



*Flourishing Through Fellowship to
'ASPIRE, BELIEVE AND ACHIEVE.'*

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Date: 9.9.2022
Term: 1 Week: 2

This Term
House Points



Fire
1,306



Water
946



Earth
822



Sun
902

AR Millionaires Club

Donaldson
words read

Dahl
words read
538

Rauf
words read
265,697

Shakespeare
words read
50,784

Whole School
words read
317,019

HRH

We are deeply saddened to hear of the passing of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II. As the figurehead of our nation for 75 years and a truly inspirational female role model, she will be greatly missed by us all.

I have led a worship today to help the children understand the importance of her life and the impact that she had on us all.

Her Majesty's passing will affect us all in different ways and we will support those members of our community who need additional support.

I want to confirm that the school will remain open and all planned events will continue as scheduled. Once the state funeral information is released then we will write to confirm any further guidance, if required, at that time.

Our deepest sympathies are with the members of the Royal family and King Charles III, at this very sad time.

Welcome Back

Welcome back to another exciting year. The children have quickly got back into the swing of things and are working hard. We welcome Mrs King to the office on a Thursday and Friday and Miss Street to the role of Academic Mentor which is part of the Covid 19 Recovery Plan. Mrs Cole is teaching Year 4 in the mornings for Reading, Writing and Maths.

Please note that PE is still on a Tuesday and Key Stage 2 Swim at Cygnets Leisure Centre is on a Thursday. For this term the school will cover the cost of these lessons. Year 1 will be accessing the Forrest School Provision at St Botolph's on a Thursday afternoon which will be an amazing experience for them all.

After School Club

Our new After School Provision is open every day from 3.15pm until 5.45pm. Prices are 3.15pm – 4.45pm £5 (£3 if joining from a school club at 4pm). If staying for the last hour the price is £7.50 which includes a light meal. Please book at the office if you would like to use this service.

Meet the Teacher

There is an opportunity to meet your child's new teacher on Monday 12th September and learn about the events and expectations for this year. The sessions are running at 9am and 3.15pm in your child's classroom. This does not include sessions for Dr Seuss class as these are planned for when your child is in school full-time. The Year 6 sessions will include information on the Secondary Transfer.

Shakespeare Class:

The children have settled in extremely well in Shakespeare class. They have dived straight into their new topic – ‘Ice Trap’ – a real life story about Shackleton’s expedition to the Antarctic. They created some fantastic artwork – experimenting with different shades of blue and decided what is the best material to give the artwork a 3D effect. In groups, the children planned, designed and created the ‘Endurance’ ship stuck in ice.



Christian Value Awards

Murphy – Parker – Wisdom – for always seeing the bigger picture in class story time and questioning what happens next.

Donaldson – Thea - Fellowship – for always being caring and supportive of her classmates.

Dahl- David – Wisdom - For using the learning environment to help him with his work.

Rauf-Demi – Trust - Always doing the right thing

Shakespeare – Adam - Wisdom - for thinking of some great ideas for the DT Endurance project.

Golden Awards

Murphy – Emily – for throwing herself into everything and always doing it with a smile on her face.

Donaldson – Alfred – For always giving 100% effort to everything that he does in school.

Dahl – Damian – For writing a fantastic limerick

Rauf – Grayson – for having a positive attitude to starting the year.

Shakespeare – Nathan – for creating a fantastic Antarctic collage artwork.

Dates for your Diary

Term 1

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Monday 12th September	Meet the teacher 9.00 am and 3.15 pm (Not Dr Seuss Class)
Wednesday 14th September	Macbeth performance in school- KS2
Wednesday 21st September	Shakespeare Class online Evolution workshop - NHM
Friday 30th September	Staff development day (School closed to children)
Friday 7th October	Harvest service
Wednesday 12th October	Shakespeare trip to the Science Museum
Wednesday 19th October	Diwali day
Thursday 20th October	Last day of term
Tuesday 1st November	Staff development day (School closed to children)
Wednesday 2nd November	Back to school