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***Nurture Inspire Flourish***  
***This month's value; Understanding***

Dear All,

Welcome back to a new half term where we will be looking forward to all the exciting events that inevitably happen with Christmas fast approaching.

Our INSET day was very productive; we worked on the SIAMS criteria for Church schools and all contributed information that will feed in to moving Greenfield School forward over the coming year.



As you are probably aware on Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> November, Greenfield School had a 'Deep Dive' into our History curriculum by Ofsted. The day was a very positive experience and the inspector commented on how wonderful our children were.

A huge thank you to all the parents of our KS2 children who went to a lot of effort in producing costumes for our Stone Age day. The children had a wonderful time.

Debbie Drawbridge  
Headteacher

## 'TRIPLE P' - POSITIVE PARENTING SEMINAR

Small changes,  
big differences.



**Triple P, Positive Parenting seminar  
(for parents of children 0-12 years)**

**The Power Of Positive Parenting**

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DATE	19 <sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER 2019
TIME	6.00 pm
VENUE	Pulloxhill School
PRESENTER	Natalie Tillett

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BOOKINGS AND INFORMATION

We are offering this event to parents of children in both Greenfield School and Pulloxhill School. Information on the program is attached. If you would like to attend the event please visit either school office and enter your details on the booking sheet. Unfortunately, this event will only be able to go ahead if we have a sufficient number of parents who are interested.

[www.triplep-parenting.net](http://www.triplep-parenting.net)

Please contact the school office at Greenfield or Pulloxhill if you would like to book a place on the above seminar, which takes place at Pulloxhill School on 19 November, 6.00pm. As we have received sufficient interest, this will definitely go ahead.

## BAKE OFF AT HARLINGTON UPPER SCHOOL

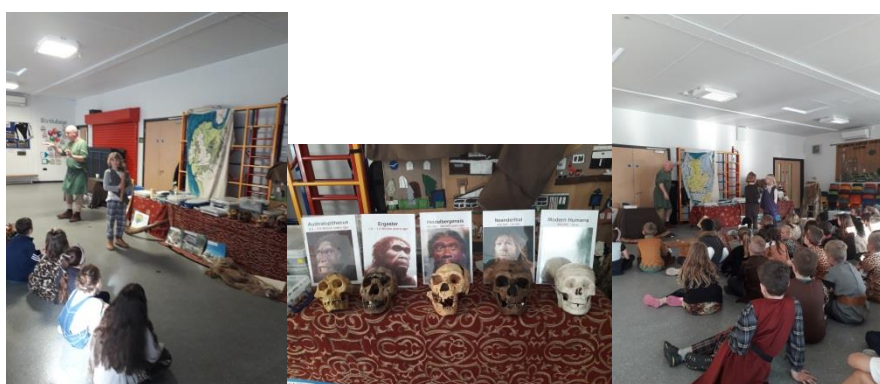
Harlington Upper School invited representatives from feeder middle and lower schools to take part in their annual Bake Off competition, on Thursday 31 October.

The day started at 9am with team building activities and ended at 2.30pm after prize giving. During the day the teams undertook baking challenges along the theme of Halloween treats. Well done to 'Team Paul Hollywood' for winning first prize and receiving a number of gifts!!



## **STONE AGE DAY AT GREENFIELD SCHOOL**

Hérons, Eagles, Kestrels and Kites jointed together for the day, yesterday and came to school dressed up to enjoy 'Stone Age Day' at Greenfield. Dan who led the day showed the children many interesting primary artefacts. The children spent the day learning about Palaeolithic, Mesolithic and Neolithic times. There was much excitement when the children were allowed to look up close and hold the artefacts.



## **SAFEGUARDING AT GREENFIELD & PULLOXHILL ACADEMY**

The Child Protection and Safeguarding Officers at Greenfield and Pulloxhill Academy are Alison Wolfe (Pulloxhill) and Wendy Shuttle (Greenfield). Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact them via the school office or catch them in the playground. Thank you.

