

### 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	Y2BB	Y2LB	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6
15/15	22/22	24/24	17/17	18/18	26/26	31/31	30/30	32/32

#### FS1

88.4% & 1 late

### Attendance & Lates

Whole School: 94.1% & 23 lates

**Our attendance target for the year is 96.5%**

Year to date is: 95.6%

#### Y6

96.2% & 2 lates

#### FS2

100% & 4 lates

#### Y5

88% & 5 lates

#### Y1

90.8% & 2 lates

#### Y2BB

97% & 2 lates

#### Y2LB

98.8% & 4 lates

#### Y3

95.7% & 3 lates

#### Y4

92.9% & 0 lates

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## Upcoming Key Dates

Friday 22nd December	School closes
Monday 8th January	School opens
Monday 8th January	Young Voices Concert

### Child of Achievement

FS2- Aurelia  
Y1- Savanna  
Y2BB- Tilly-Mae  
Y2LB- Max  
Y3- Isla  
Y4- Poppy  
Y5- Ralphie  
Y6- Tiana

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



If you attend 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.

# Read all about us...



**FS1** What a wonderful last week of the term we have had in Nursery! We have been super busy; on Monday and Thursday we performed our Nativity to our grown-ups which was amazing! We have also completed our last part of our innovated story in Talk for Writing which the children did a fantastic job with. We have also had lots of fun playing games, making Christmas crafts and enjoying our party on Friday! We want to wish everybody and Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

**Y2BB** The children have worked extremely hard this half term, and they have had another fantastic week. This week, we have performed the nativity on Monday and Thursday, which were both amazing, and learned about 2-D and 3-D shapes. We have also finished The Tunnel, and the class have loved reading the story. Further to this, they have made so many insightful comments and we have had fantastic discussions about the text - well done everyone! We have also finished learning about The Great Fire of London, with the class producing some fantastic work throughout the half term, especially their final piece, showcasing all the knowledge they have built! Well done 2BB on a fantastic half term and enjoy a well-earned break! Merry Christmas and Happy New year!

**Y2LB** What an incredibly busy yet incredibly wonderful last week we have had! I am still bursting with pride thanks to the outstanding performances the children gave in our nativity performances this week. You all worked so hard to learn your lines and speak in your big, loud voices and I am sure you have lots of proud families as well as teachers. This week, we have continued to explore shape in maths, looking at how we can sort different 2D and 3D shapes. In reading, we finished our class novel 'The Tunnel'. We have also made some super Christmas cards and had a great time running in the Santa Dash. Merry Christmas everyone. I shall see you in 2024!

**Y5** Year five, well done on an outstanding term at school. I have loved the development of your maturity over the last 15 weeks of school, and if you continue the way that you are then the sky really is the limit. I hope you all have a wonderful Christmas and also hope that you find time to relax over the festive period. Well done year five - you are awesome!

**Y6** This term has been an outstanding one in year 6. The children have written excellent balanced arguments and superb suspense stories. In maths, the children have smashed place value, addition, subtraction, multiplication, division, fractions, algebra and measurement. As well as this, we have loved reading Black Powder and improving our reading skills along the way. In the afternoons, the children have learnt all about the human body, the Tudor Monarchs and about Antarctica. It has really been a superb term and the children are on the road to success. Have a wonderful Christmas and New Year. We will see you all well and rested in 2024!

## FS2

What a fantastic term we have had in Reception! We have finished this half term with our Nativity performances which were brilliant, well done to all of EY! I am so proud of everybody's achievements so far this year and I can't wait to see what the rest of the year has in store. Have a lovely break and I will see you all in the New Year!

## Y1

Wow, what a fantastic first term we have had in Year 1. All the children have settled into KS1 and have made some amazing progress. It has been wonderful to watch them grow and become more independent and rise to new challenges. I can't wait to see what they can achieve next year. I hope you all have a wonderful Christmas, enjoy the rest and celebrations with family and friends. Merry Christmas and best wishes for 2024.

## Y3

What a fantastic term it has been in Year Three! The children have worked extremely hard and tackled some tricky topics with great determination and a desire to learn. To top it all off, they sang their hearts out in a fantastic carol concert. I would like to take this opportunity to wish you all a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

**Y4** What a fantastic week to end a very busy half term. Year 4 have really enjoyed completing their hot write newspaper report based on a music video. It was great to see so many skills that we have learned over the past few weeks applied independently. The Santa Dash on Wednesday was quite a sight and Year 4 then went straight for their final swimming lesson of 2023. The concert on Tuesday was a lovely way to get everyone in the Christmas spirit and the children did a superb job! I would like to wish everyone a very merry Christmas. Have a lovely holiday, get some rest and try not to eat too many selection boxes! I look forward to seeing you all in 2024.



### **Christmas Fair**

It was great to see lots of people at the fair and we would like to thank you for supporting this event — we raised a fantastic amount of £1039.

We would like to wish everyone a very Happy Christmas and all the very best for 2024!

We look forward to seeing you all on Monday 8th January.