



### Mrs Minshall-Thomas' Star Moments

A busy and exciting week. On Monday, I had the chance to read with the Reception children who have really made super progress since the Autumn Term!,



This week has been particularly exciting and interesting for the children and staff, with our Health and Well-being week. The children have taken part in some interesting discussions and have learnt all about their inner chimp! On Wednesday, we had a play day (great for everybody's well-being teachers and children!) On Thursday, we had our annual movie night. 90 children attending which was fabulous thanks to the PTA helpers and staff for organizing the event. Well done to the Year 3&4 children at the gym competition and thanks to Mrs Dale for attending!

#### What's coming up next week .....

On Wednesday we have the Year 3&4 children going to Young Voices, we cant wait !!! Text reminders for updates will be sent out. **Thursday 14th February, parents are invited to our Forest**



### News in Brief

#### Friends Of Sound

Please see page 4 for upcoming dates

**PLEASE COULD YOU SIGN THE ATTACHED SLIP AND SEND BACK TO SCHOOL IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO BE KEPT UP TO DATE ABOUT OUR EVENTS.**



#### Curriculum Evening

On Wednesday 27th February we will be holding our Curriculum Evening. You should have received a letter allowing you to sign up for a session.



#### INSET DAY REMINDER

Just a reminder that on Monday 25th February is an INSET day and school will re-open on Tuesday 26th February.



### Sound's Superstars

Diamond

Emerald

Ruby

Sapphire

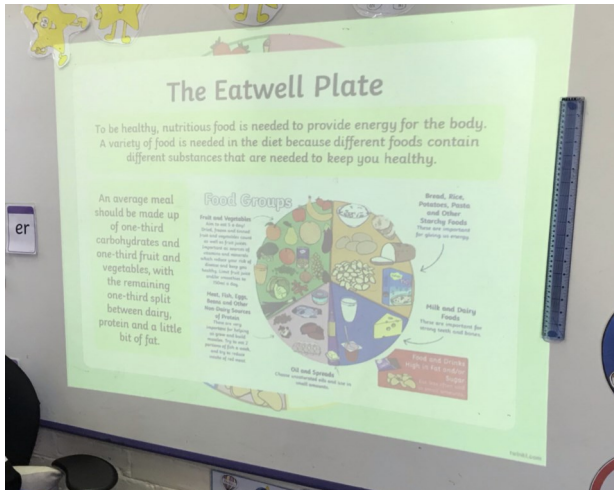
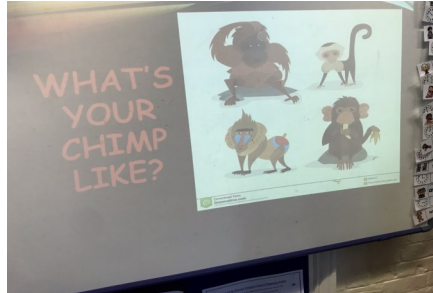
Onyx

#### Upcoming Events

- ◆ 12/2/19- STAR DAY
- ◆ 12/2/19-Young Voices-Sapphire Class
- ◆ 13/2/19-Team Day-Wellbeing focus!
- ◆ 15/2/19-Break up for half term
- ◆ 25.2.19-INSET day
- ◆ 26.2.19-School re-opens
- ◆ 27.2.19-Parent Curriculum Evening
- ◆ 5.3.19-Academy photos in
- ◆ 5.3.19- Resource Committee Governors



### Health and Wellbeing Week !



This week in Global Learning  
we are focusing on....

Philosophy  
for children



### Perfect Attendance!

#### Weekly Class Attendance

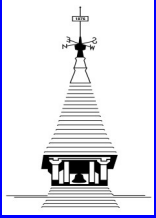
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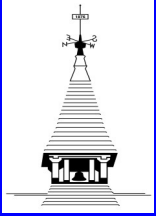
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Play Day Fun !







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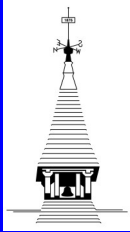


Moxie Night Fun !



