

Attendance

We would like to remind parents of the importance of children being in school every day and on time. Children learn so much every day during their primary school years and it takes children a great deal of time to catch up on learning what they have missed.

School Bags

We would like to remind parents once again, that children should not be bringing in rucksacks to school. There is limited storage in the classrooms, so we kindly ask that your child only brings in their school bag and their PE bag on the days they have P.E. School bags can be purchased from the school office.

Parent's meeting

Inshallah, we will be holding our parents meeting on Monday 6th November. Please ensure you return your slips to school to confirm your meeting. Please note, you will be allocated a 15minute time slot, so please ensure you arrive promptly Jazakall-h

Coffee mornings

Alhamdulillah, we have introduced coffee mornings for mothers which will be taking place on the last Thursday of every month. Our next coffee morning will be held on Thursday 26th October inshallah.

McMillan Coffee Morning

We held our first McMillan coffee morning on the 28th of September. Alhamdulillah we raised £94.50. Jazakllah, for all your support.

Lunch

A polite reminder to ensure your child's lunch is placed in a microwavable container and not wrapped in foil if it needs heating. Please note that fried food is NOT allowed and will not be heated up.

Spelling

Next term we will be having a huge focus on improving spellings across the school. In order for this to be successful, we really need your support. We would like to request parents to take an active part in helping your child/children learn their spellings. As an incentive, we have decided to arrange a trip to Gulliver's world for children who consistently achieve full marks in their weekly spellings tests AND display good spellings in their work. The trip will take place in March 2018 Inshallah.

Reading

Once again, we would like to request parents to listen to their child read at home daily, for at least five minutes. We cannot stress enough the importance of reading daily and how much of a positive impact this has on your child's learning.

Dates for your diary

Coffee morning Thursday 26th October
Half term: Friday 27th October
School will re-open: Tuesday 7th November
Parent's meeting: Monday 6th November
Scholastic book fair: 22nd November- 29th November
Children in need: 16th November

Winter clothing

As winter is fast approaching, please could you ensure that your child comes to school wearing a coat and shoes. We would like to remind you to label your child's coat to avoid mix-ups.

School Council

Alhamdulillah, we have elected our new school council who are working hard to bring changes to the school. We will keep you informed with future developments. Inshallah

What we've been learning about this term!

Reception



The children in Reception have been learning about poems and rhymes!

Year 1



Year 1 have been learning about Travel and Transport in History. They decorated this Viking Longboat



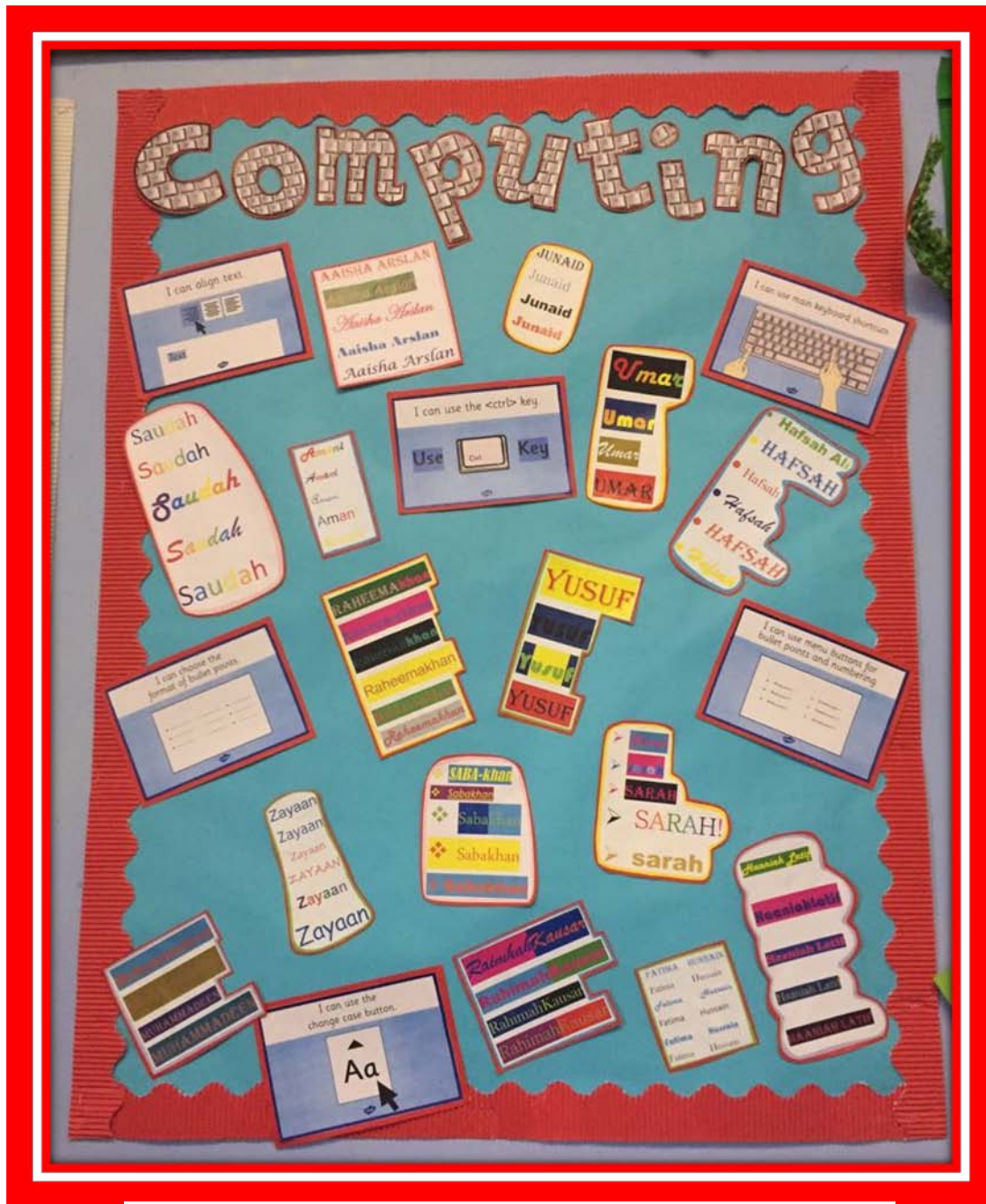
In Art, the Year 1 children have made their own sculptures using natural materials.

