

## 25th November 2023



# **Cheetah Class Newsletter**

Issue 5

### **Class Teacher**

What a fun-filled, exciting previous 2 weeks we have had since I last wrote to you. We have had a visit from RAF Shawbury in their military JUNO helicopter. The children were absolutely AMAZED and loved getting to go onto it. We learned all about the buttons, mechanisms and how a helicopter takes off and lands. To see the children saying 'best day ever' and even some of Cheetahs deciding they would like to be in the military is why we give the children these opportunities – thank you Mr Wong for organising such a memorable experience. This week, children have been visited by St Johns Ambulance and been provided with an intensive 2.5 hour training course, teaching them ways to help people, who require First Aid, again what an amazing, important skill to have!

#### Curriculum

<u>Geography</u> – Miss Plant, our trainee teacher, is teaching the children Geography this term. She has begun by educating them all about tectonic plates, how earthquakes occur and this week, they have been learning about volcanoes.

<u>Computing</u> – In Computing, we have just finished Online Safety. We talked about our behaviours online, ensuring passwords are safe and secure, and what to do if we are exposed to inappropriate materials. We have also been talking about the legal age limit for apps and why these are assessed as inappropriate for younger.

<u>English</u> – We have just finished our English unit, The Children of the Benin Kingdom. To end our 3-week learning cycle, we have produced a non-chronological report, which was outstanding! All children have made such significant progress since September and to see over half of the class ask to photocopy their work to take home and show parents and carers, makes me so proud. Below are just a few examples:









<u>Mission Christmas</u> – Year 4 are leading on raising toys and gifts for children and families this Christmas. Please if you can spare a sealed toy that could go to those in need this year, please send them in and Year 4 will collect.

For more information on what these topics contain, please go to Cheetah Class at www.whistonwillis.co.uk

### **Important Information**

P.E. Days – Thursday and Friday

Snacks – Please ensure children are bringing healthy snacks to school for break and lunch times. Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> December – Movie Night (please return slip and cash payment to receive ticket)

To see all our latest learning and for school updates, please follow @MissCaldwell09 and @WhistonWillis1 on twitter.

Thank you for your continued support

Miss Caldwell

