



Newsletter 1

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CREATE excitement for learning



ACHIEVE EXCELLENCE

CLUBS			
Day	Time	Clubs	Year Group
Monday	3.20 - 4.30pm	Cookery	5
Monday	3.20 - 4.30pm	Drama	5 & 6
Monday	3.20 - 4.30pm	Football	5 & 6
Monday	3.20 - 4.30pm	Fine Motor Skills	Reception & 1
Tuesday	3.20 - 4.30pm	Cookery	6
Tuesday	3.20 - 4.30pm	Drama	1 & 2
Wednesday	3.20 - 4.30pm	Football	3 & 4
Wednesday	3.20 - 4.00pm	Ukulele	5 & 6
Wednesday	1.30 - 3.00pm	Early Years Guitar	1 & 2
Thursday	3.20 - 4.30pm	Cricket	3 - 6
Thursday	3.20 - 4.30pm	Reading	3 & 4
Friday	3.20 - 4.30pm	Gym	2, 3 & 4
Friday	1.30 - 3.00pm	Guitar	3 - 6

Please return club slips by Friday 23 September or places will have to be allocated to someone else

STAR OF THE WEEK ASSEMBLIES

STAR OF THE WEEK ASSEMBLIES ARE ON **FRIDAY MORNINGS AT 9.00am** IN THE MAIN SCHOOL HALL

REMINDER

Any children not collected by 3.30pm will be taken to after school club. You will be charged £3 for child care. Thank you.

REMINDER

Please complete and hand in your free school meal applications (regardless of whether your child has dinners) by Friday 30 September

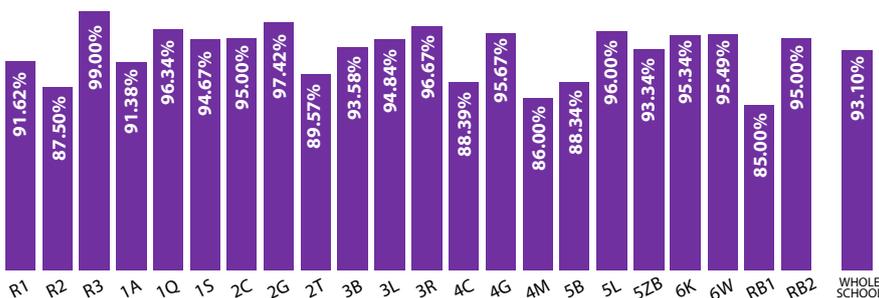
CHILDREN NEED TO BE IN SCHOOL AT 8.50AM.

CHILDREN SHOULD BE IN THE PLAYGROUND READY TO GO INTO CLASS. **LATE MARKS WILL BE GIVEN TO CHILDREN WHO ARRIVE AFTER 9.00AM**

ATTENDANCE

NO DAYS LOST	10 DAYS LOST	19 DAYS LOST	29 DAYS LOST <small>THE SAME AS HALF A TERM!</small>	38 DAYS LOST	47 DAYS LOST
100%	95%	90%	85%	80%	75%
190 days of education	180 days of education	171 days of education	161 days of education	152 days of education	143 days of education
GOOD Best chance of success - get your child off to a flying start	WORRYING Less chance of success. Makes it harder for your child to progress.		SERIOUS CONCERN COURT ACTION AND FINES		

Attendance W.C. 12 September 2016



TERM DATES

BREAK UP	RETURN TO SCHOOL
FRIDAY 21 OCTOBER	MONDAY 31 OCTOBER
FRIDAY 16 DECEMBER	WEDNESDAY 4 JANUARY 2017
2017	
FRIDAY 17 FEBRUARY	MONDAY 27 FEBRUARY
FRIDAY 7 APRIL	TUESDAY 25 APRIL
FRIDAY 26 MAY	MONDAY 5 JUNE
FRIDAY 21 JULY	TBC
TRAINING DAYS (ONLY STAFF TO ATTEND):	
TUESDAY 3 JANUARY 2017	MONDAY 24 APRIL 2017



