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This week
What a wonderful first week back we have had this week. The children have certainly come back to school with a positive attitude towards their learning. It has been great to see the exciting learning that has been going off in class including some classes finishing off their DT projects. In Year 3 the children made greenhouses and some even continued their learning at home and made their own to bring into school. It is wonderful to see the parental engagement with the children and know that they are so well supported at home. Also, in Year 4 the children have explored different breads, designed their own (including the pattern) and then made their own bread...needless to say the smell in the staff room was amazing! We hope you all have a great weekend and we look forward to seeing everyone back for a new week next week!

Attendance Matters
Well done to this week's winners:
Year 4
Whole School Attendance
This week: 93.1%
This year: 91.0%
Attendance target: 96.5%



Dates for the diary
Important Dates



Monday 10th June
Cooking and Boys' Football after-school club

Tuesday 11th June
Coding after-school club

Wednesday 12th June
Lego after-school club

Thursday 13th June
Cricket after-school club

After-school club payments are now live on your ParentPay, please make payment as soon as possible.
Thank you


British Values
Can remembering difficult times help shape a better future?



Mutual Respect and Tolerance
Life is not the same for everyone. Learning about times in the past that others have experienced can help us develop empathy and respect.

Health & Safety
Reminder that all children must be supervised by parents/carers at drop off and pick up while on the playground. Please ensure that children do not play with the equipment or ride bikes/scooters. All KS1 children must be supervised by a parent/carer until the teacher calls them into class. This is to ensure the safety of all children. Thank you

Protected Characteristics



The events and experiences in our lives and the lives of others (including those beyond living memory) can shape our beliefs. We should never be treated unfairly because of our beliefs.

Year 5 Drama Festival
Just a reminder about the Year 5 Drama Festival which is happening on Wednesday 19th June 2024 at the Take 2 Academy Theatre in Birdwell. The children need to arrive at school no later than 8:10am to collect their costumes and get ready for the coach. Please can you ensure that children have brought their reply slips back into school ASAP so that we know if children are going to be needing a packed lunch or bringing their own from home. Also, please remember that children need to be collected from the theatre no later than 3:45pm as there is no coach to bring them back to school. If you have any questions, please see or email Mrs Westwood. Thank you.

Chickenpox
We have had a high number of children off school with Chickenpox. This is a highly contagious virus and symptoms include itchy spots that become blisters. If you suspect your child may have chickenpox, please keep them home until all the blisters have scabbed over. Please remember to report your child's absence to the school office.

Year 3 Music Festival
A reminder about the Year 3 Music Festival which is happening on Thursday 27th June 2024. This is taking place at the Metrodome where all Year 3 children will be playing their ukeleles. Audience admission is £5 payable on the door. You will have already received letters about this so please ensure that you have returned your slip to school. Thank you.

Spotlight on Year 3
Wow! What a great start to the final term in Year 3. We have been busy writing our balanced arguments using formal language. In case you didn't get to see our DT project, here are some pictures below of our greenhouses.



PE kits
We would just like to remind parents/carers about the uniform policy as it seems that some children are not wearing the correct school PE kit when it is their PE day. Please can you ensure your child is wearing the correct school uniform. Take a look at our PE policy in school:
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Our School Our Community