Year 3&4 gymnastics!



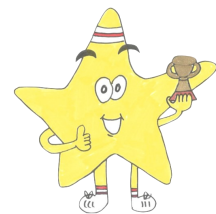


# Our 2019 Friends Of Sound Events Diary

Dates for your diary.....

Please see below dates for your diary of upcoming events! We would love to see as many of you there as possible. These events raise valuable money for the school to improve opportunities and learning experiences for the children, so we need you !!!

Event	Date
1. Movie Night	Thursday 7 <sup>th</sup> February 3:30-5:30pm
2. PTA AGM and PTA meeting afterwards	Wednesday 27 <sup>th</sup> February 5:30pm (this is already been shared on the news-letter)
3. Mothers Day	Monday 25 <sup>th</sup> March In school time
4. Chocolate Bingo	Thursday 2 <sup>nd</sup> May 6:00-8:00pm
5. Party in the playground (linked vegetarian week)	Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup> May 3:15-4:15pm
6. Fathers Day	Thursday 13 <sup>th</sup> June In school time
7. Summer Fair	Saturday 29 <sup>th</sup> June TIME TO BE CONFIRMED



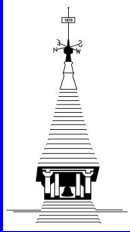
PLEASE COMPLETE BELOW AND SEND BACK TO SCHOOL

The PTA would like to keep you informed of what we are planning, and meetings and events. If you are happy for the school to share your contact details with us please tick the relevant tick boxes below.

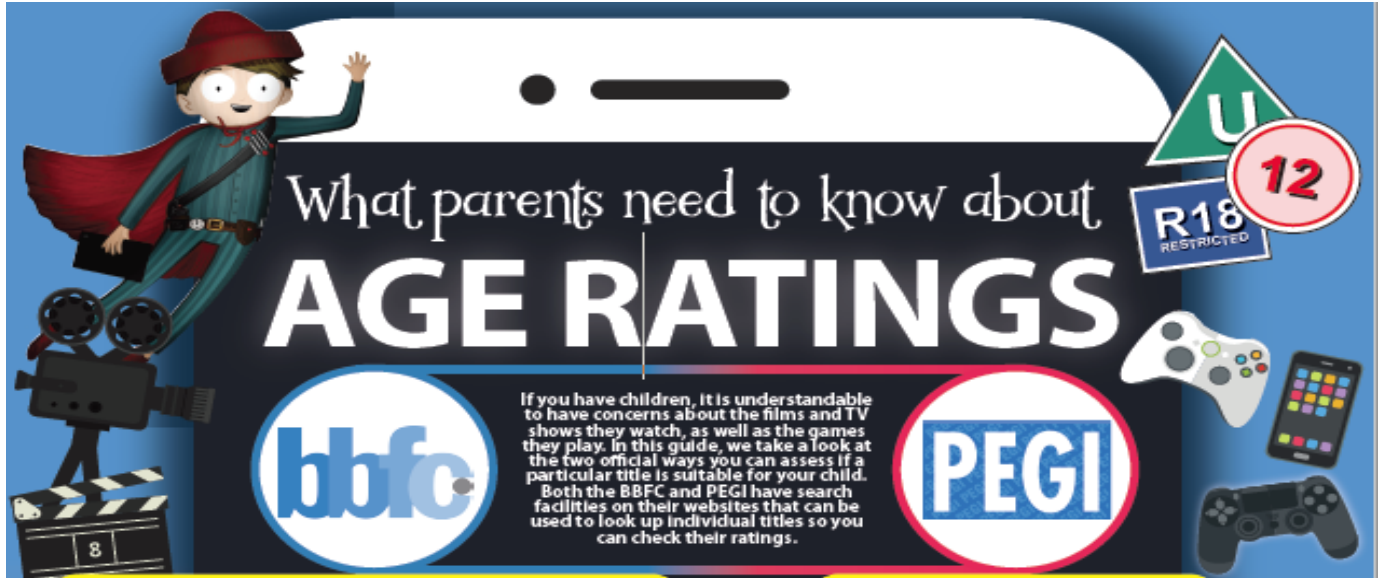
- Email
- Text message
- Post

Signed ..... Childs name .....Class.....

