

HEADTEACHER UPDATE

We have had another couple of exciting weeks in school. Phil from Muddy Monsters did some fantastic activities with the children this week. They learned how to safely make a fire and then cooked some tasty snacks on the fire.

We have also had a group of children taking part in the Key Steps Gymnastics Competition. I am super proud of how well they all performed, a huge well done to you all.

Mrs Allen, Headteacher

CALENDAR

Upcoming Diary Dates

May:

Monday 6th - School closed (Bank Holiday)

Thursday 23rd - Mrs Cruise's Class Assembly, 2pm School Hall

Friday 24th - Miss Lumsden's/Mrs Scotter's Class Assembly, 2pm School Hall

Friday 24th - School Closes for Half Term Holidays

June:

Monday 3rd - School Re-opens w/c 12th - Year 1 (and Year 2 re-takes) Phonics Screen Tests



Attendance from 1st September 2023

Overall whole school attendance - **94.6%**

Target - **96%**

Class	Attendance %
Mrs Simpson	94.7%
Miss Lumsden / Mrs Scotter	94.1%
Miss Clarke	95.4%
Mrs Cruise	94.2%

Weekly winners

Congratulations to this weeks winners of the attendance bear

Miss Lumsden's / Mrs Scotter's class



We were super excited to have two teams of gymnasts competing in the Key Steps Gymnastics competition at AAA Sports. They really did us proud and performed excellent routines for the judges. We are sure that you will agree that they are all winners for taking part, regardless of whether we win the competition. Well done everyone!



SUPERSTARS



Reporting an absence.



If your child is absent you must contact the school office on 0191 917 1910 before 8.45am and leave a message with your name, your child's full name and the reason for their absence.

As a school, we have a responsibility to follow up absences for all children, including those who attend our nursery provision.



Please do not send any urgent messages via Class Dojo, as the teachers aren't always able to check them throughout the day.



Social Media

Please remember to follow our school social media pages to keep up to date with all the exciting activities and learning that the children have been taking part in.



PRE-LOVED UNIFORMS

We have a range of good quality, pre-loved school uniform and coats in our reception area that have been washed and bagged. Please feel free to take anything you need and leave a small donation, if possible. We would welcome any donations of good quality, pre-loved uniform.



Safeguarding Our Children

Safeguarding is everyone's responsibility! If you have any concerns, please don't hesitate to contact school and speak to one of our Designated Safeguarding Leads, Mrs Allen, Miss Lumsden, or Mrs Scott