Year 2



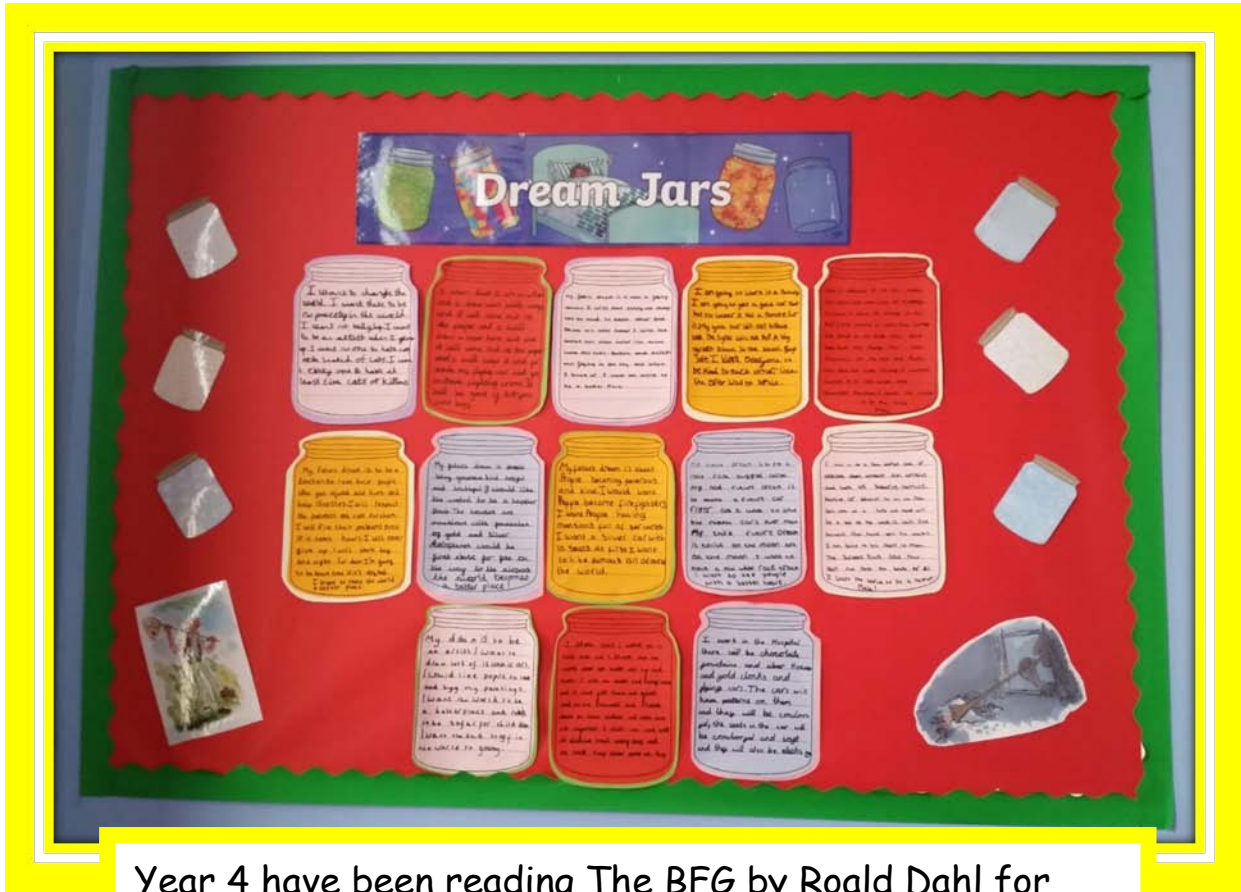
Year 2 children have been learning about letters and post cards in their English unit. They have been writing postcards from the seaside!

