

## Weekly Newsletter - 03/02/23

Dear Parents and Carers,  
Thank you for your support and understanding during this disrupted week. I was really happy to see the children back in school for Thursday and Friday this week. As you can see from our new attendance section on the newsletter, the brighter starts project is having a really positive impact on attendance. I need to appeal specifically to parents in Reception, Year 2 and 3 to work with the school to improve attendance in these year groups.

It hardly seems possible that next week is the last week of this half term. I know that the children have absolutely loved learning about the Earth Our Home this half term and we can't wait to see all of the homework projects coming in next week.

You will start to notice that all staff will now be wearing hi-viz jackets in the playground. This is to help children and parents easily locate a staff member if they need assistance. Please encourage your child to always try and find a member of staff if they are feeling unhappy or have an injury. We always do our best to try and resolve any issue before the end of the day.

Finally, although we have enjoyed a few milder days, please don't pack away the winter coats just yet. A cold snap is on the way so please send hats, scarves and gloves to keep your child warm. Remember that colder weather is not a reason to stay at home.

Best wishes,  
Ms Von



### Pupil Leaders' Weekly Reflection

"Mondays can be like a new beginning. They're a reset button. Press it. Set yourself a target that you want to achieve that week. Go for it! Be determined!"

### Year 1 Peaceful Protest

Year one are now climate activists...



### Year 2 trip to the Natural History Museum

This week two year 2 classes explored the Natural History Museum where we attended an interactive experience exploring the ocean, it's habitats and the effects of climate change linking to our theme Our Earth Our Home.



## Attendance at Star

Did you come to school everyday this week?

Which classes achieved the highest attendance?

Who will get the attendance cup?

★ **Nursery**  
AM - 89.8%  
PM - 77.4%

★ **Reception**  
RA - 89.6%  
RSM - 91.8%  
RB - 83.3%

★ **Year 1**  
1R - 91.2%  
1T - 91.2%  
1B - 87.5%

★ **Year 2**  
2P - 66.5%  
2S - 88.8%  
2U - 91.5%  
2V - 84.1%

★ **Year 3**  
3GR - 91.4%  
3R - 90.1%  
3L - 92.7%

★ **Year 4**  
4R - 94.4%  
4HS - 90.8%  
4L - 95.8%

★ **Year 5**  
5R - 92.5%  
5PN - 90.7%  
5T - 89.1%

★ **Year 6**  
6H - 93.1%  
6V - 100%  
6R - 96.6%  
6S - 92.3%

Whole school attendance - 90.1%

## Happy leaves

This half term we are celebrating the achievements of pupils who show good **coping skills**.

The winners in this weeks assembly were.....



<b>Nursery</b>  AM - Wade PM - Reginae	<b>Reception</b> RA - Annie PSM - Hidaayah RB - Chace
<b>Year 1</b> 1R- Tuha 1T- Junior 1B - Ayman	<b>Year 2</b> 2P- Ayuub 2S- Erik 2U - Naylaa 2V- Amina
<b>Year 3</b> 3GR- Christian 3R- Holy 3L- Aidan	<b>Year 4</b> 4R- Rayhan 4HS- Sara 4L- James
<b>Year 5</b> 5R- Gusone 5PN- Rayan 5T- Falak	<b>Year 6</b> 6H- Kian 6V- Ava 6R- Adil 6S- Sofiyah

## Golden lunches

Class teachers select one pupil per week to have a golden lunch with the Headteacher or Deputies. This is awarded to those that show the **most progress** or **make the most effort in the learning!**

<b>Reception</b> RA- Amina RSM- Waleed RB - Gloria	
<b>Year 1</b> 1R- Fareed 1T- Hamza 1B - King	<b>Year 2</b> 2P- Hamza 2S- Aleen 2U - Naylaa 2V- Julia
<b>Year 3</b> 3GR- Daksh 3R- Jeremiah 3L- Mariam	<b>Year 4</b> 4R- Marjia 4HS- Adam 4L - Timur
<b>Year 5</b> 5R- Linis 5PN- Marie 5T- Zaara	<b>Year 6</b> 6H- Felipe 6V- Darcie 6R- Hamza 6S- Iba

## House points

Teachers, lunch staff, support staff, school leaders and our office team have been awarding house tokens all week. Pupils have received tokens if they have **demonstrated children's rights**, shown good leadership skills and have excellent learning behaviors.

Congratulations to the winning house....results below!

**Da Vinci**  
430

**Monet**  
352

**Picasso**  
387

**Van Gogh**  
352

**Winning House**  
Da Vinci