

Behaviour

Children who show excellent learning behaviours in lessons and follow our behaviour expectations are awarded team points. To be awarded a point, the children have to be in the right place, at the right time and doing the right thing. Class team points are then added together for our overall weekly team winner.

These are the points that have been awarded in each team this week:

Red	Blue	Yellow	Green
875	877	685	502

The house that has won the overall points for this week is: **Blue!**

Whole School Attendance

This week: 94.5%

Our attendance target for the year is 97%

Year to date 95.3%

Class Attendance Winners this week:

1st place – Class 2C 98.47%

2nd place – Class 4D 97.05%

3rd place – Class 6P 94.89%

Up and Coming Key Dates

Date:	
29/01 – 02/02	National Storytelling Week – Mystery Reader!
06/02	Safer Internet Day
12/02	School closed for half term
WC 12/02	Wrenthorpe Holiday Club
19/02	School reopens for pupils
06/03	Mother's Day Secret Room Event
07/03	World Book Day (details to follow)
	Easter Disco - TBC

Special Mentions

RB: Isla J

RP: Beatrice S

1M: Zachary C

1/2C: Adelyn D

2C: Molly C

3R: Olivia-Mae B

3/4C: Joey C

4D: Lucy E

5S: Holly T

5/6M: Evelyn W

6P: Alfie F

Well done!

Academy Updates

- We are still accepting donations for our Mother's Day Secret Room. If you would like your child to take part in choosing and wrapping a gift for Mother's Day, please make the payment of £2.50 on MCAS.
- We are still looking for volunteers to join our PFA (Parents and Families Association). If you are interested in joining or volunteering, please get in touch with the school.

Reception (Miss Peden & Miss Brzostowska)

In Reception this week we have moved onto the Traditional Tale Goldilocks and the Three Bears. We have been investigating capacity with porridge oats, ordering objects by size and playing Goldilocks track games to practice subitising on a dice. We have learnt to retell the story using a story map and created our own stories.

1M (Mrs Mayman)

This week in 1M, we have explored the difference between chicken eggs and reptile eggs after leaving a chicken egg in white vinegar overnight. We were amazed to see and feel the changes in the texture of the shell which became soft and rubbery. It was just like a real-life reptile egg!

1/2C (Miss Carter)

In 1/2C this week we have used our knowledge of different food groups and the benefits they have for our bodies by designing our own healthy lunchboxes. We made sure they were filled with plenty of different fruits and vegetables as well as sources of protein and carbohydrates.

2C (Mrs Carter)

In 2C we have thoroughly enjoyed jumping back in time to the Cretaceous period to find out just how long ago dinosaurs roamed the earth. We then compared more recent events such as the invention of the iPad, when we were born and when we started school. We created a huge class timeline to show the chronology of these events.

3R (Miss Radband)

We've had a wonderful week this week in 3R. The children are really enjoying learning all about coal mining in the Victorian Era! In science we have enjoyed learning about opaque, transparent and translucent materials and in DT we have learnt how to make a bulb light up!

3/4C (Miss Corner)

We have had another wonderful week in 3/4C. I have been blown away by the narratives produced by every single child, the attention to detail and the way in which they have captured the characters is inspiring! We are authors in the making. I look forward to seeing what the next week brings us!

4D (Mrs Bunting)

The children in 4D have worked really hard this week. In writing, they have written a narrative and have started their non-chronological report! They are fully absorbed in their learning on coal mining and had the privilege of looking at some real coal mining artefacts from a parent! There has been lots of practical activities this week, in science they have measured brightness with a Lux meter and in DT they have made circuits ready for their helmet design!

5S (Miss Sales)

5S have enjoyed reading more of Orion Lost this week. We have been inferring how characters feel using evidence from the text in Reading lessons. In Writing, we have begun our Non-chronological reports. We are writing about Apollo 11, the first man on the moon. In Science we had lots of fun looking at day and night. We used a lamp and a globe to show how the Earth rotates around the sun spinning on its axis.

5/6M (Mrs Moodley)

We have had another busy week in 5/6M. The children have worked hard applying learnt skills in their narrative writing and we started to gather information for our non-chronological report on the Apollo missions. In Science, we researched how the planets look and gathered key facts about each planet. In Maths, we are securing our mental strategies for all four operations. Well done, 5/6M.

6P (Mrs Parry)

Once again, children in 6P have worked incredibly hard on their writing this week; their reports about the Apollo Project are looking fantastic! In Science, we have been investigating how the Earth's rotation causes night and day. The children have also enjoyed lots of singing in preparation for our trip to Young Voices!