

Balfour Junior Academy Newsletter

Friday 5th February 2021



Important Dates:



Safer Internet day

Tuesday 9th February

Last day of Term 3 —

Friday 12th February

Chinese New Year—

Friday 12th February

Half term break —

Monday 15th February –
Friday 19th February

Shrove Tuesday—

Tuesday 16th February

Lent begins—

Wednesday 17th
February

First day of term 4—

Monday 22nd February

Parent consultation day

Friday 26th February—
more details to follow



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Home learning

We hope everybody has had a happy, healthy and productive week, whether in school or working at home. On Tuesday 9th February, it is Safer Internet Day and we will be sharing assemblies, lessons and activities and on Teams. Please do get involved as staying safe online is so important. now more than ever.

We would also love to hear your feedback about our remote learning provision. A survey is available via the following link and takes around 5 minutes to complete:

https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=P64IVrSjLU6_loPFO7_6o3uwQzSK_4dluzjTU0vHvXxUQTJFMDAwNjVES1MzVIFRSko2TUhWVzc3NC4u

Change of date

Please note, the parent consultation day that was planned for Friday 12th February has been rearranged and will now take place on Friday 26th February. The school will remain open on this day for keyworker and vulnerable pupils and more details about the parent consultations will follow shortly.

★ What a Superstar! ★



We are delighted to share with you this amazing art work, by Teigan in Year 6.

Teigan is a very talented young lady who uses a range of media to produce her stunning pictures. We're sure we will see her work on display in an art gallery one day!

Wellbeing

Change4Life is an NHS initiative that supports families with fun ideas to help kids stay healthy—whether with easy recipes for busy weeknights, great sugar swaps, Disney-inspired games to get kids moving or help in understanding food labels. Visit www.nhs.uk/change4life for recipe ideas and fun activities to try.



Chorister recruitment

Rochester Cathedral are now recruiting for Choristers to join the Cathedral Choir. Applications are open to Boys and Girls currently in Year 3, (although applications from those in current Year 6/7 are also welcome). Please visit <https://www.rochestercathedral.org/job-vacancy-input/2021/1/28/chorister-vacancies-closing-date-28th-february> for more information

Achievement Award



Well done to the following pupils for receiving this week's Achievement Award!



3L - Charlie	3M— Harrison	3P— Simrat	3Y— Matilda
4H - Aaron	4O'K— Poppy	4T— Freya	4W— Kysha
5C— Danya	5H— Aiden	5Re— Muhammed	5Ro— Isabelle
6K— Tom	6L— Isaac	6Ma— Alisha	6Mo— Fletcher