

Friday 18 June 2021

Dear Parents & Carers,

Number Day was a huge success and our children enjoyed it very much. Please see page 5 of this newsletter where you can see images from today, including some of the children's wonderful costumes!



We are now more than halfway through the virtual Parentgym course, and parents are finding it very rewarding and enjoyable. If you are interested in attending future Parentgym courses, please contact Mrs Pettigrew, or leave your details with Reception.



Parentgym is a valuable resource for parents to share any parenting worries and receive support in a friendly and supportive atmosphere. Please do get in touch if you are interested.

Kind regards,

Mr Raheel Akhtar
Headteacher

KEY DATES 2020/21

Summer Term Second Half
2021

Friday 18 June
Number Day

Monday 5 July
Ninja Warrior Day

**Week beginning Monday
12 July**
Sports Week

Monday 19 July
Reports sent home
Meet the Teacher

Tuesday 20 July
Parents' Evening from 1pm

Wednesday 21 July
INSET Day—school closed

Friday 23 July
Last day of term—school
closing at 1pm

ATTENDANCE

Congratulations to Poppy Class who are our attendance award winners this week with 99.3% attendance! The class with the highest attendance percentage at the end of Summer Term will receive a special prize.

Class Name	Weekly Attendance
Buttercup	97.7%
Bluebell	91.7%
Daisy	95%
Daffodil	96.7%
Sunflower	95.9%
Poppy	99.3%
Carnation	89.3%
Orchid	89.8%

Coming to school on time every day makes a significant difference to how well children achieve at school. Good attendance at school is one of the key indicators of educational success for a child throughout their school life, so make it a priority to get your child to school every day.

Please remember that we do not authorise holidays during term time.

**EVERY
SCHOOL DAY
COUNTS**



ALL CHILDREN IN SCHOOL UNIFORM EVERY DAY PLEASE!

HEADTEACHER AWARDS



The Headteacher Award in Buttercup Class goes to Elijah. This week Elijah has been focused during child led learning and has produced a fantastic piece of independent writing. Well done, Elijah!

Antonina from Bluebell Class received a Headteacher Award this week for her positive attitude towards learning. Antonia has settled well into life at Concordia. It is wonderful to see her enjoying school. Well done, Antonina!

The Headteacher Award this week in Daisy Class goes to Jordan! Jordan impressed us in 'Maths is a Hoot' by counting all the way to 100 in 5s. This is a fantastic achievement and we are all very proud of you. Well done, Jordan!

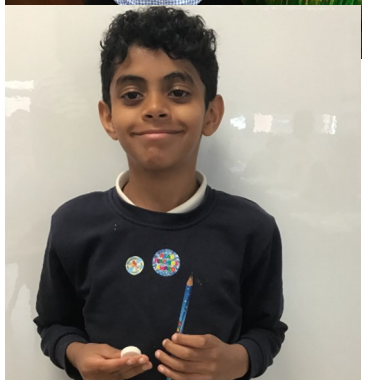


The Headteacher Award in Daffodil Class goes to Sridatree. Sridatree tries her best in all activities, especially Maths. She loves to support others in their learning and is always found to be making the right choices. Well done Sridatree, keep it up!

Our Headteacher Award in Sunflower Class goes to Abbie. Abbie has been making a super effort in Phonics to pinch the sounds when writing. This week she completed an excellent piece of writing, inviting a friend to a birthday party and she felt confident enough to read her work to the whole class. This was extremely impressive. Well done, Abbie!



A Headteacher Award in Sunflower Class also goes to Mpilo for making great choices when sitting on the carpet during Maths lessons and she has been consistently setting a good example for her classmates. She has been making excellent contributions to class discussions and has been making a super effort to explain her answers using full sentences. Well done, Mpilo!



The Headteacher Award in Poppy Class goes to Hawwa. Hawwa showed great enthusiasm during our possessive nouns Grammar lesson this week. She engaged with class conversations and focussed hard on her independent work.

The Headteacher Award in Carnation Class goes to Rayhan! Rayhan has been much more focused this week. He has shown he is ready for his learning and has been more regularly sharing ideas and answers with the class. Well done!

The Headteacher Award in Orchid Class this week is going to Wael for his outstanding effort within Maths, showing off his knowledge of Roman Numerals! Wael was able to independently complete his maths work on Roman Numerals to 100 and has worked extremely hard on solving addition sums using column method. Outstanding work Wael, keep it up!

The Headteacher Award in Orchid Class has also gone to Poppy, for her improved confidence! Poppy has always been a shy member of the class, however, she is working hard to contribute her imaginative ideas more frequently to classroom discussion. It is wonderful to hear your thoughts and I am proud of your improved confidence! Well done, Poppy!



STAR OF THE WEEK



Star of The Week in Buttercup Class goes to Andrew. This week Andrew has been working extremely hard to communicate using full sentences. Everyone in Buttercup Class is proud of Andrew and his achievements. Well done, Andrew!

