

#### St. Benedict's Primary School Newsletter 07.06.24



Enjoying our rights, fulfilling our dreams. Ambition, Resilience, Respect.

## Attendance

This week's whole school attendance is 92%

Congratulations to **1M and The Hub** for **reaching** our whole school attendance target! Keep up the good work!

Well done to **6A**, **5H** and **4N** for **exceeding** our whole school attendance target this week with over 96%.



## Eid Mela

COME TO OUR EID MELA Wednesday 19th June 2pm-4pm CHOCOLATE RAFFLE DELICIOUS FOOD ICE CREAM SWEET CONES FUN GAMES And much, much more! Thank you for your donations of chocolate, sweets and tombola prizes!

Remember children should be collected at 1.45pm

## Reading

We have SCHOLASTIC book fair coming to school next week. Come to the infant hall 3:15-3:45 Monday & Tuesday. There will be lots of books to choose from and school will earn some free books, too!

Plus, another well done for your reading efforts over half term. The winning classes get a bookmark for their effort!

Class %	Class	Star
80%	Reception	Yahya A
69%	1M	Mohammed
50%	2P	Mahima
79%	2D	Hafsa
64%	3A	Airin
90%	3G	Najah
88%	4P	Fatima-Zahra
77%	4N	Ariba
70%	5R	Fauzia
79%	5H	Abir
57%	6J	Saima
66%	6A	Aishah
50%	Hub	Syed

## What's on?

10.06.24	Reception new parents' meeting
13.06.24	Y5 Visit to council House
13.06.24	Y1 visit to Black Country Museum
13.06.24	Y6 English Workshop
14.06.24	Y3 performance
17.06.24	World Refugee Week
19.06.24	Eid Mela 2-4pm (School closes 1:45pm)



# RBC St. Ben's School of Music



You may have noticed the excitement in school on Tuesday! Why was there a marching band on the playground?

They were here for an important announcement. Royal Birmingham Conservatoire has chosen St. Benedict's to be part of a trailblazing project. Over the next two year, we are going to be working in partnership with them as part of a new project - RBC St.Ben's School of Music! Tuesday was the day that we announced this to our pupils, and we did it in style.

In the morning, normal lessons were interrupted as groups of musicians appeared in classrooms. Everywhere we turned, musicians were popping up... in the dining hall, offices, playground and even the kitchen. The afternoon culminated in a fantastic musical and sung performance from a full orchestra. It was such a treat!

#### **RBC St.Ben's School of Music**

Musicians from the conservatoire, will be working with us either in school, or at the Conservatoire, providing training for our staff, workshops for our children and a range of experiences and performances.

Today, Year 5 and 6 had the privilege of visiting the Conservatoire for an opera performance of Hansel and Gretel. This was such a treat!

On 25th June, some of our Y6 pupils have been invited to be VIPs at a performance at the Conservatoire, where we will be singing at the Voices of the Community concert.

This project is going to be an incredible experience for our children.



## Messages from Mrs. Nott

School will be closed on Thursday 4th July as it will be a polling station for the General Election. On Friday 5th July, school will be open as usual, and all children will need to be in school. To make things easier, we are going to make this a **non-uniform day**. Children can wear their own clothes, in place of a **donation (£1-2) towards School Fund.** School Fund is used for treats for the children throughout the year.

**5th July will be Transition Day.** All children will get a chance to meet their new teacher on this day so it will be very important for them to be there.