



# HANDSWORTH NEWS

**BRANCHING OUT, GROWING TALL  
HAND IN HAND, ONE AND ALL**



Dear Parents, Carers and Friends,

This week seems to have gone so fast! The children have enjoyed a range of experiences, we even had visits from tortoises 'Tiny' and 'Sleepy.'

Our Year 6 boys football team played today and did very well! Excellent examples of sportsmanship and some fantastic skills on display too. Well done boys, we are very proud of you all.

Please remember to check our website for information and photographs of what we are experiencing at school. Our 'Wild' exhibition will take place in the small hall on Monday and will be open from 8:30 - 9:30am and 3:30-4:30pm. Year 6 children will be selling cakes and squash to fundraise for the school during the exhibition.

We wish you all a lovely weekend and look forward to next week.

Thank you for your ongoing support,

Mrs Nairne

We are not  
**A TEAM**  
because we  
work together.  
**WE ARE**  
a team because  
We respect,  
trust, and care  
for each other.





We have children at Handsworth who have a severe allergy to nuts. Do not send your child to school with nuts, or products that may contain nuts.

**For some, contact with nuts could be life-threatening!**

Thank you for your co-operation in making our school environment safe for all.



# Fun in Year 1

As part of the Science topic - Ourselves - we carried out the first part of an experiment.

The children have been learning about the 5 senses and today we did an experiment based on the sense of taste.

In the lesson we discussed the sense of taste, taste buds and the 5 main tastes - sweet, salty, bitter, sour and umami.

The children then had an opportunity to taste some foods and match them to one of the tastes.

They had a fantastic time tasting, identifying and matching the food to a taste.

Here are a few pictures which show their reaction on tasting some of the foods.

Who said Science wasn't fun?

Year 1 also had an opportunity to experience being immersed in a story! They enjoyed moving around as the characters and listening to the exciting plot unfold! I have never known a Year 1 class to be so quiet!

