



A home for learning, laughing, caring & trying

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

Week commencing Monday 18th November 2024

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Absence reporting

If your child is unable to attend school due to illness, please inform the school office by 9.30am on 917 9881.

Please remember that if your child has sickness or diarrhoea they should not return to school for 48 hours.

IMPORTANT MESSAGES

Children in Need

Thank you to everyone who donated to Children in Need and came in non-uniform today. Together we have raised £231.70!! It is not too late to donate via School Gateway if you wish. Thank you.

Christmas Pound Shop

We will soon be opening our Christmas Pound Shop so that children can buy a gift for Mum & Dad. But first we need some gifts to get us started! Please see the letter attached about how you could help us with this.

Reverse Advent Calendar

We will be once again collecting donations through our Reverse Advent for the Canaan Trust, a local homelessness charity. The attached letter contains a list of items that they would be very pleased to receive. Thank you.

Christmas Disco

Please find attached a letter from the Friends regarding the Christmas Disco, including details about how to purchase tickets for this popular Christmas event.

School Council

Our School Council held a meeting this week. Oliver (Year 2) has had an amazing idea and wants to start litter picking, he hopes it will improve our school and community environment. Mrs Moore would welcome any families or volunteers to assist with this. If you are interested, please contact Mrs Moore in Birch Class or via Dojo.

My Nametags

Help earn commission for our school and help us to reunite your child's lost property quickly and easily; simply scan this QR code to order name labels from www.mynametags.com Our code is 66711



GOLDEN STARS

Well done to this week's Golden Stars!

Mrs Taylor	Penny (Willow)
Birch	Penny
Chestnut	Lois
Cherry	Zak
Maple	William
Oak	Amelia
Willow	Jessica

Midday Supervisors Phillipa (Cherry)

Please return your Golden Star Trophy by Wednesday

RAINBOW STARS



This week the TA's Rainbow Stars are

Birch	Jax
Chestnut	Dayson
Cherry	Merry
Maple	Johann
Oak	Billy
Willow	Elliott

WELL DONE!

WHATS ON THIS WEEK...	
MONDAY	
TUESDAY	
WEDNESDAY	
THURSDAY	Willow Class guitar lesson – don't forget to bring your guitar to school Construction Club (notified children only)
FRIDAY	Stay & Read (8.45am – 9am) Friday Fun Factory (pre-booked children only)

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY...	
Dates / times are subject to change. *More information to follow.	
29 th November	– St Andrews Day – serving uniforms may be worn
2 nd December	– Christmas pound shop opens
9 th December	– Christmas Show for Maple Class parents (2pm)
10 th December	– Christmas Show for Willow Class parents (9.15am)
11 th December	– Christmas Show for Oak Class parents (9.15am)
11 th December	– Christmas Show for Cherry Class parents (2pm)
12 th December	– Christmas Show for Chestnut Class & Acorn Class parents (2pm)
13 th December	– Christmas Show for Birch Class & Acorn Class parents (2pm)

CLASS ATTENDANCE

week ending 15th November 2024

★ **Congratulations Chestnut 99.5%** ★

Birch – 94.7%

Cherry – 91.4% Maple – 98.3%

Oak – 98.8% Willow – 98.5%

WOW Moments!

Complete the [WOW form](#) to tell us about your child's out of school achievements within the last week; we would love to help them celebrate!

This week our Value is



Be Brave

SCHOOL DINNERS

WINTER MENU CYCLE

THREE

[Click here for menu](#)



Breakfast Club

£6.00 per day

Pay via School Gateway App or childcare vouchers 'NCC Banks Road Infants School'.

"I liked dancing in P.E."

Lois - Chestnut

"I liked dancing like the people on Strictly Come Dancing in P.E."

Mollie-Mae - Willow

"I liked making my teddy feel better at the Vets."

Xena - Birch

KIDS QUOTES

"I liked it when we did Maths & talked about part – whole models."

Matilda - Cherry

"I liked playing games & dancing in P.E."

Heidi - Maple

"I loved dancing with my friends."

Rory - Oak

TERM DATES: Autumn 1: 03.03.24 – 18.10.24 Autumn 2: 04.11.24 – 20.12.24 Spring 1: 06.01.25 – 14.02.25 Spring 2: 24.02.25 – 04.04.25
 Summer 1: 22.04.25 – 23.05.25 Summer 2: 02.06.25 – 25.07.25 **INSET DAYS:** 3rd September, 20th June, 28th July, 29th July



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