

Friday 12th January 2024

Bankside Primary School Weekly Newsletter



Bankside Primary School and Children's Centre

Putting down strong roots for success

Learning Cog focus—Reflection!

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



Well done to our winners this week in Rainbow, Blue, Indigo and Violet Bases!



Next week our learning cog will be reflection! Stay tuned to see who the winners are in Rainbow, Orange, Yellow and Green Bases!

Welcome Back!

We hope all of our lovely Bankside Families had a restful and enjoyable break over the holidays. We loved welcoming our Bankside Best pupils back to school and have been very proud of how settled they have been after a long break from school. We have sent out this terms curriculum letters via Class Dojo and they are also on our new website: www.banksideprimary.org . We will be working to update our new website so please keep an eye on the exciting content that appears!



Yellow Base have been busy exploring their new text in literacy. They have been using actions to help them retell the story using a story map! They are using their collaboration learning cog to work as a class on this challenge. We can't wait to see the writing they produce independently linked to their text!

Updates from School:

- Starting From Monday 29th January, our SEN dads group will be taking place every Monday from 2pm-3pm.
- Being a Parent Group will be starting on Friday 26th January from 9am-11am, more details will be shared with families via Class Dojo.
- SEN mums group runs every Thursday from 9am-10am.
- We are starting a HENRY 5-12 group in early February, further details will be sent out shortly.
- February 2024—Uniform Share will be launched, more details to follow.

Latest Learning!



In Sewing Club this week children have used their resilience and independence learning cogs to create a woolly Octopus! These creations are fabulous and required a lot of focus and resilience to complete. After school clubs are a great way to try new skills and to meet new friends!



This week in Red Base we have been focusing on our learning cog **independent iguana**. During the week children have had new play sequences introduced and have been very independent in new tasks. Children have been independently working to mix different colours to create their pictures with. We are really proud of the work that they have produced—well done Red Base!



Reading at Home!

Please ensure that your child has daily opportunities to read their reading book at home. This will ensure they practice their reading fluency and comprehension skills.