



Newsletter- Monday 14th December 2020



EVEN BETTER BEHAVIOUR

The behaviour of the children this half term, considering the year they have had, has been excellent. The children have earned more green dojos than ever before. The high expectations we have and the clear structures we hold, continue to shape this. Please be aware that orange dojos are a warning and it is only if your child is involved in an incident which results in a 'reflection' that you will be informed. If you have any concerns about your child's behaviour please ensure you see your class teacher.



COVID -19 SYMPTOMS

Please ensure you keep your child at home if they or anyone in your household show ANY of the above symptoms.

AS THE HOLIDAYS COME...

I find myself rushing around, trying to prepare for a special time of year in our house. Thinking of what to buy, trying to find it, managing the deliveries, wrapping, making cards, writing lists, trying to shop at not so busy times, and then realising I'm too late—I'm sure this sounds familiar. The pressure of the plans feels heavy.. especially this year. The vulnerable relatives I can't see but desperately want to—the 3 bubble thing feels impossible! And on top of this we have 2 little boys—fuelled by their advent chocolate at 6am; continually tucking into Quality Streets; excited; counting down. They are exhausted by the term at school—the learning they have done, the phonics, the x-tables, the reading, the songs The list is endless. Then they have had the additional COVID -19 worries to concern them: the washing their hands, the eating in their classroom—it's been a strange year. So as I write this, I'm hoping to urge you to stop, take a moment and let us all think about how we can be kind to ourselves, make time for ourselves and also for our children. It isn't 'things' that matter but our time which is the most precious gift. I will try to stop a little more than usual and just be, as we move into another year. I hope you can try to too

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This week's Headteacher's award winner

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The parents

Well done to everyone of you. You have supported the changes we have made due to COVID. You have supported your children in giving them confidence that school is safe for them and been flexible when bubbles have popped or children have been sent home. On top of the things that are happening in your life, you have supported them in home learning too. You have done this with words of kindness, a friendly nod, a 'thank you' and a smile. This has made an enormous difference. You have **ASPIRED** too.

Class	Name	Class	Name
Rainbows	Lola Rose	Vermilions	Harry
Buttercup Buttercups	Jaxon JJ-Junior	Bluebells	Tala
Roses	Jake	Junipers	Estrella
Artics	Fatima	Amethysts	Kishani
Forests	Sienna	Sapphires	Declan
Lavenders	Ema	Sunflowers	Alisha
Peacocks	Rhys	Daffodils	Sofia

WEEKLY ATTENDANCE WINNERS

KS1		KS2	
Rainbows	95.5 %	Peacocks	94.1 %
Buttercup	95.4 %	Vermilions	94.9 %
Buttercups	97.0 %	Bluebells	97.1 %
Roses	94.9 %	Junipers	93.2 %
Artics	95.7 %	Amethysts	98.6 %
Forests	98.2 %	Sapphires	96.0 %
Lavenders	98.3 %	Sunflowers	96.8 %
		Daffodils	98.3 %

Well done for achieving the highest attendance this week
Remember - Children attending all week and on time will be entered into the prize draw at the end of every half term

KS1	Lavenders	Milkshake and cookie
KS2	Amethysts	Milkshake and cookie



MAKE EVERY DAY COUNT

A reminder that holidays will not be authorised and may incur a fine. It is also crucial for all children to be in school between 8:40 am and 9:00 am this is when learning time begins.

IMPORTANT CALENDAR DATES

Thursday 17th December—End of Half Term

Monday 4th January—Return to School

Friday 12th February—End of Half Term

Monday 22nd February—Inset Day

School Dinners

WC—4th January is MENU WEEK I

Nursery: £1.80 a day / £9.00 a week

Reception, Year 1 & Year 2: Free

Year 3 – 6: £2.00 a day / £10.00 a week

REMINDER—The school drive is not open for drop off or collection unless you are registered disabled.