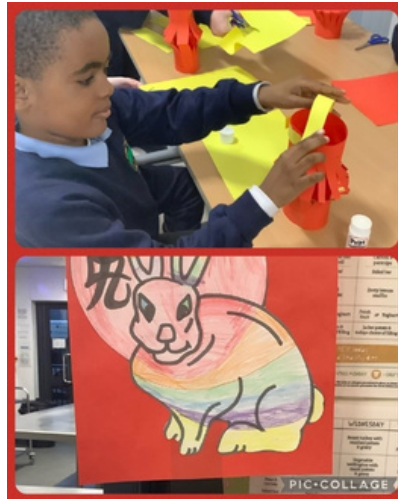


# Weekly Newsletter

27th January 2023



This week, the children in breakfast club have enjoyed learning about Chinese New Year! This calendar event was celebrated on Sunday 22nd January for many people around the world. The children at Four Oaks have been learning that 2023 is the year of the rabbit. The rabbit represents 'longevity, peace and wealth.' Breakfast club have enjoyed making Chinese lanterns with Miss Dunne and have learnt that the lanterns symbolise letting go of the past year and welcoming the new year!

Last week in year 3, we made our own flatbreads! As part of our DT topic, we are investigating different types of bread that we could use for making a sandwich. Firstly, we tasted different breads, including sourdough, wholemeal, bagels and baguettes.

'Wholemeal has a unique aftertaste'- Jaxon  
After that, we went into the community room to learn new skills in the kitchen. As part of making flatbreads, we learned skills such as kneading and rolling the dough. And we even got to taste them afterwards!





Elijah

Look no leaves on the trees.

## Reception Winter walk 24/1/23

Alyson

We can see our breath in the cold air.

On our winter walk to Stanley park, we looked for signs of winter. We noticed that the trees had no leaves on them because they had all fallen in Autumn. We noticed we could see our breath in the air because of the cold temperature. We spoke about our hands and noses being cold. We enjoyed looking at the different birds on the lake. We saw ducks and swans, and in the trees, we saw a squirrel.

**MENTAL HEALTH SUPPORT TEAM**  
**PRIMARY VIRTUAL COFFEE MORNING**  
**FOR PARENTS AND CARERS**  
**CHILDREN'S MENTAL HEALTH WEEK: LET'S CONNECT**

HOSTED ON EVENTBRITE!

MONDAY THE 6TH OF FEBRUARY 10:00-11:30

YPAS  
 Liverpool CAMHS

Dear families and children,  
 We hope you have had a good week. Some of our children have particularly been enjoying the opportunity to get out and about. This week Reception children enjoyed their winter walk and you can see photographs of them and what they were learning in this newsletter. Today Year 6 were delighted to be going out to Western Approaches as part of their History topic and we are looking forward to reading all about it in next week's newsletter. Next week will be an unusual week due to the strike that is taking place on Wednesday that affects our school. A letter was sent out this week explaining that we are only able to open to Year 6 on this day. It also included suggestions for activities that your child can do at home. If you did not receive a copy or would like another copy it is on our website under 'Parents / Letters & attendance' or you can ask your child's teacher. Please check you have the login details you need for your child to access learning activities set by their teacher – if you need them again, please ask your teacher or school office as soon as possible.  
 Kind regards, Mrs Robinson

Absence: It is your responsibility to phone the school office by 9am each day your child is absent. Please leave a voicemail if there is no answer. TERM TIME HOLIDAYS WILL RESULT IN FINES.

	Rec	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
100% Very best chance of success	93%	94%	96%	96%	91%	93%	95%
99-97% Off to a flying start							
96-93% Less chance of success							
92-90% At risk of becoming a Persistent Absentee							
Less than 90% Persistent Absentee							

The school target for this academic year is 97%