

NEWSLETTER

Friday 21 September 2018

Dear Parents & Carers,

Our children have adapted remarkably quickly to being back in school after such a long time away, behaviour and learning at the school has been very good and the children are already producing some high quality pieces of work.

Next week, we are holding a phonics workshop for all Reception parents at 2.45pm in the school hall. This will provide invaluable information for our Reception parents about how best to support your child with their reading at home. Ms Black and Ms Lloyd will be leading the workshop, and also giving out some information for you to take away with you after the session.

Look forward to seeing you there.

Kind regards,

Mr Raheel Akhtar Headteacher

STAR OF THE WEEK

Our Star of the Week in Year 2 is Jesica Dragomir! Jesica always tries her hardest with her work and consistently demonstrates a good attitude for others to follow.

Star of the week in Sunflower Class is Vilte. Vilte produced some excellent writing in Phonics this week and used her Fred Fingers to sound out some very tricky words. She has also been working hard to ensure that the presen-

tation of her work is top notch. Well done Vilte.

Star of the Week in Bluebell Class this week is Kris. Kris has settled into Reception very well and is always a good example of Star Sitting when the children are on the carpet. He even remembers to put his hand up when he wants to speak!



KEY DATES 2018/19

Autumn Term 2018 Tuesday 25 September Phonics Workshop for Reception parents at 2.45pm Friday 28 September Concordia Open Morning Friday 19 October Children break up for half term **Monday 29 October** Staff training day—school closed **Tuesday 30 October** Children return to school Wednesday 31 October Halloween dress up day **Thursday 1 November** Official Opening Ceremony Friday 9 November School photos—Individual and sibling photos Monday 12 November Parent Coffee Morning Monday 12 November Y1 and Y2 cinema trip Friday 16 November Children in Need dress up day Thursday 13 December Parents' Evening Friday 14 December **Xmas Jumper Day** Monday 17 December Xmas performance Wednesday 19 December

*Dates may be added and amended as and when necessary

Last day of term

ATTENDANCE

Attendance for Bluebell Class this week was 89%. Sunflower Class had attendance of 94%. Poppy Class had attendance of 97%. Well done to Poppy for being the attendance superstars 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.