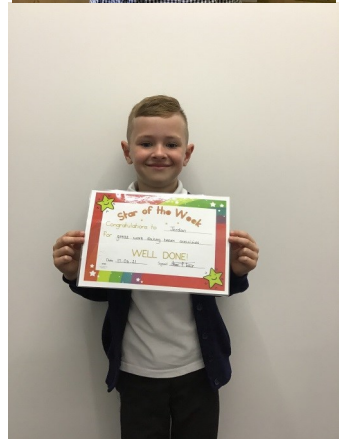
Star of The Week in Daisy Class is Deetya! Deetya has had a fantastic first week in Daisy Class. She has settled well and has enjoyed making new friends. It is a pleasure to have you as part of our class, well done Deetya!



Star of The Week in Bluebell Class is Nina! Nina has produced some excellent work on the two times table this week, writing even numbers all the way to one hundred! Nina is a role model to her peers and always tries her best during activity time. We are proud of you Nina, well done!



This week the Star of The Week in Daffodil Class goes to Jordan! Jordan this week has been working hard to stay on task and has been working particularly well during team activities. Jordan is becoming better at turn taking and communicating with his peers. Well done Jordan, keep it up!



Star of The Week in Sunflower Class is Sophia F! Sophia has been making a great effort in Maths, she has been putting her hand up to contribute to class discussions and answer questions. She has been working really well with her partner and has been able to use different strategies to answer tricky questions. Well done, Sophia! Keep up the good work.



Star of The Week in Poppy Class is Freddie! Freddie is a new addition to Poppy Class and he is our Star of The Week for settling in so well! He shows great Concordia spirit and has showed enthusiasm across all subjects.



Star of The Week in Carnation Class is Shae! Shae has shown excellent effort across both Literacy and Maths lessons this week. Shae has worked more independently and support his partner during Maths sensibly. Keep it up!



Star of The Week in Orchid Class this week is Eshna! She has just joined Concordia Academy and has settled in fantastically well. Eshna has shown enthusiasm and made a wonderful effort to make new friends. Welcome to Concordia Eshna, it is a pleasure to have you with us!

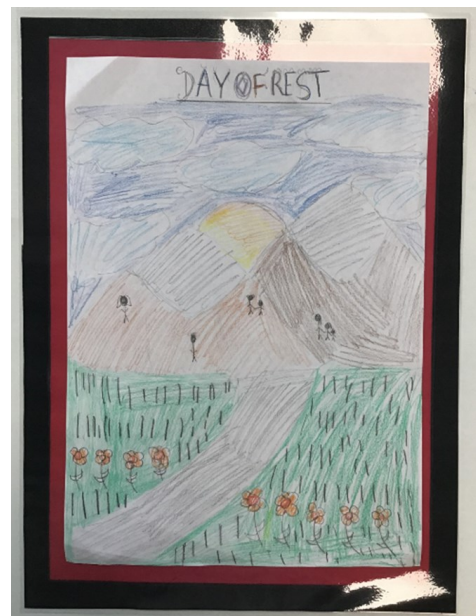
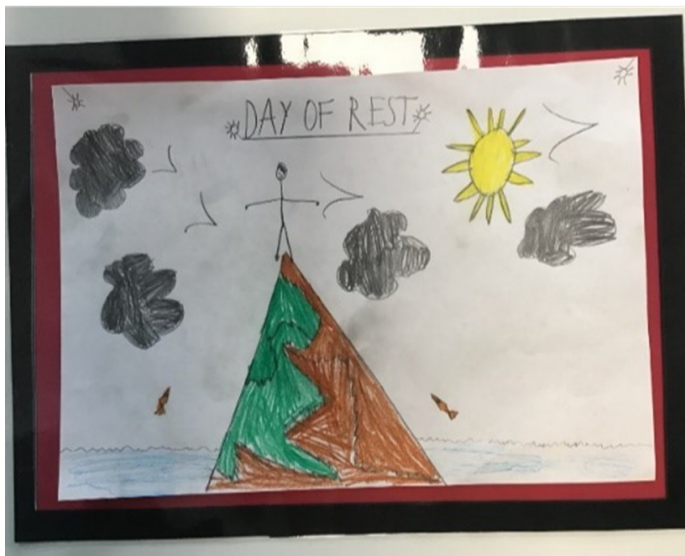


CURRICULUM CORNER—YEAR 4

Orchid class have been learning about the religion Judaism, the beliefs of Jewish people and how they practise their religion. This week, we discussed how they believe the world was created and read the book, “The Seventh Day” by Deborah Bodin Cohen. Within the book, it explores the land and creatures and how they were made within 6 days. The seventh day (Shabbat) is the day of rest and is a time to be peaceful.



Orchid class discussed what it means to be peaceful and what they imagine a peaceful place to look like. Here, you can see some drawings by Y4.



NUMBER DAY

Concordia Academy's first Number Day has been a great success. We saw a huge number of children coming to school in brilliant Maths themed costumes. We also had children from all classes sharing challenging maths facts with their teachers. Here are some of the costumes from across the school.



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