DBI Newsletter

Attendance - Week Ending Friday 26th May 2023

Kingfisher: 96.55% **Rabbit**: 97.78% **Butterfly**: 96.30%

Woodpecker: 95.93% Squirrel: 95.57% Bumblebee: 95.58%

Tawny Owl: 94.25% **Hedgehog:** 95.22% **Ladybird:** 96.53%

The classes with the best attendance in each year group this week: Kingfisher, Rabbit and Ladybird

The overall whole school attendance this week is: 96.07%

There has been such an improvement in attendance this week and for the first time this academic year we have hit our target of 96% for the school as a whole which is fantastic!

Thank you for continuing to support us by bringing your child to school every day.

We hope to continue to improve these attendance results as we continue throughout the Summer Term.



Stars of the Week!

Each week two pupils from each class are entered into our golden book. One pupil is awarded the overall class Star of the Week and the second pupil is for being either our Writer of the Week or our Mathematician of the week!

Class Stars

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Kingfisher: Olivia-Mae **Woodpecker**: Sheneik

Tawny Owl: Paris Rabbit: Rafi

Squirrel: Frankie Hedgehog: Yuven Butterfly: Rosie Bumblebee: Thia Ladybird: Paige

Nursery: Athar

Mathematician Stars



Kingfisher: Sania
Woodpecker: Anika
Tawny Owl: Billie-Joe
Rabbit: Ricky-Lee
Squirrel: Kayson
Hedgehog: Ronny
Butterfly: Areeba
Bumblebee: Iqra

Nursery: Maria

Ladybird: Lennox

Diary Dates

Friday 26th May - Finish for Half Term

Monday 5th June - All pupils return to school

Wednesday 19th July - Year 2 Graduation. More details to follow

Friday 21st July - Finish for Summer Holidays



School Access

Last week we sent a letter out to all families informing you of some changes that are taking place after half term.

Due to building works taking place at the Junior School, the pathway leading you from the infants to the juniors will be closed.

Also, to improve security and safeguarding at both schools, the field access gate will be closed during the day from 8.10am – 4pm.

Families and visitors will only be able to enter the school via the gates at our Davington Road entrance.

School Uniform

Recently we have noticed that several children are coming to school in clothes that are not a part of our school uniform.

All pupils, including nursery, should be wearing uniform every day. This should consist of:

- Black trousers, skirt or pinafore dress
- Tartan skirt or dress
- White polo shirt
- Royal blue jumper or cardigan
- Black shoes or trainers

hair accessories should be small and blue or white ONLY

Please ensure that you write your child's name in ALL of their uniform.

Some children are also still bringing large bags/rucksacks into school. Please take some time over half term to purchase a school bookbag. You can purchase one from Uniform 7 or similar versions can be found at other online retailers.

Absences

- If your child does not come to school for any reason please ensure that you call the school office on the first day of absence to tell us the reason so that it can be coded correctly on the register. If they are absent for more than one day you must keep in regular contact with the school.
- If we don't have a reason it will be marked as unauthorised which affects their attendance percentage and may lead to us notifying our attendance officer.

We hope you all have a lovely half term and look forward to seeing you when we return on Monday 5th June for our final half term of this academic year!