



## Headteachers Message

### Dear Parents and Carers,

Thank you to all the parents who came in last Monday to meet their children's teachers to discuss about how we teach Maths. Parents found the session very informative and took lots of ideas away to support their children at home! Our staff have attended some key safeguarding training this week on Peer on Peer abuse, County Lines and Female Genital Mutilation. This will support us in keeping our children safe. Sue Ferguson

## Learning Tips



### Reading Tip 12:

#### Ask your child to choose a book

Sharing books they have chosen shows you care what they think and that their opinion matters. This means they are more likely to engage with the book.

## Vacancies

We currently have a vacancy for Breakfast Club assistant. The hours will be from 7am - 8:30am.

*The successful applicant will have to meet the requirements of the person specification in order to be offered the post and will be subject to an enhanced DBS check. The school is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment.*

If you are interested in joining a friendly team and would like to find out more, please contact the main office and leave your name and contact details. We will get back to you in due course

## E-Safety Tip of the week

### Talking to toddlers about internet safety.



Think it's too early to start talking to your child about staying

safe online?

A recent study of 2 to 5 year olds across 10 countries has made us consider that there may not be a too early!

## General Messages

### Parent Governor Elections

Thank you to everyone who voted in the Parent Governor elections. Votes will be counted today and we will announce the result in next week's newsletter.

### Book Fair (18th—22nd March)

This term's book fair is available in the hall after school every day this week. This is a great opportunity for you to buy some early Easter presents and also help raise money toward more books for our school library as we get a donation based on the number of books sold!



### Free Services for families with children under 5



Please find attached to this week's newsletter the Children's Centre programme for April to June. These are FREE services and groups for families of children under 5. We operate out of 4 different sites so please take some time to look through what is available. Please note that some sessions are oversubscribed and therefore will need to be booked in advance.

- More young children know how to play a computer game (58%) than swim (20%) or ride a bike (52%)
- 28% of young children can make a mobile phone call, but only 20% know to dial 999 in case of an emergency
- 69% of children aged 2-5 can operate a computer mouse, but only 11% can tie their own shoelaces.

Don't put it off! Start talking to your child about staying safe online. There are age appropriate guides on our website which can give you a place to start.



# Congratulations



## House Winners:

House Winners for the week ending 15th March 2019 are:

**Nelson Mandela**

## Attendance Winners:

Attendance Winners for the week ending 1st March 2019 are:

**Lobster, Stingray & Whale = 100%**



## Punctuality Winners

Punctuality Winners for the week ending 1st February are:

**Guppy 1 and Guppy 2 = 0 lates**

## Upcoming Diary Dates

- Mother's Day Gifts on Sale 18th—22nd March (NEW)
- Book Fair in the hall 3.15-3.45pm 18th—22nd March
- Dolphin Class Assembly 21/03/19
- Parents Meeting Coffee Afternoon with the SLT 27/03/19
- Stay & Play 28/03/19 Rec 9.00—10.15, Nur am 8.45—10.00, Nur pm 12.45—2.00
- Shark Class Assembly 28/03/19



## Stars of the Week



Childs name	Class	Value	Stars of the Week
Niya	6W	<b>Successful</b> (For working hard in Math at school and at home. Amazing progress)	<h3><u>Stars of the Week</u></h3> <p>Our stars are awarded in Friday assemblies to children who have shown particular commitment to our school values during the week. To say thank you we ask them to come to the front in our assembly and they can choose a friend to sit with them at their own special table at lunchtime that day.</p>
Parisa	6S	<b>Inspire</b> (For working hard and making good progress in Maths)	
Sumaiya	5S	<b>Resilience</b> (For her outstanding effort in all aspects of school life)	
Daejon	5D	<b>Respect</b> (For always showing respect and kindness to everyone)	
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Saifan	3T	<b>Successful</b> (For trying really hard with improving his attitude towards his work. Keep it up)	
Rayhaana	3L	<b>Successful</b> (For writing facts about Ancient Egypt)	
Lauryn	2S	<b>Inspire</b> (For giving her all and really wanting to do her best)	
Maria	2J	<b>Respect</b> (For always being respectful to adults and her peers alike)	
Keianna	1L	<b>Successful</b> (For writing a great piece of creative writing about a monster)	
Petra	1C	<b>Inspire</b> (For being hardworking in all lessons this week. Keep it up!)	
Whole Class	G1	<b>Inspire</b> (For amazing dressing up as your favourite characters for World Book Day)	
Aisha	G2	<b>Respect</b> (For being brave and still coming to school with a	