



# JUNIOR SCHOOL BULLETIN

17 March 2017

## Faillte!

The week got off to an exciting start with our celebration of World Maths Day. Mr Cothey led an engaging assembly on fractions, followed by a morning of mathematical investigations. Our inaugural Junior School Dance Showcase was a great success on Wednesday night. The girls danced through five super routines, all full of energy and impressive skill. The school week was rounded off with another super class assembly from 5EY. Their final rendition of 'The Story of St. Patrick's Day' was so touching that they sang an encore at the end. Well done to all the children, and thank you to Miss Yates for directing such a fantastic performance.



5EY's St. Patrick's Day assembly

## Junior School News

Congratulations to Amelia Kelly for winning two categories at the Dudley Festival; she came first place in both the 'own choice' and the folk categories. Well done to all the finalists that participated in the Year 4 Reading Competition. Manmeet Sandher won the event with his superb diction, eye contact and expression. Congratulations to Jasamar Gakhal and Lola Brazier-Painter who came first and second place (respectively) in our annual whole-school Music Competition on Tuesday night. There were some fine performances across the board, and this year there was a total of nine Junior School students taking part - a huge increase on last year!

## Food Survey

We are currently in the process of surveying all the children on their school lunch preferences. Of course, we will share any developments with you. In the meantime, it might be worth mentioning that there is always a halal option, and children with specific dietary requirements need only ask at the counter if they cannot see something that caters for their dietary needs.

## Finally...

As of next week, the bulletin will appear as a live document in Firefly. Instead of a PDF document, you will be emailed a reminder of the link each week. The online bulletin will also include handy links to documents such as letters you might have missed, and team sheets for forthcoming fixtures. For a sneak preview, please visit <https://firefly.wgs-sch.net/weekly-bulletin>

## Key Dates

20 March	Yr 6 JLR trip
21 March	U9 football
22 March	U11 football
	Yr 4 residential meeting
23 March	Cross Country
24 March	Yr 3 Trip
27 March	Tea Concert
28 March	House Swimming

## Key Communications

Year 3 Botanical Gardens trip  
 Year 5 Shuborough residential trip  
 Year 6 Jaguar Land Rover trip  
 Bake Off Launch  
 Instrumental Lessons Parents' Evening



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