

AUTUMN 1 - WEEK 1



TEAM IPSLEY UPDATE!



THE TEAM IPSLEY VISION

As Team Ipsley, we strive to create a community where all flourish, following God's example by loving each other as He loves us. Together, we become the best versions of ourselves by being **ambitious**, **courageous** and **kind**, creating a **community** which can achieve anything we set our minds to.



BE AMBITIOUS



BE COURAGEOUS



BE KIND

MESSAGE FROM MISS SAUL

Welcome back, Team Ipsley!

We hope you had an amazing summer holiday! It has been great to see everyone returning to school rested and raring to go!

Our pupils have started the new school year brilliantly! They arrived looking smart in their new uniforms and shiny shoes and have impressed us hugely with their enthusiasm, manners and behaviour. TIPS (Team Ipsley points) have been flying out to our pupils for their excellent work in lessons, their kindness towards others and their efforts to keep the newly painted school site looking clean and tidy.

This week, pupils have engaged wholeheartedly in their daily Collective Worship. They have been discussing the liturgy and how we structure our daily services (Ask them what TEAM stands for!) and thinking about the purpose of our Collective Worship. They know that they will have time to reflect, be still, consider others, answer the 'big' questions we face in our world and connect with the Bible. They will be inspired to act and make change in our school and their community. Next week, we will be thinking about God's love for us and how we can show love for each other.

Lessons started on Wednesday and already we've been writing in our brand new books. Pupils have been learning the rules for the science labs, discovering our new IT room, getting the batteries and wires out to make circuits and diving into their new class readers. In library lessons, pupils have realised just how important reading is in everyday life and how just 20 minutes a day of reading has a huge impact on their future!

Such an impressive start to the year, Team Ipsley! As always, our families have been incredible in making sure our pupils are ready for the school term – thank you.

Have a great weekend, Team Ipsley!



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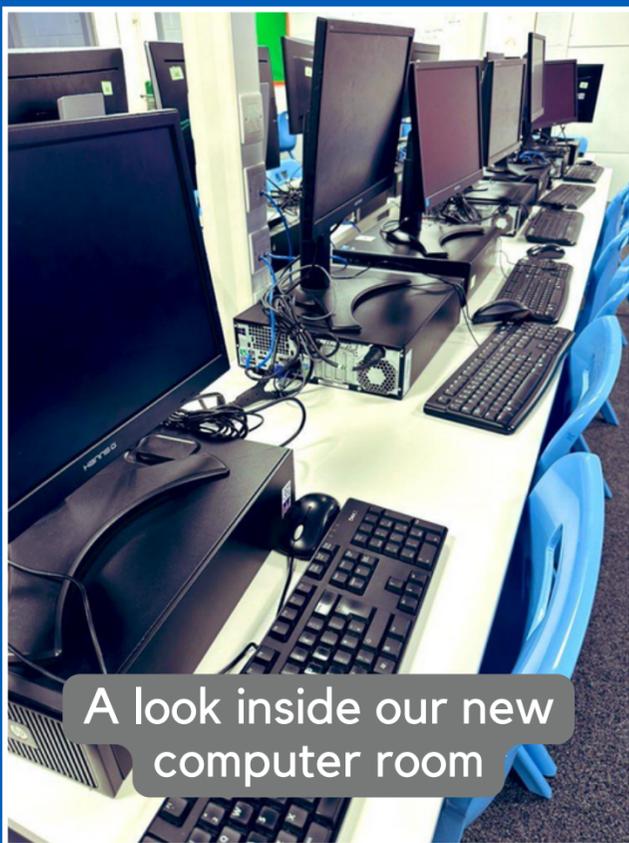
IMPORTANT MESSAGES

Please ensure that you click on the link sent by text earlier today ([or here](#)) which tells our parents about our important policies and procedures. As members of Team Ipsley, it is important that all our parents and carers understand the policies and procedures that inform the way we support our pupils and wider community.

Please can you check that all your child's uniform has their name written in it. This will ensure that any lost items can be returned to the right person. If you need any help or support with uniform, please contact us at school and we will do our best to help.

Don't forget that all the information you need about school is on the website You can access that by [clicking here](#).

THIS WEEK IN PHOTOS



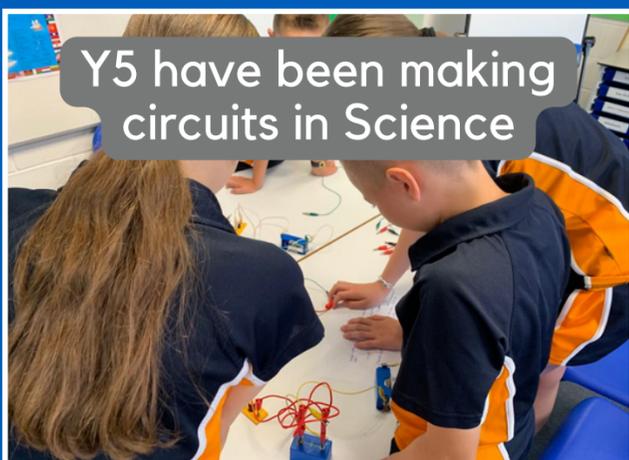
A look inside our new computer room



Mr McNidder launching our Collective Worship for 2023/24



It's been great to welcome all 650+ pupils back this week!



Y5 have been making circuits in Science



Pupils have been immersed in French this week!



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ATTENDANCE WINNERS!

This week's top performing classes are:

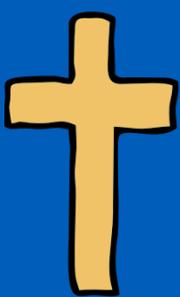
Year 5	Year 6	Year 7	Year 8
5A-CFE	6D-DWL	7B-MMA	8B-NGR

UPCOMING DATES/EVENTS

[CLICK HERE TO VIEW OUR TERM DATES](#)

Date	Description
Wed 13th Sep	KS3 start their NGRT tests.
Mon 18th Sep	KS2 start their NGRT tests.
Thu 14th Sep	Launch of our Be You project for 2023/24.
Friday 15th Sep	School photo day.
Wed 4th Oct	KS2 settling in evenings.
Thu 5th Oct	
Thu 26th Oct	Team Ipsley's Open Evening.
	Pupils break up for half term.
Fri 27th Oct	Teacher training day

THIS WEEK'S BIBLE QUOTE



THESSALONIANS 5:16-18

"Rejoice always, pray without ceasing, give thanks in all circumstances; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you."



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