



Dear Parents,

We have had another exciting, busy week this week. The children thoroughly enjoyed today's Jazz assembly. It was fantastic - the children were all bobbing along with the music.



The theme of this year's Children's Mental Health week is 'My Voice Matters'. We have enjoyed exploring this theme through art work, whole class discussions, and by sharing ideas for how we can enhance our break and lunch times. KS2 children have also been set a competition to create a poster around one of the following three themes: 'How my voice is heard at MTVS'; 'My voice matters because...'; and 'Things we do at MTVS to support our mental health and wellbeing'. We talked about how sharing our thoughts, feelings, and ideas makes our school a better place to be and strengthens our team spirit and sense of belonging. We also talked about the many things we do in school to promote our mental health and wellbeing, including My Happy Mind, Zones of Regulation, Jigsaw, Buddy System, Class Charters, School Motto (We Care, We Learn, We Belong), Celebration Assembly, PTA Events, Sports Day, Residential, Swimming, Regulation Stations, Chill Out Club, NSPCC - Speak Out, Stay Safe, Sports Tournaments, Safety Officers, Mini Middles, Lunch Hall Monitors, Clubs, ELSA, Friendship Benches, Young Carers, Play Leaders, Wellbeing Ambassadors, School Councillors, Eco Committee, Charity Events, Pupil Voice, Pebble Pots/Table Points/Dojos, this morning's jazz concert and more! We are excited about the prospect of this list growing and evolving as we continue to share our voice and ideas. Final entries for the KS2 competition are to be received by lunchtime on Thursday 15th February. Winners will be announced on Friday 16th February and we look forward to some more super posters to adorn our walls.

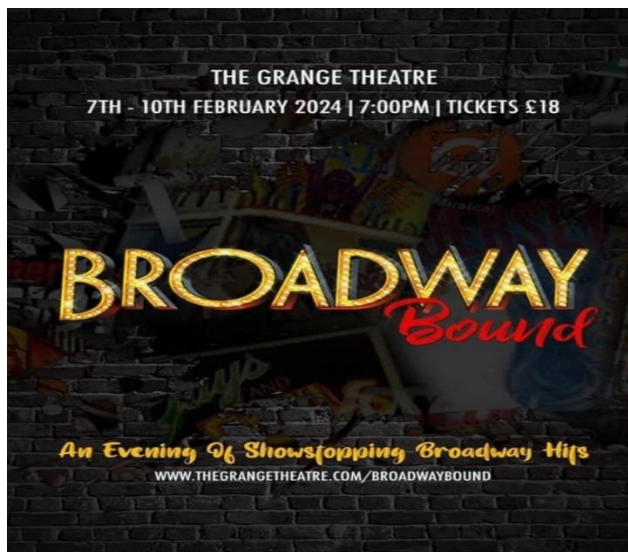
Mad Science After School Club


We can confirm that we've had a great response to the Mad Science After School Programme and it will be going ahead as scheduled on Mondays from Monday 26th February 3:20pm-4:20pm.

There are places remaining so if you want to book your child on please book online at

<https://northengland.madscience.org/parents-register-a.aspx>
or contact the Mad Science Team on office@madsciencenw.com or call 01772 628844.

Please see the flyers below for upcoming events.



 Look at this post on Facebook

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Have a lovely weekend

Kind regards,

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