

DBI Newsletter

Attendance – Week Ending Friday 5th May 2023

Kingfisher: 97.04%

Rabbit: 92.65%

Butterfly: 91.94%

Woodpecker: 95.26%

Squirrel: 99.52%

Bumblebee: 95.60%

Tawny Owl: 87.19%

Hedgehog: 95.73%

Ladybird: 98.99%

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

The overall whole school attendance this week is: **94.87%**

Our overall attendance has really improved this week which is wonderful to see!

The summer term is normally always one of the most exciting times of the year with lots of different things happening, please continue to support us by bringing your child to school every day!

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



Kingfisher: Maryam

Woodpecker: Maham

Tawny Owl: Qirat

Rabbit: Idrees

Squirrel: Ruqayyah

Hedgehog: Logan

Butterfly: Bryan

Bumblebee: Noah

Ladybird: Zarah

Writing Stars



Kingfisher: Darcy

Woodpecker: Navya

Tawny Owl: Emma

Rabbit: Rafi

Squirrel: Inaaya

Hedgehog: Madiba

Butterfly: Martel

Bumblebee: William

Ladybird: Leah

Nursery: Gabriel and Ivie

Diary Dates

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| Monday 8 th May | - | Extra Bank Holiday for King's Coronation – School Closed |
| Tuesday 9 th May | - | School nurses visiting Reception |
| Friday 26 th May | - | Finish for Half Term |
| Monday 5 th June | - | All pupils return to school |
| Thursday 18 th May | - | School Census Day – Special Lunch for pupils |
| Friday 21 st July | - | Finish for Summer Holidays |

**UPCOMING
EVENTS**

Coronation Celebrations!

We have all had a lovely day in school today celebrating the King's Coronation which is taking place tomorrow.



All the children and staff looked wonderful in their red, white and blue outfits.

Thank you to everyone for your continued support of our celebration days.



We hope you all have a lovely long weekend and enjoy any celebrations you may be having!



Summer Could Be On Its Way!



Finally, we seem to be experiencing some warmer weather with the sun making an appearance!

Please support us by keeping track of the weather forecast and on days that are expecting high temperatures it may be worthwhile to apply sun cream to your child before they come to school as the playground gets a lot of sun exposure particularly when the children are out at lunchtime.

Breakfast and Afterschool Club

There are currently a lot of outstanding debts on ParentPay for children's attendance at our Breakfast and/or Afterschool Club.

Please take some time over the weekend to check your account and clear any debts that you may have, no matter how big or small.

If at any time you have any problems making a payment or you have any queries regarding the debt on your account please speak to someone in the office as soon as possible.

School uniform

We have noticed recently that some children are coming to school and not wearing the correct uniform.

Please ensure your child is wearing a white polo top, black trousers/skirt/pinafore dress/tartan pinafore dress or skirt with a royal blue jumper or cardigan and plain black shoes or trainers.

Any hair accessories should be blue and/or white. Small bows are allowed but extravagant headbands i.e. with cat ears on are not allowed.

Spare Clothes

If you have any boys or girls' trousers in the age of 6-7 that you no longer want please can you consider donating them to the school.

Also, if your child has borrowed any of our spare clothes please can you ensure you wash them and return them to the office as soon as possible.

Nursery September 2023

Do you have a child or know someone that has a child that will be turning 3 before the end of August 2023?



We have spaces available for this coming September.



If you are interested you can download an application form from our website: -

www.dorothybarleyinfant.co.uk or you can collect one from the school office.