



**Newsletter 8**  
**24<sup>th</sup> October 2019**



Dear Parents,

As we come to the end of a very busy eight weeks in school, I would like to thank the children for their hard work and for everything they have achieved in their new classes. I would also like to thank parents, staff and governors for the support given during Mrs Smith's absence – it is very much appreciated. Mrs Smith is hoping to be back in school after half-term and we are looking forward to her return.

**Merit Certificates**

Well done to the following children who have been selected by their class teacher:

3Anning	<b>Georgie Garnham</b>	For an excellent attitude to learning and being a really helpful member of the class.
3Nightingale	<b>Esther Sanju</b>	For growing in confidence and taking pride in her work. For extra effort to work independently.
4Jemison	<b>Miguel Martin-Rueda</b>	For being such a kind and caring member of our class. For excellent work in RE and being so willing and confident to speak to visitors.
4Attenborough	<b>James Sweeney</b>	For consistently producing good work in every subject and always showing, he is ready to learn. He is a pleasure to have in the class.
5Mandela	<b>Ruby Hibberd</b>	Ruby always does everything she is asked – she continues to challenge herself in every aspect of her learning and follows her toolkit.
5Einstein	<b>Kacper Gebski</b>	For being a lovely member of the class and his positive attitude to work. He makes excellent contributions in lessons especially Maths, Science and English.
6Johnson	<b>Holly Taylor</b>	For attempting every challenge given to her using her learning powers of persistence.
6Martin Luther King	<b>Aaron Glasson</b>	For great imaginative, descriptive and well organised writing.

**Football**

The Year 5/6 Girls' football team got off to a winning start in their league by beating Leverstock Green 2-0 last Friday. Both of our goals were scored by Darcy Pirie. The 'B' team played at the same time on the next pitch and won 3-1. Their goals were scored by Freya Clift, Hannah Corr and Olivia Slusarczyk. Well done to both teams.

**Secondary Transfer Applications**

John F Kennedy School have asked us to pass on the following message to parents:

*A reminder that any Year 6 parents wishing to apply to JFK should submit the Local Authority (Herts/Central Beds/Luton/Bucks) application form and also return completed JFK Supplementary Information Forms to the school by 31<sup>st</sup> October 2019. Please submit all applicable documentation (including photocopies of Baptism certificates) as detailed in the Admissions Policy.*

### **Congratulations**

Miss Read is getting married during half-term and will be returning to us as Mrs Knight. We wish her and Mr Knight a lovely day and every happiness for the future.

### **Caretaker**

We are advertising for a new caretaker. If you are interested in this post, or know someone who might be interested, please contact Mrs Deane via the school office for details. Details can also be found at [www.teachinherts.com](http://www.teachinherts.com)

Thank you once again for your support and wishing you all a really lovely half-term.

Best wishes,  
**Miss Sheridan**  
**Deputy Headteacher**