

# PAGET NEWS

1<sup>st</sup> OCTOBER 2021



**#Team Paget**  
**#Stronger Together**

## Concerned About A Child's Safety?

Contact Birmingham CASS on 0121 303 1888. If you feel a child is at risk of immediate, significant harm then call 999 OR contact a DSL in school: *Miss Nussey, Mrs. Thomas, Miss Spiers, Mrs. Ali-Gobern, Mrs. Ewbank or Mr. Merriman.*

## Child Line

Children if you need to talk to anyone please ring or email [www.childline.co.uk](http://www.childline.co.uk)

## How to Contact Us...



**Email:**

[enquiry@paget.bham.sch.uk](mailto:enquiry@paget.bham.sch.uk)



**Telephone:**

0121 464 3902 or 07493838732



**Twitter:** @PagetPrimary

**No problem**



# HEAD TEACHER'S WELCOME

Welcome to the first edition of the new weekly newsletter. Hopefully parents/carers will be kept up to date on all that is happening in school. There are many similarities to previous newsletters but some differences. In today's newsletter I am also joined by some guest writers from the staff team but also from two Y6 pupils who have written the first sports report of the year which is fantastic to see!

Unfortunately, I have received yet another complaint about parent parking and subsequent aggressive and violent behaviour. One of the transport drivers for our children has had their car damaged by a parent when they asked them to move so they could get out of the gate safely. We are currently liaising with the police about this incident and will be supporting them with CCTV footage. I do not know how many times I need to remind parents about parking sensibly and safely and not blocking our gates. Do we have to wait for a fatality before every parent takes this seriously?

On a more positive note, we are hoping to be able to start running our extra-curricular clubs after half term (Covid allowing). Look out for letters that will be coming out soon with all of the details.

Take care and stay safe

Vicky Nussey

## LEARNERS OF THE WEEK

RECEPTION: Grace, Michael, Stefan & Muhammad

YEAR ONE: Logan, Ricoh, Ellie & Rochelle

YEAR TWO: Kaleem, Toni, Deen & Keira

YEAR THREE: Joel, Jasmine, Logan H & Daniel

YEAR FOUR: Isma, Jax, Elysa & Koveah

YEAR FIVE: Mason S, Jacob, Reilly & Galena

YEAR SIX: Jay, Kai, Summer & Vinnie

PANTHERS: Theo & James

## HOUSEPOINTS

### THIS WEEK'S TOTALS:

EY & KS1

VENUS: 122

MERCURY: 161

JUPITER: 102

SATURN: 133

KS2

VENUS: 360

MERCURY: 464

JUPITER: 350

SATURN: 377

### THIS WEEK'S WINNING CLASS:

EY & KS1: 2HS

KS2: 4H

# SAFEGUARDING

## FOCUS ON: ONLINE SAFETY

Hello to all parents from Mr Harris. It is so nice to see all the children back at school and I hope that your child/children have settled in well.

Online safety is a huge focus for us here at Paget, we want to ensure that all children who attend our school understand what it takes to be safe online. These days, more and more children use the internet, in and outside of school, and we need to ensure that they know how to use it all in a safe way.

We have started the year by getting all children to sign our 'e-safety charter' in the classroom. This charter explains how they will do things such as:

- Keep personal information safe and secret.
- Never to meet up with anyone they have met online.
- Telling someone if they see something that worries them online.

Online safety will continue to remain a focus throughout the year, and we would really appreciate your support with this at home. If you have any questions or queries regarding online safety, please send me an email :)

G.harris@paget.bham.sch.uk

## VALUES: Determination

Determination means – not giving up when things get difficult. Determination is being able to do or achieve something. It is about making your mind up about something and driving on to achieve a goal.

You can show determination by:

- Never giving up
- Setting goals and working towards them
  - Asking for help
- Not being afraid to make a mistake
- Being prepared to struggle on when things go wrong
- Being prepared to make mistakes and persevere to get things right and learn from the mistakes

Our Year5/6 football team showed great determination last night where on one of their matches they were 4-1 down at half time but they came back to win 6-5.



# Information and Reminders

## SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPHS

The photographer will be in school on the 16<sup>th</sup> November.



## YEAR TWO RESIDENTIAL MEETING

There will be a meeting for Y2 parents about this year's Year Two residential meeting on Monday 4<sup>th</sup> October at 3.30 p.m. We look forward to seeing you there.

## CHILDREN'S CLOTHING

Please, please, please ensure that your children's clothing and belongings have names in them. We are getting an increasing amount of Lost property with no names which makes it impossible to return it to the rightful owner.

## YEAR 3 HARVEST FESTIVAL

As part of our celebrations for Harvest, Year 3 staff and children are organising a food collection for Erdington Food Bank. This organisation provides valuable support to those in need within our local community. In previous years, staff at the food bank have been overwhelmed by the generosity shown by Paget families, and we will be again asking children to bring into school donations of non-perishable foods (e.g. tins, dried pasta, rice, jars) from Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> October until Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> October. For further information about the invaluable work of the Erdington Food bank, please visit <https://www.trusselltrust.org/get-help/find-a-foodbank/>

## FLU VACCINATIONS

We have been notified by the school nurse team that they are no longer able to do the flu nasal vaccinations on the date originally sent out. They will be contacting us with a new date once they have one. We will of course keep you updated.

