

### 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
18/18	22/22	22/23	16/17	17/18	26/26	29/31	31/31	33/33

#### FS1

98.4% & 0 lates

### Attendance & Lates

Whole School: 97.1% & 5 lates

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

Year to date is: 96.2%

#### Y6

97.8% & 1 late

#### FS2

93.6% & 0 lates

#### Y5

98.7% & 1 late

#### Y1

95.7% & 0 lates

#### Y2BB

94.1% & 0 lates

#### Y2LB

100% & 2 lates

#### Y3

97.6% & 1 late

#### Y4

97.7% & 0 lates

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## Upcoming Key Dates

Thursday 26th October	Open Day for Reception 24
Friday 27th October	School closes
Monday 6th November	Training Day
Tuesday 7th November	School opens
Tuesday 14th November	Y4 Viking Day
Monday 20th November	Individual school photos
Friday 22nd December	School closes

### Golden Awards

FS2- Cali  
Y1- Sienna  
Y2BB- Myles  
Y2LB- Lilly-Rose  
Y3- Theo  
Y4-  
Y5- Jenson  
Y6- Harriet

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** We have had a lovely week in Nursery. On Monday a pumpkin arrived in our classroom with a special set of instructions, to make our very own Pumpkin Soup just like the characters in our story. On Wednesday we enjoyed making and trying our soup, which was super tasty. In Maths we have been learning to count past 5 and the children have done a wonderful job with this, they have even managed to create some ways to help them remember what number comes next. We have also enjoyed learning about different animals for World Animal Day and all about Autumn this week! We are super excited to see what fun we have next week!

**Y2BB** This week in 2BB, we have started to write our first overcoming a monster story, with the children using excellent adjectives to describe characters. In maths, we have used number lines to count in 2s, 5s and 10s and we have compared and ordered numbers and objects. In reading, we have made inferences about a poem and retrieved information from our class text. In science, we have also completed our first experiment of the year, where we looked at the properties of materials used to make straws and decided which was the most effective. Overall, a great week again in year 2, well done all!

**Y2LB** The children in 2LB have shown such a fantastic, focused and enthusiastic attitude to all their learning this week and I could not be more proud of each and every one of them. The children have written their own 'defeating the monster' stories and have blown me away with their outstanding use of adjectives, similes and sentences of three. In maths, we have been comparing and ordering two digit numbers up to 100. In science, we have been investigating how different objects and materials can be manipulated to change their shape and in geography we have been finding famous London landmarks on ariel view photographs and plan perspectives. Have a super weekend everyone!

**Y5** Well done on yet another great week year five! This week, you have knocked my socks off with the quality of your suspense writing in class. In addition to this, the work you have done in maths when tackling some tricky multiple and factor problems has been brilliant. Finally, we have done lots of work around the Roman army and Queen Boudicca this week, and the creativity of your cartoon strips has never failed to amaze me. Well done on a brilliant week!

**FS2** This week we have all been working super hard with our phonics, learning some new sounds and harder to read and spell words, and doing some brilliant writing in our phonics books. In literacy it has been our non-fiction week, where we have been learning all about owls and nocturnal animals, and in maths we have enjoyed copying and creating our own repeating patterns. On Wednesday we celebrated World Animal Day, learning about ways which we can help endangered animals. We enjoyed creating animal crafts, drawing our favourite animals, building animal houses, completing jigsaws, and matching the animals to their young. In PE we have been working extremely hard with our jumping skills!

**Y1** In Writing this week, Year 1 have been innovating their warning story to write their own version of the Gruffalo's Child. In Maths, we have been continuing to compare and order different amounts of objects. In Geography we learnt about 'Human Features' and discovered that they were objects that were made by people. We found lots of human features around school and recorded our findings in our books. In Art, we used our imaginations to change a picture of a door into something else.

**Y3** In year 3 this week, we explored the fossil cycle and made our own fossils by utilizing various sediment layers. During P.E., we honed our balancing abilities through jumping and hopping, and in art, we experimented with graded pencils and crosshatching techniques to alter tone. The children have done some fantastic writing in their warning stories and have now mastered numbers up to 1000. Overall, it has been a fantastic week.

**Y4** This week I have been really impressed with the work that the children produced in the history session. We were learning about the Viking raid on Lindisfarne and there were some very creative recounts of the event and some fabulous art work. In maths, we began looking at using the column method for adding two 4 digit numbers together. There was some superb reasoning and problem solving to go along with this skill and I am eager to see how this develops in the coming weeks as this becomes more challenging.

**Y6** Wow, it has been another busy week and everybody in year 6 has earned a break this weekend! In writing, we finished our suspense stories which were a pleasure to read. In maths, we have worked on long multiplication and long division which was challenging to say the least! In science, we learnt about how nutrients are transported around the body and in art we began studying George Marston and his enterprising work in Antarctica. Have a fantastic weekend!

## Cauliflower Christmas Cards

Have you completed your order online?

All Artwork must be returned to school or your order cannot be processed - **The courier will collect all the artwork from school on Monday 9th October.**

## Macmillan Coffee Day

We would like to thank everyone who donated money/buns/biscuits and cakes. The children were very excited to spend their money at breaktime. Thanks to this, and the sale after school, which was very well attended, we raised an amazing £363.95 for the charity.

## Sporting News

We had our first cross country competition on Tuesday 26th September. The race took place on home ground and was attended by the local schools.

East Garforth had over 40 children running and lots of support from our parents. Every child was amazing showing resilience and perseverance which helped them all cross the finish line.

On Tuesday we took 3 teams to Garforth Academy to take part in the local school's football tournament. We witnessed some amazing skills and teamwork from all players. Well done to our children who once again surprised us all and brought home the cup. Thank you to our parents for your encouragement and support.