## **ATTENDANCE**

**A reminder that when your child is absent, please contact the school by 9.30am at the latest, on each day of the absence. Where possible please could medical, dental and optician appointments be made out of school hours. Thank you for your continued support.**

Greenfield School	Pulloxhill School
Week ending 1 November 97%	Week ending 1 November 98%
Week ending 18 October 95%	Week ending 18 October 95%

## **VACANCIES**

Arnold Academy has a vacancy for a TA (Autistic Provision), 8.30-3.45pm and also a vacancy for a general subjects' teacher (English & Humanities). Please look at the school website for further details; [www.arnoldacademy.org.uk](http://www.arnoldacademy.org.uk)

Harlington Upper school has a vacancy for a teacher of maths. For further details; [www.harlington.org/vacancies](http://www.harlington.org/vacancies)

<b>DATES FOR THE DIARY</b>	
19 November	Non uniform day across the academy. Wear colourful clothes, donations to the Mind Map charity.
19 November, 6pm	'Triple P' positive parenting seminar at Pulloxhill School.
4 December	<b>Christmas Performances</b> 5.00pm Robins Christmas performance - Greenfield
9 December	<b>Christmas Performances</b> 2.00pm Kestrels & Kites (Pulloxhill Year 3 & 4) 6.00pm Penguins, Swifts & Skylarks (Pulloxhill Year R, 1 & 2)
10 December	<b>Christmas Performances</b> 2.00pm Wrens & Owls (Greenfield Year 1 & 2) 7.00pm Kestrels & Kites (Pulloxhill Year 3 & 4)
11 December	<b>Christmas Performances</b> 9.30am Penguins, Swifts & Skylarks (Pulloxhill Year R, 1 & 2) 7.00pm Herons & Eagles (Greenfield Year 3 & 4)
12 December	<b>Christmas Performances</b> 2.00pm Herons & Eagles (Greenfield Year 3 & 4) 6.00pm Wrens & Owls (Greenfield Year 1 & 2)
13 December	Christmas dinner across the academy at lunchtime
13 December PM	Puffin Nursery 'stay and play'
20 December, 2.00pm	Greenfield School, Flitton Church
20 December, 3.30pm	Break up for Christmas holiday
<b>DATES FOR THE DIARY - 2020</b>	
3 January 2020	Staff training day - school closed
6 January	Children return to school
14 February, 3.30pm	Break up for half term
24 February	Children return to school
5 March	Trip to Grove Theatre, Dunstable for World Book Day
12 March	Class photographs
16-18 March	Pulloxhill Year 3 to Stibbington
18-20 March	Greenfield Year 3 to Stibbington
24-26 March	Year 4 to Germany
3 April, 3.30pm	Break up for Easter
20 April	Staff training day - school closed
21 April	Children return to school
8 May	Bank holiday
16 May	Pulloxhill School May Fayre
22 May, 3.30pm	Break up for half term
1 June	Children return to school
4 June	Year 3 & 4 start swimming lessons at Flitwick leisure centre (each Thursday morning for the half term)
8-12 June	Year 4 Isle of Wight residential
17 July, 3.30pm	Break up for summer holiday



# Find out more about your local Children's Centre

Join us at Flitwick Children's Centre  
on Friday 22 November

between 10am and 12 noon

**Find out about:**

- What we offer for children, families and professionals
- What we are looking to develop in the future for 0 – 12's
- How you can get involved and be part of it!



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## 12<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2019 MENTAL HEALTH & EMOTIONAL WELLBEING DROP IN

Is your child feeling anxious?  
Does your child have low self-esteem?  
Do you know what services are available?  
Do you know how to speak to your child about  
how they're feeling?

Information, support and guidance from:  
CBC Mental Health & Emotional Wellbeing  
Practitioner  
CAMHS  
School Nurse  
Health Visitors  
CHUMS  
Recovery College

Central  
Bedfordshire

For more information please contact Natalie Good  
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### Mental Health & Emotional Wellbeing Drop in

Find ways to support  
the children and  
young people in your  
life

Free to attend

Parents & Young  
People session

9.30 -10.30am

Professionals  
session

11 – 12pm

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