

Week 6 Newsletter 9/2/18

Behaviour – Well Done!

At the Academy we use the reward and consequence system to warn children if their behaviour is not of the acceptable standard. Children should follow the school rules; Be Safe, Be Responsible and Be Respectful. The totals below show how many children have achieved this each week.



FS1	FS2	Y1	Y1/2	Y3	Y3/4	Y4/5	Y5	Y6C	Y6W
21/21	24/24	30/30	29/30	31/31	31/31	31/31	30/30	26/26	26/26

FS1
100%

FS2
95.8% & 1 late

Y1
89.0% & 0 lates

Attendance & Lates
Whole School: 95.3% 10 & lates
Our attendance target for the year is 96.5%
Year to date is: 96%

Y1/2
98.1% & 1 late

Y3
98.1% & 1 late

Y3/4
91.9% & 4 lates

Y4/5
98.7% & 2 lates

Y6W
97.7% & 0 lates

Y6C
97.7% & 1 late

Y5
90.7% & 0 lates

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Child of Achievement Awards

Thank you to all parents/carers for attending our Achievement assembly to watch their child receive a Golden Award



- FS2— Tiana
- Y1 - Joey
- Y1/2 - Spencer
- Y3 -
- Y3/4 - Matthew
- Y4/5— Julia
- Y5— Daisy

During Achievement assembly, please make sure that the photo is of your child only and please ensure you only post photos of your child on social media. There are parents who do not want their child photographed or on social media for personal reasons.

Upcoming Key Dates

Friday 9th February	School closes
Monday 19th February	School opens
Monday 19th February	Special Chinese Lunch
Monday 26th February	Parents Evening
Wednesday 28th February	Parents Evening
Thursday 1st March	World Book Day
Thursday 8th March	Y5 Cricket in the Classroom

CONGRATULATIONS to our Y3/4 football team who have qualified for the next round of the EFL football competition. The team played some outstanding football and showed excellent team spirit. Thank you to all those parents and grandparents who supported the team.



Read all about us...



Y1



Here are the children in 1TM having a fantastic time during their Samba Drumming Workshop. They all had a turn with at least three different instruments and enjoyed exploring the different sounds and rhythms.

FS1

We have had a fantastic week finishing off our dinosaur topic and looking at the country of Brazil. We learnt lots of interesting facts and made our own Brazilian flags and Carnival masks. We had a mini FS1 Carnival, dancing to the Latin music and parading around the room. We all enjoyed the Samba drumming lessons and got to play a variety of instruments.



FS2

The children had a fab time at their drumming lesson. They all got to play the different types of drums and listened to the different sounds they made.



Y1/2

We have been exploring fractions this week. We have learnt to find a fraction of different objects, shapes, quantities and numbers. We also carried out a team investigation in which we discovered that $1/2$ and $2/4$ are exactly the same!



Y5 On Wednesday morning, Year 5 had a very lively drumming lesson. All children had the opportunity to learn about Samba drumming and played different instruments. It was brilliant to hear the different rhythms being created.



Y3 We had a visitor come in to teach us about Samba dancing. We enjoyed learning the names of the new instruments and learning about the sounds they made.



Y4/5

We would like to say 'Goodbye and Good Luck' to Mrs Varley as she leaves us today. The staff and children would all like to thank her for all her help and support with Years 4 and 5 and we will all miss her very much.

EGPA would like to wish Mrs Varley all the very best in her new job and we thank her for her hard work over the last few months.

Y6W



Year 6W enjoyed learning some Latin dancing on Monday during Brazil Day.

Y3/4

Class 3/4D have had a very eventful last week of half term. As part of Brazil Day- the children learnt about the world famous footballer Pele and enjoyed having a World Cup Malteaser penalty shoot out (England vs Brazil). In writing, children have been thinking how they can use discussion to improve their writing. In Maths, they have been learning about area and perimeter.

Thank you to everyone who came to the Dyslexia workshop held in school on Thursday, if you were unable to attend and would like some information, please have a look at the website

www.dayonline.org.uk

The online booking system is now open to make appointments for the Parents' Evening sessions in February.

<http://www.parents-booking.co.uk/egpa>

Have a lovely half-term and see you on Monday 19th February.

Y6C

On Monday the children in 6C took part in Brazil day. They participated in many activities including: carnival mask making, Brazilian dancing and volleyball!

