

Friday 5 January 2018

Dear Parents & Carers,

It has been a busy first week back, with the children settling quickly back into school.

We were very pleased to see the quality of the homework projects that were handed in on Wednesday by both classes. We will be announcing the overall winners in each class next week as we are still expecting a couple of more entries.

In other exciting developments, we have a music teacher starting with us from next week! Her name is Amanda Pillay, and she will be teaching the children in both classes an hour of music each week. Amanda is a music specialist and is very much looking forward to her first day with the children—the Reception lesson will take place on Tuesday afternoon and the Y1 lesson will be every Thursday afternoon.

Kind Regards,

Mr Raheel Akhtar
Headteacher

KEY DATES 2017/18

Spring Term 2018

Wednesday 10 January
Y1 trip to St Paul's Cathedral

Tuesday 23 January
Coffee morning for parents (starting at 9.20am)

Friday 9 February
Children break up for half term

Monday 19 February
Children return to school

Wednesday 7 March
Coffee morning for parents (starting at 9.20am)

Thursday 22 March
Parent's Evening

Thursday 29 March
Last day of term

Summer Term 2018

Monday 16 April
Staff training day—school closed

Tuesday 17 April
Children's first day of term

Thursday 3 May
Staff training day—school closed

Monday 7 May
Bank Holiday—school closed

Friday 25 May
Children break up for half term

Monday 4 June
Children return to school

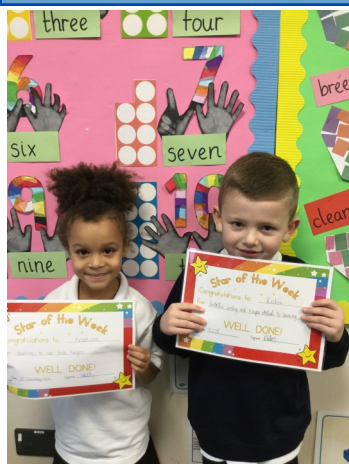
Thursday 5 July
Parent's Evening

Friday 6 July
Staff training day—school closed

Friday 20 July
Last day of term

**Further dates will be added as and when necessary*

STAR OF THE WEEK



Star of the Week in Bluebell Class is Anastasia! Anastasia has been making a tremendous effort in RWI and has started to use her Fred Fingers to write some green words in phonics and in her literacy work. We're very proud, Anastasia. Keep it up!

Star of the week for Sunflower Class is Richie. Richie came back to school after the holidays switched on, ready to learn and has been working super hard. He has also been creating fantastic writing week after week and using lots of 'wow' words. Well done Richie, keep up the good work!

ATTENDANCE

Attendance this week for Bluebell Class was 90%. Attendance for Sunflower Class was 92%. Well done to Sunflower Class for having the best attendance this week!

Coming to school on time every day makes a significant difference to how well children do at school. Make sure your child doesn't miss out by bringing them to school every day. Missed learning time cannot be made up and it is the children who lose out.

Please remember we do not authorise holiday absences during term time.



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