## PE KITS

Another polite reminder, as we are now back in 'normal times', children should be wearing the correct kit for P.E. This is a white t-shirt with either black shorts, leggings or jogging bottoms.

Below is a reminder of which day your child has P.E.

Nursery: Wednesday  
Reception: Wednesday  
Year One: Thursday & Friday  
Year Two: Monday (swimming) & Thursday  
Year Three: Monday & Tuesday  
Year Four: Tuesday & Thursday  
Year Five: Monday & Wednesday  
Year Six: Tuesday & Friday  
Panthers: Wednesday

Remember children now come to school on their PE day in their kit.

## SECONDARY SCHOOL PLACES

Secondary Intake (Year 6 children) - Online applications should be completed by 31st October 2022

[www.birmingham.gov.uk](http://www.birmingham.gov.uk)

# FOCUS ON READING

## Reading -EYFS and KS1

Hello, we are passionate about reading at Paget #getpagetreading and we want to pass this love of books to your child. I am really pleased that we have now been able to restart our Phonic lessons across Year 1 & 2 and beginning in EYFS, giving the children exposure to a wide range of books to develop their reading skills. We use the RWInc programme to help teach your child to become a fluent reader. We also offer this scheme to children in Year 3 and 4 that might need a bit of extra help. RWI is a very popular and successful literacy programme. Your child will learn to read in a very simple way. He or she will learn to:

1. Read **letters** by their 'sounds'
2. Blend these sounds into **words**
3. Read the words in a **story**.

Exciting news - we are currently trying to set dates for parent workshops where you can come in and work with your child. In addition [www.ruthmiskin.com/parents](http://www.ruthmiskin.com/parents) has some really useful videos to help you support your child at home.

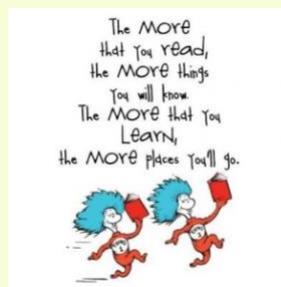
### Help us to help your child

- Please make sure your child has their book and reading record in school every day and that you are signing this at least 2 times per week
- We have a storytime every day at school so children develop a love of stories. We hope that you will do the same by reading a bedtime story to your child every night. Let us know how you get on using our twitter @paget #getpagetreading.
- If you have any questions or queries please let me or your class teacher know
- Mrs Styles, RWI Lead - [g.styles@paget.bham.sch.uk](mailto:g.styles@paget.bham.sch.uk)

### Top Tips for helping your child learn to read...

#### How to listen to your child read

- Do not read the book out loud before your child reads it to you.
- Ask your child to read the sounds and words before he or she reads the story.
- When your child reads the story, ask him or her to sound out the words that he or she can't read automatically. Don't allow your child to struggle too much. Praise your child when he or she succeeds.
- Read back each sentence or page to keep the plot moving. (Your child's energy is going into reading the words not the story.)
- Do not ask your child to guess the word by using the pictures.
- Do it all with patience and love! Have fun



# Paget news

## Bewildering start by Paget

by Alex and Hakam / the media team



On Monday 20<sup>th</sup> September 2021 the Paget Year 3\4 football stars went to Villa Park to have a football competition for the first time in over two years.

When we were on the bus, we interviewed some of the players and Khalil and Billy (both from 3D) explained that they were nervous due to the fact of this being their first competition. However, Viktor was determined to play in goal but in total all the team was excited.



In the first game we played Sacred Heart. It was a tough battle between them but to our luck we scored as Cameron took a strike and hit the post but then Khalil came and then scored the rebound to make it 1-0.

In the second game we played St. Josephs and what a game that was. Freddie was amazing as he scored a hat-trick and Viktor was unfortunate to concede 2 goals, but they still won 4-2!

Team talk picture



In the third game was against Manor Park. we had a great game as we won 13-0 and in fact every player scored that game. We had some great possession, and they barely touched the ball. At the end Hayden scored an amazing free kick that went to the right top corner.



At the end Paget won all three games and they were 1<sup>st</sup> place so far and every player tried the best they could and showed a lot of determination. Paget had a positive start but it is not the end as there is more action coming up.



Well done to Viktor (4C) for being man of the match for showing a lot of bravery in goal. In the matter of fact, he only conceded 2 goals.

Written by the media team - Alex and Hakam 6B



# Dates for Your Diary

Monday 4<sup>th</sup> October – 3.30p.m. Y2 parent meeting re Y2 residential\*

Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> October – Year 6 Trip to Warner Bros Studios\*

Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> October – Halloween Disco

Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> October – Parents Evening (including parent drop in session in hall with Mrs Moseley) \*

Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> October – children break up for half term

Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> October – Teacher Training Day – school closed to children

Monday 1<sup>st</sup> November – Term begins – children return to school

Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> November – Photographer in school – school photos

Friday 17<sup>th</sup> December – Break up for Christmas

Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> January – Teacher Day – school closed to children

Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> January – Children return to school

Friday 18<sup>th</sup> February – Break Up for half term

Monday 28<sup>th</sup> February – Term begins

Friday 8<sup>th</sup> April – Break up for Easter

Monday 25<sup>th</sup> April – Term begins

Friday 27<sup>th</sup> May – Break up for half term

Monday 6<sup>th</sup> June – Term begins

Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> July – Children break up for the summer

Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> July – Teacher Day -school closed to children

***This section will be regularly updated once new dates are known and confirmed.***

***\*Indicates newly added items***