



# NEWSLETTER

## FRIDAY 30TH JANUARY 2026

A MESSAGE FROM MRS PRICE

What fun we have had in school today breaking the uniform rules! We have seen everything from multicoloured hair to children coming in their pyjamas, and lots of treats were enjoyed at break time! Thank you to all our families who supported this event. For the remainder of the year, our fundraising efforts will be being put towards creating a sensory room in school - please see further details later on in this letter.

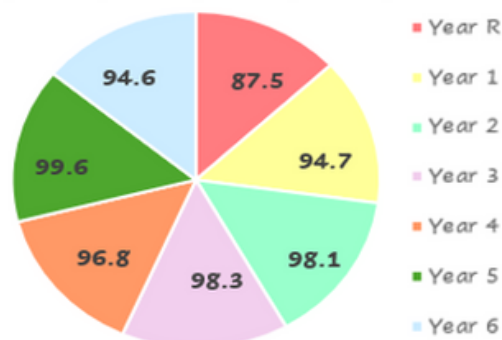
Thank you to all the families who have sent in messages for our determination challenges. We will be celebrating another round of these in Monday's assembly. I also set the children a challenge of building a house of cards - please send in any attempts from your household so that I can share them.

Have a great weekend.  
Mrs Price

### ATTENDANCE PERCENTAGE AND LATES OUR OVERALL ATTENDANCE THIS WEEK IS 97.0%

This weeks attendance winners are Year 5.  
Well done to everyone in Year 5, you collectively made 99.6% attendance this week.

Percentage Attendance



Number of Children Late



## Eco Team News

Well done to the children on our school's Eco Team who have been involved in 'The Big Schools' Birdwatch'. They have been busy creating bird feeders and watching the birds enjoy the fruits of their hard work!



## Parents Evenings

Please find a letter in book bags tonight about parents' evenings which are taking place in the week beginning 23rd February. Please return one copy of this per family by next Friday 6th February so that teachers can book in appointments during your preferred slot. These will then be returned home the following week.

## Parent Questionnaire

Please also find in book bags tonight a parent questionnaire for you to complete. We would really appreciate any feedback you can give us. Could this be returned next week. We are constantly trying our best to make our school the best it can be, so your feedback and suggestions are an important part of this. Thank you.

# Break The Rules Day

As you can see from the photos below, the children have had a lot of fun today breaking the rules



## **Children's Mental Health Week**

During the week commencing 9th February, we will be celebrating Children's Mental Health Week with all sorts of different activities. We will share further details next week, but advanced notice of the following:

Monday 9th February children may come to school 'dressed as themselves'. This could entail their favourite fancy dress outfit, their favourite sports kit, their favourite comfies, the latest trends or even their pyjamas! Whatever they feel happiest in.

We are also inviting parents and carers into school during that week to share things from where they belong. For example, a family may choose to bring in their favourite board game to share with other children, you may choose to share a favourite story book, a favourite food or some photos of family and/or activities to share.

These sessions will take place at 2.45pm until the end of school on the following days:

Monday 9th February - Year 5&6

Tuesday 10th February - Year 3&4

Wednesday 11th February - Year 1&2

Friday 13th February - Nursery and Reception

All children are encouraged to bring in something to share, even if adults are unable to make the sessions.

## **Sensory Room Fundraising**

We are launching a fundraising drive with the aim of raising a total of £10,000 to create a sensory room in school. As a diverse and inclusive mainstream school, creating a sensory room would help us to support many children. Our fundraising during the autumn term has helped us achieve a starting point of £2500 and with the support of our school community, we would like to aim to achieve our total by the end of this school year. We very much appreciate the support families provide by joining in with and donating to activities and events in school. To help us achieve this challenging target, we would like to appeal to anyone who may know of a business that could support us. Perhaps you or a member of your family work for a company that might offer matched funding for one of our events or perhaps you know of a business that might offer a donation or sponsorship. Please get in touch if you do.

We have created a GoFundMe page so that donations can be made easily and this can be found at <https://gofund.me/d3ed28992>

### Roof Update

Works are progressing well with our new roof and the majority of the work at the Key Stage 2 end of school is now finished. This weekend, some of the scaffolding will be taken down at that end of school. Once we see how this looks, we will possibly adjust some of the arrangements for pick ups and drop offs. We will keep you informed.

Active Learner  
Reception Edison  
Year 1 Lottie-Mae  
Year 2 Archie  
Year 3 Harry  
Year 4 Aitana  
Year 5 Oliver K  
Year 6 Elita

Star of the Week  
Reception Kane  
Year 1 Ava  
Year 2 Renley  
Year 3 Mila  
Year 4 Ladeida  
Year 5 Joseph  
Year 6 Yasmine

### THIS TERM'S HOUSE POINTS

	<b>BIRCH</b> 870
	<b>CHERRY BLOSSOM</b> 945
	<b>CEDAR</b> 1015
	<b>OAK</b> 758

## Dates for your diary!

Week Commencing 9th February	Children's Mental Health Week. On Monday Children are invited to come in non-uniform as themselves
Monday 9th February	Year 5 & 6 parents invited for sharing
Tuesday 10th February	Safer Internet Day
Tuesday 10th February	Years 3 & 4 parents invited for sharing
Wednesday 11th February	Years 1 & 2 Parents invited for sharing
Wednesday 11th February	Year 3 trip to Brockholes
Friday 13th February	Nursery and Reception parents invited for sharing
Friday 13th February	Reception Snuggle up with a Book
Friday 13th February	Celebration day for Lunar New Year
Friday 13th February	Young Voices
Friday 13th February	School Closes for Half Term
Friday 13th February	School Re-Opens
Monday 23rd February	Parents' Evenings this week

## Dates for your diary!

Thursday 5th March	World Book Day - Children are invited to dress as their favourite characters
Friday 6th March	Reception Snuggle up with a Book
Thursday 12th March	Mother's Day afternoon tea
Friday 13th March	Mother's Day afternoon tea
Tuesday 17th March	Reception Parent Reading Workshop 2.15pm
Monday 23rd March	Celebration day for Eid
Wednesday 25th March	Year 3 and 4 Show at 2.00pm
Thursday 26th March	Year 3 and 4 Show at 2.00pm
Thursday 26th March	Chocolate Bingo at 6.00pm
Friday 27th March	Celebration day for Easter