

18th November 2022 - No. 433

A message from Miss Moore, Assistant Head and Senco

It has been a real privilege to meet, and get to know the children since joining the school in September. I thank parents for making me feel welcome, especially when I have met with you or have seen parents on the school gate.

I have been thinking about the school, and how I can create areas within the classrooms to help support children to regulate and have a break from their learning. I have ordered some bean bags to help create these spaces, giving children a different space to sit, allowing them to take time if they need it.

Staff in the school are really good at supporting children with regulating and will notice when children need to have a short break from learning.

We talk to the children about zones of regulation, and how emotions make us feel, children need to understand different emotions and what they may feel like in different contexts.

Try to focus on the positives at home and encourage your child to talk about something positive that happened during the day and how that made them feel. This will help children think and feel positive which will help their wellbeing, helping them to be calm and happy.

School Attendance Actual to date = 96.43%
School Lateness Actual this week = 42
School Attendance Expectation = 100%



Thank you to everyone who has kindly donated money for Children in Need today. So far we have raised a fantastic £484.46. The school council held an amazing assembly this morning telling the children all about Children in Need and why we raise money for this wonderful charity.

Outdoor Learning Sessions

Tuesday 22nd November – Year 5
Wednesday 23rd November – Year R
Thursday 24th November - 1A
Friday 25th November - 1M

Please ensure your child brings into school a pair of named wellies and a named waterproof coat.

Dates for the Diary

24.11.22 - 5F Class Assembly
25.11.22 - PFA Donate a teddy day
02.12.22 - Non-School Uniform Day
03.12.22 - PFA Christmas Fayre
07.12.22 - YR Nativity Play to parents
08.12.22 - YR Nativity Play to parents
09.12.22 - Christmas Jumper Day
09.12.22 - Christmas School Dinner Day
09.12.22 - PFA School Christmas Disco
14.12.22 - Carols around the Christmas Tree
16.12.22 - Non-school Uniform Day
16.12.22 - Last day of term, 13.30 finish

ACHIEVEMENTS

Learning Award

1A Ahan S, 1M Daisy W, 2H Oliver R,
2S Oliver J, 3G Emmie T, 3T Dubem U,
4K Freya L, 4M the whole class, 5F Harry R,
5R Josie K, 6C Seren L, 6N Grace F

Value Award

1A Amelia BH, 1M Penny R, 2H Anvi B,
2S Lottie W, 3G Bella WP, 3T Tony S,
4K James W, 4M Oliver S, 5F Maisy B,
5R Hope B, 6C Freddie W, 6N Brody H



CLASS READING AWARD

3T
Best Overall Class
Excellent reading this week!!!

House Points

Beckett	1368
Dickens	1423
Churchill	1385
Harvey	1137
Holmes	1325
Shakespeare	1326

CONGRATULATIONS TO
DICKENS
This week's winners

School News

Mr Taylor's quiz night on the 2nd December has unfortunately been cancelled due to the PFA School Fayre. Mr Taylor is hoping to reschedule for January 2023.

Unfortunately we have had to cancel Hockey, Netball and Football after school clubs with immediate effect due to Premier Education being unable to fulfill their contract with us. As a result we will no longer be using this company for any future clubs. We are in the process of looking at other providers in the hope of being able to offer new clubs from next term.

Year R have been enjoying reading lots of stories that have dragons in them recently. As a result the children have made 2 giant dragons for their classroom.



Christmas Cake Club

Some of the children from Year 6 have started to make their Christmas cakes.

This week was mixing week - the children brought in all of the ingredients and followed the stages to make the mixture.

They have taken them home to bake and will return them to marzipan on Monday.

Will anyone get a 'handshake' next week?

Things to Remember

Year 6 – PE block week will be on 21.11.22 – 25.11.22. Please ensure that your child brings their outdoor PE kit to school in a named drawstring bag to change into for the week.

School Prayer

Lord help us to believe in ourselves. Help us to feel your love so we can be the people you want us to be Lord. We know you have a path you want us to follow, but to follow that path we need to believe in ourselves and each other.

It is so important to encourage all our friends around us so help us to think of ways we can support our friends.
Amen