STARS OF THE WEEK

Class	Name	Reason	Reader of the week
1S	Daisy-Mae J	Daisy is an absolute superstar! She has settled into Year 1 beautifully. She listens carefully, contributes ideas and has produced some amazing work already. I am so excited to have you in my class Daisy! Keep up the hard work.	Bilal A
1Q	Aleena B	Aleena has impressed me so much. She has made a fantastic start to Year 1 and is working incredibly hard. She takes time with her handwriting in Literacy and works hard in Maths lessons. Aleena sits beautifully on the carpet and is always thinking about what she needs to do. Keep working hard, Aleena, you are a super girl!	Ayman A
1A	Sama A	Sama has settled into Year 1 fantastically. She always gets on with her work quietly and always tries her best. Her writing is well presented and she has written some beautiful sentences using adjectives to describe nouns in the story of Goldilocks. Sama always puts her hand up to answer questions on the carpet during our P4C sessions and contributes regularly to class discussions. She listens well to instructions and this is reflected in her work. Keep up the good work Sama!	Sarah B
2C	Lewis T	Lewis has had a fantastic start to Year 2. He has been working hard in all subjects and even reminding other children how to walk sensibly down the corridor after lunch. I hope Lewis keeps up this positive approach, as we are all very proud of him.	Aun N
2T	Rohanpreet S	Rohan was a superstar on our trip to Cadbury World. He was engaged and enjoyed sharing what he had learnt with others. Well done!	Savannah C
2G	Mason R	On our trip to Cadbury World Mason was fantastic. He joined in with everything and had lovely manners. He was a super role model for everyone else on the trip.	Shakeel H
3L	Tia H	Tia is really helpful, delightful to teach, a superb role model and works extremely hard. She has made a fantastic start to Year 3! Well done!	Paige W
3B	Peyton O	I have chosen Peyton for Star Of The Week because of her brilliant handwriting. She has been practising lots at home, and can now write neater than most adults in Billesley! Peyton puts lots of effort into her work. Well done.	Spencer H
3R	Rayaan H	Rayaan has worked hard this week when writing and has produced some wonderful sentences using adjectives to describe emotions. Well done!	Sakinah M
4M	Irfaq M	For starting the year with such enthusiasm and such a big smile! She is trying to answer questions in reading and maths, make suggestions in shared writing and she was most adventurous pupil on our trip to the Acker's Adventure Centre. She is a super star!	Summer Lei W
4C	Hassan T	Hassan has made a really good start to Year 4. He works hard in every subject and so far has impressed me with his speedy calculations in maths and his descriptive writing based on Robin Hood in English. Well done Hassan, keep up the good work!	Keyan R
4G	Dhruv G	Dhruv has settled in extremely well over the past 2 weeks. He has made lots of new friends, works hard all of the time and has even been elected to be part of the School Council! Dhruv is a pleasure to have in my class.	Hibbah A
5L	Alyas Q	Since starting Year 5, Alyas has been a delight to have in the class. He is extremely hardworking and strives to achieve his best in everything that he does. Every single day is brightened up by his lovely smile.	Maryam E
5B	Ethan W	What an amazing start to Year 5 Ethan! It has been an absolute pleasure to have you in my class over the last three weeks. Your behaviour is perfect, you always try your hardest with your work, you listen to instructions the first time they are given, and you inspire others to do the same. You are a star!	Zaynub B
5ZB	Alina Z	Alina is our star this week for being incredibly creative during our Enquiry Day. She impressed the whole class by making a bag, inspired by the dot story.	Umez A G
6W	Susie H	This girl is ready for the challenges of Year 6. She has started this year with determination, has shown how much of a creative mind she has and has brought happiness to all those around her. As well as working hard, Susie always has a smile on her face. I am certain she will do well this year.	Arhum R
6K	Ali A	Ali has got off to a flying start in year 6, he is showing maturity and a thirst for knowledge. Ali is making excellent vocabulary choices in his writing and he is inspiring those around him. Keep up the good work!	Maddison C
RB	Grace R	Grace has been very engaged and focused in every lesson this week. She is showing confidence in reading, writing and maths, and is even finding mistakes and correcting them on her own. Grace is not only working hard at her academics, but in all areas of school, whether it be winning games in PE, painting beautiful works of art for Enquiry Day, or climbing trees and bug hunting during Forest School. Keep up the excellent work Grace!	Sarah A