

Week 2 Newsletter 27/4/18

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



FS1	FS2	Y1	Y1/2	Y3	Y3/4	Y4/5	Y5	Y6C	Y6W
24/24	24/24	30/31	31/31	31/31	28/30	31/31	31/31	23/26	24/26

FS1
100%

FS2
98.3% & 1 late

Y1
100% & 1 late

Attendance & Lates
Whole School: 97.3% & 10 lates
Our attendance target for the year is 96.5%
Year to date is: 96.2%

Y1/2
95.5% & 1 late

Y3
97.7% & 2 lates

Y3/4
98.3% & 1 late

Y4/5
97.1% & 1 late

Y6W
95.8% & 1 late

Y6C
96.2% & 1 late

Y5
95.5% & 1 late

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Upcoming Key Dates

Thursday 3rd May	Training Day—school closed
Monday 7th May	May Day holiday—school closed
Monday 14th May	Year 6 SATs week
Friday 25th May	School Closes
Monday 4th June	School opens
Tuesday 19th June	Class photos
Wednesday 23rd May	Yr6 Residential meeting 6pm

Golden Awards

This week

- FS2— William & Tom
- Y1— Isabelle & Theo
- Y1/2— Isla & Zachary
- Y3 - Jia & Matilda
- Y3/4— Sebastian & Kadie
- Y4/5— Ted & Amber
- Y5 - Ellie & Caitlin
- Y6C— Libby & Kayden
- Y6W— Megan, Sasha & Jia-Xin

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



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.

A big well done to our High 5 Netball team who came joint first in their netball tournament and qualified for the City finals. Very proud of all our players who exhibited both great teamwork and sportsmanship.



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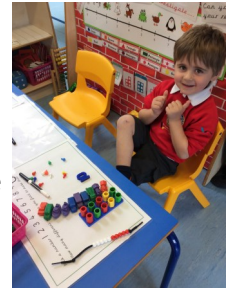
Y1/2

This week we have been using our bar models to solve some very tricky missing number problems. We have really worked on our reasoning skills, talking about if an answer can possibly be right and why.



FS1

In FS1 we have been working extremely hard in maths this week. We have been busy exploring different ways to make numbers up to 10 and recording our answers in a variety of different ways. We also used the Numicon to write and solve number problems.



FS2

This week in FS2 we have been working really hard on our fine motor control! We have practised writing outside, our snipping skills, and even written our names with play dough!



Y1

This week the children in Year 1 have been working hard to complete some fantastic writing in English. They have been thinking of lots of different ways to add description and detail as well as ensuring their punctuation is used appropriately.

Y3/4

This week, Class 3/4D have been celebrating Earth Day and are helping the 2018 mission: to reduce plastic waste. They have started to write a balanced argument on 'Should plastic be banned in supermarkets' and have debated this question in class.

Y3

This week year 3 have been debating issues such as deforestation and how plastic is destroying our environment. We have planned a letter to McDonald's to persuade them to stop using plastic straws.

Y4/5



This week 4/5W have been mastering angles, they have been proving their talents to one another and checking each others work. As well as this we have had a busy week discussing and delving into the story of Little Vixen Street. Selected children took on the role of our main character Enola and answered a range of hot seat questions! Big thank you and well done to all the Y5 children who went to Robinwood and have continued to work hard all week despite a very busy weekend!

Y6

Year 6W have been working incredibly hard on their discussion writing - Should gorillas be in captivity? What do you think?



Y6

This week 6C have been debating whether gorillas should be kept in captivity. We have been researching the topic and there have been lots of different opinions when producing a balanced argument. Where do you stand on this hot topic!?



Congratulations to our skipping team who took part in a festival at Garforth Academy today and came joint first with Green Lane. We are now through to the Leeds City Finals in July. Thank you to parents for their support and to all the children who displayed fantastic sportsmanship.