The information you agree to be shared with us will be used in accordance with our Privacy Policy that can



# ONLINE SAFETY INFORMATION



If you have children, it is understandable to have concerns about the films and TV shows they watch, as well as the games they play. In this guide, we take a look at the two official ways you can assess if a particular title is suitable for your child. Both the BBFC and PEGI have search facilities on their websites that can be used to look up individual titles so you can check their ratings.



## RATINGS FOR FILMS, TV & MUSIC VIDEOS

Since 1912, the BBFC (British Board of Film Classification) has informed UK residents of the age suitability of films, TV and music videos - providing parents with the information needed to assess whether or not it is appropriate for their child's age. This applies to cinema releases, DVDs and streaming video services such as Netflix.

### WHAT ARE THE BBFC RATINGS?

BBFC ratings are broken down into seven age categories:

Universal, suitable for all ages	Parental Guidance required	Suitable for people aged 12 and over	Suitable for people aged 12 and over, younger must be accompanied by an adult
Suitable for people aged 15 and over	Suitable for people aged 18 and over	Adult content only available in specially licenced cinemas and specialist retailers	

### WHAT ELSE CAN BBFC REVEAL?

Accompanied with the age suitability rating, BBFC also provide an additional warning regarding the content and what to expect, such as swearing, sexual content, violence and anything you may consider to be inappropriate for your child. In addition to this, the content is also rated in three levels: frequent, mild or strong.

### LIMITATIONS OF BBFC RATINGS

It's important to note that there is no obligation on streaming video services to use or display BBFC ratings. Due to this, we advise that you check the rating online before your child streams the content. It may also be a good idea to watch the content first yourself or discuss it with other parents to help you decide whether or not it is suitable for your child.

Source: [www.bbfc.co.uk](http://www.bbfc.co.uk)

## RATINGS FOR GAMES

PEGI (Pan European Game Information) is a content rating system that ensures all video games are labelled with a minimum age recommendation. These age recommendations are based on the types of content featured within a game. With each game, PEGI also provide a content descriptor that indicates the potential issues and concerns, including sex, violence, bad language and drugs.

### WHAT ARE THE PEGI RATINGS?

PEGI ratings are split into age restriction and content descriptors. Additional 'content descriptors' help parents and children to understand the type of content featured within a particular game, including sex, fear, bad language, discrimination, gambling, drugs, violence, and in-game purchases. In combination, the two different ratings can provide a good level of information to help make informed decisions regarding the suitability for your child.

PEGI age ratings are broken down into five categories:

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PEGI content descriptors are broken down into eight categories:

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### LIMITATIONS OF PEGI RATINGS

It's possible for young people to buy games online without a required proof of age, opening them up to age-inappropriate content without you knowing. We advise that you regularly monitor your child's gaming activities and maintain a honest and healthy dialogue with them about the online world.

### PARENTAL CONTROLS

It is a good idea to put in place parental controls for all online accounts which your child may use to purchase or download online games e.g. The App Store, Google Play Store, PlayStation Store and Microsoft Xbox Store etc.

Source: [www.pegi.info](http://www.pegi.info)

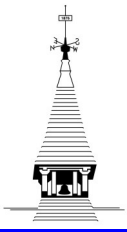


National Online Safety

A whole school community approach to online safety  
[www.nationalonlinesafety.com](http://www.nationalonlinesafety.com)  
Email us at [hello@nationalonlinesafety.com](mailto:hello@nationalonlinesafety.com) or call us on 0800 368 8061







# ONLINE SAFETY QUIZ

## JUNIOR COMPETITION

### Internet Safety Quiz

What should your screen name be when you're in a chat room?

