

Friday 24th January 2020 - Issue 18

Attendance

Each week we offer a good attendance prize of £5!

To be eligible to win an attendance prize, children must have 100% attendance for the **last 4 weeks** and their overall attendance for the year cannot be less than 95%

The winner of the £5 last week was Ali in Year 2. The Ipads were won by Zain in Year 1 and Tiarnie in Year 2.

Overall our attendance this week was 95.8%
Our target this year is 96.0%.

The Class with the best attendance this week was: Class 14

Class 2	—	89.8%
Class 3	—	91.2%
Class 4	—	98.0%
Class 5	—	97.1%
Class 6	—	94.5%
Class 7	—	97.2%
Class 8	—	97.4%
Class 9	—	95.0%
Class 10	—	97.3%
Class 11	—	94.0%
Class 12	—	96.5%
Class 13	—	94.1%
Class 14	—	100%
Class 15	—	97.2%

Reward Certificates - What Have You Done Today to Make You Feel Proud?

This week the following children have received praise for doing something they can be very proud of!

- Class 8 : Benisse, Mason**
- Class 9 : Zidan**
- Class 10 : Kieran, Shayla, Z'Kiaah**
- Class 11 : Sophia**
- Class 13 : Teresa-Mae**

Well done to you all!

News

Year 2 Trip

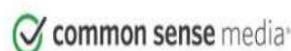
On Wednesday 22nd January, Year 2 visited the British Motor Museum. The children thoroughly enjoyed riding round in a classic car and exploring many other different vehicles around

the museum. They especially enjoyed looking at the very first car ever invented.



Keeping Our Children Safe

Here are some good up-to-date resources to support you to help keep your child safe online. Also, as mentioned last week, there are some good resources on our school website.



Common Sense Media

To learn more about the games or apps your children are using, Common Sense Media covers thousands, which includes advice and reviews from other parents:

<https://www.commonsensemedia.org/>



Internet Matters

Tons of age-specific related information created specifically for parents. Includes information to set up devices.

<https://www.internetmatters.org/>

Next Week in School

Each week we share with you some of the fantastic things that the children will be doing across our School:

- Year 6 are continuing their work on fractions and will be writing their own narrative story linked to their knowledge of the Highwayman poem
- Year 5 will be continuing their mini adventure all about Materials and thinking about making their own BFG potions. In maths, they will be looking at finding fractions of quantities.
- Year 4 will be writing a story about Howard Carter and Lord Carnarvon

finding the missing tomb of Tutankhamun.

- Year 3 are going to be calculating with money next week. We are also going to decide how to make the best shadow puppet show.
- Year 2 we are going to be making a model of a car in Design and Technology. The idea of this has been inspired by our trip to the British Motor Museum last week.
- Year 1 are looking at monsters, the children will arrive Monday morning to find that a monster has visited the classrooms over the weekend and has left a mess! They will investigate the area for clues and inform Mr Pearce on what has happened!
- Reception will have a visit from the fire services, in maths we will be working on number bonds and simple addition. In literacy we will look at instructional text of 'how to look after a pet'.
- Nursery will experience going to the local newsagents and buying something of their choosing. We look forward to spotting prices and matching them to coins as well as seeing how the cashier uses the till.

Chuckery TMO Craft After School Craft Club

All families are welcome to join in the Chuckery TMO After School Craft Club to make dream pillows on Thursday 30th January, after school in the community room, Croft House.

Reminders

Training Day

School will be closed on **Friday 28th February** due to a staff training day.

Mufti Day

Friday 14th February is the last day of this half term and will also be a non-uniform (MUFTI) day. Children can wear their own clothes but should bring in £1 to add to our school fund which supports trips, Christmas presents, pantomime performances etc.



1000 Stories!

The children are really enjoying taking part in 10000 stories! Just to remind parents that for

Reception the library is open from 3.15 every day to change their books. Nursery's book change table is up and running in the nursery cloakroom.

Early Years Celebration Assembly

A reminder that Early Years celebration assembly runs fortnightly and you are welcome to attend every assembly even if your child is not receiving a sticker that week. Please come along and clap for all of our children's achievements. The next dates for assemblies are as follows: 27th January, 10th February, 24th February and 9th March all at 2.45pm in the Infant's Hall.

Important Dates

Friday 14th February – Break up for Half term holiday & Mufti Day

Monday 24th February – School reopens

Friday 28th February – Training Day – School closed

Friday 3rd April - Break up for Half term holiday