Year 3



This half term the year 3 children have been learning how to use Microsoft word. They have learnt how to change the font size, colour and style. Additionally, children have learnt how to align texts and add bullet points.

Year 4



Year 4 have been reading *The BFG* by Roald Dahl for their English topic; Significant authors. The class have created their own dream jars taking inspiration from the book.



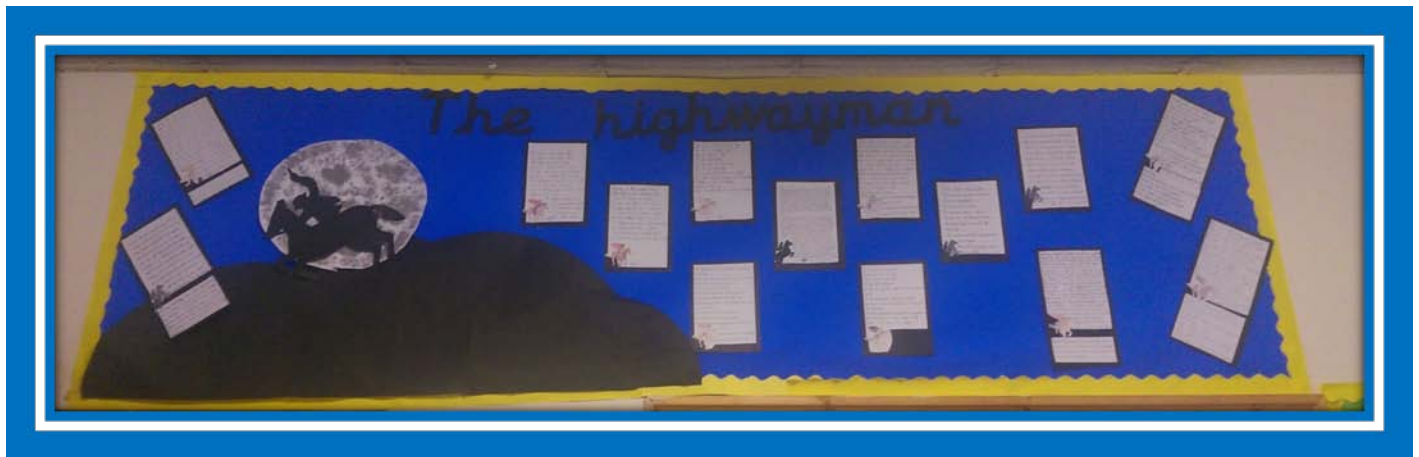
In Art, the children have been learning about Islamic Art. This display by year 4 shows the 3 different styles they have learnt about; vegetal patterns, geometric patterns and calligraphy.

Year 5



The year 5 children have been learning about 'The Highway man' by Alfred Noyes. Children have been sketching a scene from the poem and then writing a description. Children have also created a Wanted poster for the highway man.

Year 6



Year 6 have also been studying 'The highway man' by Alfred Noyes. Children have been re-writing the sad ending, in the style of Alfred Noyes, to make it a more happier one.



British Food Fortnight

05/10/17

To celebrate British Food Fortnight, the year 6 children looked at some traditional British meals and prepared a traditional British breakfast.



The children designed their own union 'food flag' to decorate the table.



The children's British breakfast consisted of: toast, hash browns, waffles, beans, digestive biscuits, Victoria sponge cake and some orange juice.



The children thoroughly enjoyed their British breakfast!