

Uphall

Whole School Newsletter

'Committed to Inclusion, passionate about learning'

15th December 2023



Dear Uphall Family

It has been an amazing few weeks at Planet Uphall with lots going on. We recently welcomed Ofsted to our school for a monitoring visit. I will share the findings with you soon but I can tell you that the Lead Inspector did share how much he enjoyed his visit - we are a school that continues to innovate, improve and develop. We are always open to visitors and we welcomed visitors from UNICEF UK and senior leaders from the Local Authority and colleagues from Cleveland to our school last Wednesday. They came to find out what it means to be a Rights Respecting School and to learn about our amazing SuperZones project. The kids did our school proud and were both passionate and eloquent in describing our learning journey. We have also celebrated World Science Day and I saw some amazing Science learning going on in our classrooms. I've included some photos of these various events in the newsletter.

Dr. K. Atwal

Principal Learning Leader



ARTICLE OF THE WEEK



14



FREEDOM OF
THOUGHT AND
RELIGION

Article 14 (freedom of thought, belief and religion)

Every child has the right to think and believe what they choose and also to practise their religion, as long as they are not stopping other people from enjoying their rights.

Governments must respect the rights and responsibilities of parents to guide their child as they grow up.



EXPLORING ARTICLES 14

Give yourself one minute to think of as many answers as you can to the question below.

Who or what influences the way you think about the world and shapes your thoughts and beliefs?



World Science Day

Over the past few years, we have worked really hard at Uphall to develop a broad and balanced curriculum that enables our students to know more and remember more. We also want our children to have fun in their learning, and days like this enable our children to have meaningful experiences, as you can see below.





Please remember that the government expected level of attendance is 96%. The overall attendance level for last week was 88.93% - please help us to improve that by ensuring

that your child only stays at home if s/he is very unwell. A mild cough or cold is not a reason for them to stay at home. Please also ensure that your child arrives punctually in the mornings – school begins at 8.50 a.m., the gates close at 8.55, and if your child arrives after that time, they will be marked as late.



Wishing all of our children who celebrate their birthday in December a very



N30	84.31%
RBe	90.36%
1Kh	95.33%
2WM	97.59%
3Sa	96.80%
4Sh	92.76%
5Na	96.45%
6De	93.31%

