



Friday 4th March 2016

Star of the Week

This week our Stars of the Week are:

- Butterflies - Hollie Robinson
- Caterpillars - Alyssa Hampson
- Ladybirds - Daisy Marshall
- Orangutans - Lorijai Taylor-Barwell
- Elephants - Deacon Hames
- Seals - Jonathan Wilkinson
- Lions - Lucas Clarke
- Tigers - Warren Fox
- Giraffes - Jenson Parsons
- Pandas - Ethan Jones
- Meerkats - Holly Chappell
- Lemurs - Nadine Hodges
- Penguins - Nicola Booth
- Owls - Jade Olsen-Fox



Attendance

The class this week with the best attendance is Lemurs and Giraffes with 99.4%! The class with the best attendance so far this year is Giraffes with 97.7%. The overall attendance for the whole school from September stands at 95.8%. This week's attendance is 95.9%. Well done to the 296 children who achieved 100% attendance this week, 41 of these children have 100% attendance since September. And finally, congratulations to Shaun Worgan from Owl class who is our weekly attendance winner!

Open Door Policy

West Road Primary School prides itself on its excellent relationship with parents/ carers. The purpose of our Open Door Policy is to encourage open communication, feedback and discussion. We value the input parents make to the school. If you have any worries or concerns about your child's education, then we believe that it is far better that you come into school and discuss them. Following this process allows issues to be resolved and explained. Staff will listen to your concerns and work with you to resolve any issues that you might have. Staff and parents are expected to be reasonable and fair to all parties. It is in the best interests of all our children to work together.

Essential Building Work

Essential building work will be taking place from the 7th March for approximately 20 weeks. On completion we will have a new central heating system and smart lighting. We apologise for any disruption this may cause.

School Meals

Just a reminder our menus are available on our website and in display boards. Watch our display boards to keep up to date and know what food is being served.

Thank you to our kitchen staff for their hard work and dedication for providing meals for children and staff in school. West Road Primary School was awarded a Food Hygiene Rating of 5 (Very Good) by Doncaster Council on 16th September 2015.

Our kitchen is subject to Doncaster Schools Catering's strict Health and Safety Policy and working practices. We follow a Food Safety Policy to ensure the safe service of food and liaise with appropriate Food Agencies to conform to all food safety and nutritional legislation.

If you have any queries or concerns please contact Mrs Thompson who will be happy to answer any questions.

More information on school meals can be found at: <http://www.doncaster.gov.uk/schoolmeals> and information regarding scores on the door at: <http://www.scoresonthedoors.org.uk/>

Year 3/4 Gods & Mortals Day

As part of their current topic, Gods and Mortals, in Giraffe, Panda and Meerkat classes, the children are taking part in an Ancient Greek workshop on Friday 11th March. A company called Rhubarb Theatre are coming into school to work with the children throughout the day and at 2.30 pm, parents/carer of these children are invited into school to watch a performance. It promises to be a fun, interactive learning day for the children and a great way to finish their learning on this topic. If you haven't already sent your payment of £3 to support this day, please could we request it is sent in as soon as possible.



Diary Dates w/c 7th March 2016

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| Monday 7 th | Year 3/4 Parents' Consultation Meetings Nursery Parents' Consultation Meetings |
| Tuesday 8 th | Year 5/6 Parents' Consultation Meetings Nursery Parents' Consultation Meetings |
| Wednesday 9 th | Nursery Parents' Consultation Meetings |
| Friday 11 th | Reception Parents' Consultation Meetings Year 3/4 Workshop Day – see above |