- A nickname
- Your real name, age and address
- Your best friends name and address

What should you do if someone online asks you not to tell your parents about them?

- Tell your parents straight away
- Do what they ask and keep silent
- Don't do anything at all

If you receive an email with an attachment from anyone you don't know what should you do?

- Open it and send it to all your friends
- Close down your virus checker and open the email
- Delete it immediately

Never give out your \*\*\*\* name without an adults permission

- Real name
- Pets name
- Favourite colour

What should you do if a website asks you to register?

- Refuse and organise a mass spam attack against them
- Check with a parent/guardian about what detail it is safe to give out
- Fill out everything

What information is it possible to get from someone's real name posted online?

- Their address
- Their telephone number
- All of the above

How do you stay safe on the internet?

- By never going near it
- By only typing in rubber gloves in case you get a computer virus
- By being sensible and following the rules

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## INFANT COMPETITION

### Internet Safety Quiz

If a website asks you for your name, address and age what should you do?

- Sign up
- Check with a friend
- Check with your parents

Which is not safe to use the internet for?

- Homework research
- Arranging to meet a stranger
- Chatting to school friends

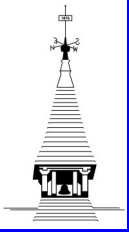
Your parents have told you never to use a chat room, what should you do?

- Shout and have a tantrum
- Discuss their reasons with them
- Go behind their backs and log on

You have been getting nasty messages from someone at school. You should:

- Send nasty messages back
- Cry and feel sorry for yourself
- Tell your teacher or trusted adult

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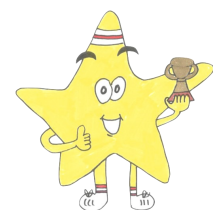
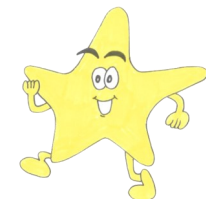
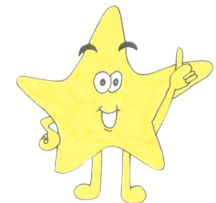
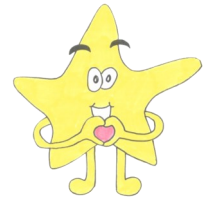


*Important Dates for Your Diary—Spring Term 2019*

- ⇒ Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> February - *Star Day*
- ⇒ Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> February—*Young Voices*
- ⇒ Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> February - *Year 3/4*  
*parents/carers invited to Forest School*  
*session in the afternoon*
- ⇒ Friday 15<sup>th</sup> February - *break up for half*  
*term*
- ⇒ Monday 25<sup>th</sup> February - *INSET day*
- ⇒ Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> February—*Curriculum*  
*Evening*
- ⇒ Back in school on Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> February
- ⇒ Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> March—*Parents Afternoon*  
*meeting*
- ⇒ Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> March—*Parents Evening*  
*meeting*
- ⇒ Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> March— *Year 3&4 Spring*  
*Production*
- ⇒ Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March - *Year 5 parents/*  
*carers invited to Forest School session in*  
*the afternoon*
- ⇒ Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> and Friday 29<sup>th</sup> March -  
*Year 1/2 Residential*
- ⇒ Break up for the Easter holidays on Friday  
29<sup>th</sup> March.

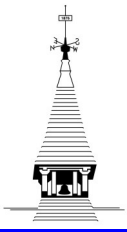
PLEASE NOTE : Year 3 & 4 Spring  
Production there will be two showings on  
the date above

1:30pm and 5:30pm a letter will follow  
with more details nearer the time



*Dates for  
your  
diary.....*





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## Sounds School Lottery

**your school lottery**

**Last Saturday's Draw**  
5 9 1 2 3 8  
Mrs. B.  
£16.50

**Projected Annual Fund:**  
**£1,165**

**Ticket Count:**  
**56**  
**School Funds to date:**  
**£783!**

**Friends Of Sound and District Primary School PTA**

**www.yourschoollottery.co.uk** (and search for 'Sound')