



# Weekly Newsletter

Friday 5th January – Issue 15

## Head Teacher's Message

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back to the Spring Term. I would like to wish all parents a very Happy New Year. It is my sincere hope that 2024 will be a good year for our school community and a better year around the world.

This term, as part of our RIGHTS we are going to be focussing on **Growth** and how we can all develop even better growth mindsets. We want every child to grow into a compassionate open minded adult who can challenge their own thinking and take part in respectful conversations.

The PHSE focus will be on **Support** and how we can support ourselves as well as each other.

During the first half term we will be learning about **The Earth Our Home**. This theme is very topical as always, but particularly this year when we are seeing unprecedented weather conditions around the world. Our Year 5 pupils will be working with the Green Schools Project to help us calculate our own carbon footprint.

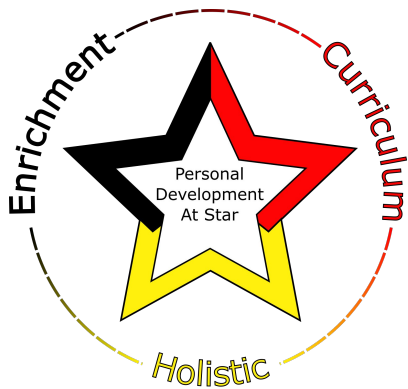
I would like to take this opportunity to extend a very warm welcome to Ms Shodiye, our new SENDCO. Ms Shodiye will be working alongside Ms Alam and is very much looking forward to getting to know all the children and parents.

Before signing off, I would just like to say a massive well done to all those children who achieved a bronze **100% Attendance Badge** on the last day of term. I am very proud of them all for coming to school every single day last term. Your child can still achieve this badge if they come to school every day of the Spring Term. Those that have a badge and come every day this term will be able to trade in the bronze badge for a silver by Easter.

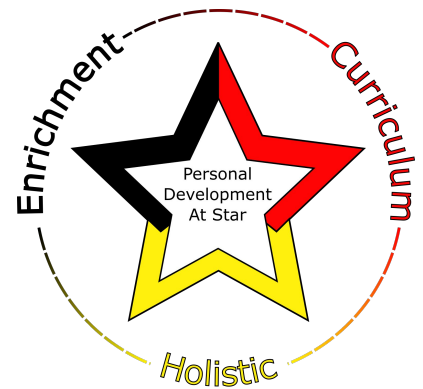
Have a wonderful weekend.

Ms Von

**Nurturing and Growing Together**



# RSHE



This term we will be looking at 'Support' in RSHE. We will be exploring what support means, how this looks like as we progress into Year 5 and 6, how we can offer support and identify where we can find support if we need it. Here are our big questions for this term:

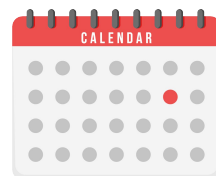
<u>Support- Early Years</u>	<u>Support- Reception</u>	<u>Support- Year 1</u>	<u>Support- Year 2</u>	<u>Support- Y3</u>	<u>Support- Y4</u>	<u>Support- Year 5</u>	<u>Support- Year 6</u>
BQ: Why is listening important?	BQ: Can I explain what I do at home to improve my listening skills?	BQ: How does listening help me be supportive?	BQ: How can I support myself and others?	BQ: Who are the people that support me?	BQ: How can I gain and give support?	BQ: What support is important in my life?	BQ: How can support be used in a wider context such as our community?

## Our Happy Leaf for Spring 1

Our happy leaves, delivered in assembly also tie in with Support. This term, we are awarding them for:

- ★ Support (RSHE topic)
- ★ Growth (riGhts)





# Dates for the Diary

**12/01/24** - Year 5 & 6 Police Workshop

**09/02/24** - Year 6 Theatre Visit

**12/02/24 - 16/02/24** - School closed for half-term break

**20/03/24** - Parents Evening

**Every Friday 8-9am** - Parent Toddler Group

## Year Six Pupil Leadership Weekly Reflection

Welcome back everyone and Happy New Year! Hope everyone has had a lovely, relaxing holiday and your are all ready to start the new year ahead. We have missed you all very much! This year let's remember to make positive changes to better ourselves. We need to always remember to bring the best version of ourselves to school everyday and be resilient when faced with challenges. We wish you all a very happy and positive new year!



*Alaa- 6P*

# Attendance at Star

Did you come to school everyday this week?  
Which classes achieved the highest attendance?  
Who will get the attendance cup?

## Autumn Term Results

### Reception

RB - 91.7%

RP - 90%

RU - 91.8%

### Year 1

1B - 86.6%

1R - 95.1%

1S - 91.3%

### Year 2

2P - 93.9%

2S - 93.5%

2V - 92.6%

### Year 3

3G - 94.5%

3L - 94.4%

3R - 89.3%

### Year 4

4H - 93.9%

4L - 95.9%

4S - 92.8%

### Year 5

5N - 95.5%

5R - 96.6%

5RK - 93.2%

### Year 6

6H - 94.4%

6P - 93%

6R - 95.5%

Whole school attendance - 93%

# STAR OF THE TERM!

Star of the term was awarded to those pupils who showed exemplary examples of our Star Values.

Well done!

## *Reception*

*RU - Milo*

*RP - Wade*

*RB - Jemima*

## *Year 1*

*1B - Hidaayah*

*1R - Aadam*

*1S - Nura Lin*

## *Year 2*

*2P - Kamari*

*2S - Hristo*

*2V - Liban*

## *Year 3*

*3G - Sabiha*

*3L - Aisha*

*3R - Denika*

## *Year 4*

*4H - Bishan*

*4L - Aleena*

*4S - Rabitah*

## *Year 5*

*5R - Cavanni*

*5RK - Hamza*

*5N - Tommy*

## *Year 6*

*6H - Raisha*

*6R - Felicia*

*6P - Naifah*



# 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!

## AUTUMN TERM



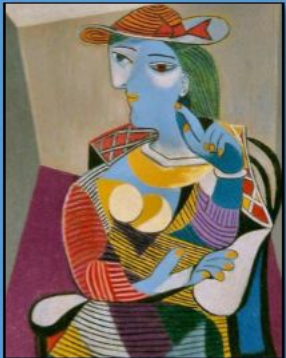
**Da Vinci**

**2,189**



**Monet**

**1,151**



**Picasso**

**2,151**



**Van Gogh**

**3,911**

**WINNING  
House**

**VAN GOGH**