

## 3<sup>rd</sup> October 2025



#### Issue 2

# **Koala Class Newsletter**

#### **MESSAGES**

We continue to remind children of our School Values which are:

Be Respectful

Be Responsible

Be Safe

At home, children should have weekly access to Boom Reader and Times Table Rock Stars.
These form part of children's weekly homework tasks. Log in details for each of these platforms have been given to your child.

## **GUIDED READING/ ENGLISH**

We continue to read the book **Cosmic** in Guided Reading. This week, Koala Class started to read the book **Hidden Figures** by Margot Lee Shetterly, where children have: asked a range of questions about a subject; written a non-fiction report for a webpage; used a range of sentence types to create an advert; used a range of noun phrases to write about a character; and, spoke in role as a character from the book.

#### **MATHS**

Children have completed our topic on **Numbers to 1,000,000** and have now moved on to **Whole Numbers: Addition and Subtraction**. In this topic, children will: count on to add; add within 1,000,000; count backwards to subtract; and, subtract within 1,000,000.

## **SCIENCE**

Within our topic on **Properties and Changing Materials**, children have (or will) answer the questions: What properties do materials have?; What is a solution and what is a mixture?; How can we separate materials from a mixture?; How can we separate materials from a solution?; What changes are reversible?; and, What changes are irreversible?

For more curriculum information, please refer to our next class newsletter or go to our school website <a href="https://www.whistonwillis.co.uk">www.whistonwillis.co.uk</a>

#### **STARS OF THE WEEK**

	26/09/25	03/10/25
Star of the Week –	Forest	Oscar
Rights Respecter of the Week –	Lottie	Ruby

#### **IMPORTANT INFORMATION**

**Uniform** – It is expected that all children wear the correct uniform to school each day. Children can wear their PE kit on the days mentioned below.

**PE Days** – Mondays and Fridays

**Snacks** – Please ensure children are bringing healthy snacks to school for break and lunch times.

**Homework** – Please refer to the expectations of homework found on our school website.

To see all our latest learning and for school updates, please follow @WhistonWillis1 on X (formally Twitter). Also, for Koala Class follow @MrMPhillips01



Thank you for your continued support, Mr Phillips