



# Fakenham Junior School

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Dear Parents and Carers,

The end of an extremely hard and long half term. We have faced adversity as a school community, but the togetherness shown to be the 'Best we can be' has shone through.

We are all very much looking forward to having all the children, back together at FJS, on November the 4<sup>th</sup>. Please look out for an email from Mr Mason, coming out later today, with information about next term.

There were lots of entries for the 'Halloween Colouring Competition'. Well done to everyone that took part. The staff at Kinnerton Confectionary had a very hard task but have chosen Millie S, in year 6 Marsh Harrier, as the winner.

Bravo Mille, don't eat it all at once!



Please, please, spend time reading with your children over the holidays or at least encourage them to read. Being a fluent reader can't be underestimated, it has such a huge impact on their education and life chances.

Below is our AR word count, and number of books read comparison - AMAZING!

This time last year:

Word count: 5,527,694

Book count: 1,171

Currently we are at:

Word count: 7,623,483

Books read: 1,578

I hope you enjoy Halloween (and these jokes!), be safe if you go trick or treating.

What is a ghost's favorite treat?  
  
Ice SCREAM!

How do you fix a broken pumpkin?  
  
With a pumpkin patch!

Have a safe and relaxing half term,  
Tom Scannell and all the staff at FJS