June 2023 <u>TBC</u>
Parenting Group <u>TBC</u>	PBB <u>TBC</u>	More To Follow

## 2 & 3 Year old Nursery Places

Add your Child to one of your local Nursery waiting lists!! Bankside, Shantona or Shepherds Lane Little Owls. For more information speak to Shuhana or Rajesh for more information.



## What's On

### Monday -

1:45pm - 3pm - Stay and Play

For children between 18months - 5 years old to play in the nursery with their parents.

Tuesday - 9am - 11:00 - PBB

12:30pm - 3pm - NCT Antenatal & Baby Group - A group for mums and dads-to-be to come and talk about pregnancy, childbirth and parenthood.

Wednesday - 9am - 11:00 - Coffee and Chat Morning - For Families. Providing supporting, advice, help building relationships and fun activities.

Thursday - 9:00 - 11:00 - SEN Coffee Morning

9:00 - 11:00 - Seal Walking Group - Meeting outside School.

1:45pm - 3pm - Birth 2 Bankside - For babies under 18 months old. Fun, play, support and advice for families. We will also be able to weigh your baby (up to 18 months).

Friday -

Afternoon Group TBC