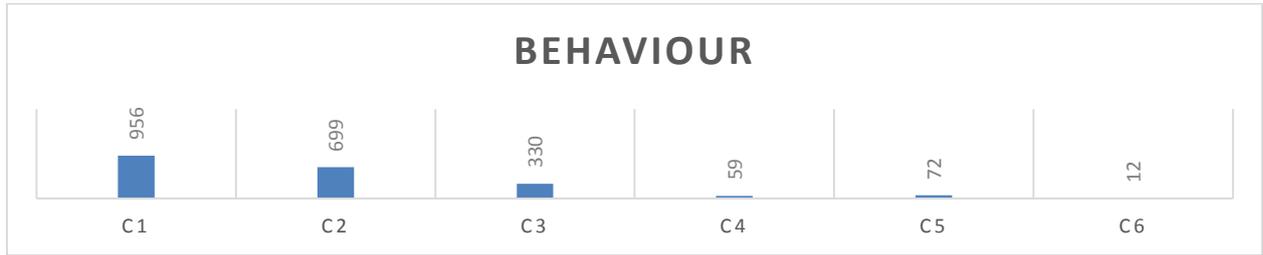


Weekly Newsletter: 6th October 2017

BEHAVIOUR



Attendance and Lates

This week: 95.5% and 2.33% lates
 Our attendance target for the year is
 96%
 Year to date: 95.3%

Nursery
3 Lates

Reception
15 Lates

Year 1
12 Lates

Year 2
11 Lates

Year 3/4
16 Lates

Year 5
13 Lates



Year 6
13 Lates



Up and Coming Key Dates

<u>Date</u>	<u>Event</u>
18/10/17	Parents' Evening
31/10/17 (KS1 3.20 – 4.20, KS2 4.30 – 5.30)	Halloween Disco
17/11/17	Children in Need 'Spotacular' Wear something spotty – bring 50p contribution please.
December Date TBC	Lions Christmas party
01/12/17 (2.30pm)	Parents invited in to make a Christingle with their children
06/12/2017	SEN Drop-In
WB: 11/12/17	Concerts
15/12/17	Christmas jumper day 50p contribution

Stars of the week

Caterpillars: [Layton Rice](#)
 Butterflies: [Harland Newbegin](#)
 Ladybirds: [Taylor Laws](#)
 Parrots: [Ryan Novicenko](#)
 Puffins: [Asha-Nais Bell](#)
 Penguins: [Declin Nethercot](#)
 Peacocks: [Tia-Maii Reast](#)
 Koalas: [Alexis White](#)
 Pandas: [Justyna Kardas](#)
 Polar Bears: [Sophie Gane](#)
 Grizzly Bears: [Julia Szysz](#)
 Lions: [Daisy Briggs](#)
 Tigers: [Charli-Rae](#)
 Leopards: [Owen Gane](#)
 Pumas: [Alex Augello](#)

Well Done!

Early Years Foundation Stage

The children have been working as a team to construct a wall for Humpty Dumpty.



In Butterflies and Ladybirds, we have read the lighthouse keeper's lunch. We have learnt new vocabulary and we were interested in finding out more about telescopes. We borrowed Mrs Johnson's telescope. This inspired us to think of other things that look like a telescope and make our own at the making table.

Year 1 and 2

Year 1 have begun to learn a new story in our 'Talk for Writing' this week. We are learning 'The little Red Hen' with actions and can write down what the animals said in the story.



Year 2 children have continued to explore what they can do with objects that bounce. After looking at work by Jackson Pollock, the children investigated how they could create some abstract art by rolling sponge balls through paint. They discovered that the primary colours of red, blue and yellow will mix to form secondary colours such as purple and green. They had a lot of fun whilst also learning about colour mixing.



Year 5 and 6

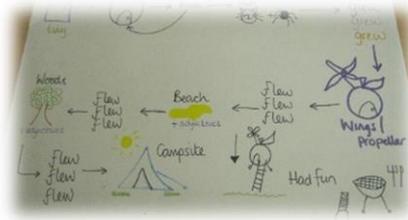
Year 5 have been hot seating looking at what life was like during the evacuation and writing letters about being evacuated.

We are very pleased with the outcomes of our initial Y6 practise SATs this week. It is clear that everyone is working hard to make progress in their learning. I am sure the positive attitudes will continue all year and we'll work together to produce some great results by July.

Year 3 and 4

Year 3

This week we have been developing our ability to transfer the skills we have been learning in literacy to help us write cross curricular narratives. Many of us managed to adapt a story that we had learnt by heart and use exciting and challenging language. The story map shows how we constructed our stories.



Year 4

This week we have been editing and improving a story that our teacher wrote. It wasn't very good, so we added adjectives, exciting new vocabulary and made sure it was correctly punctuated. Everyone has been working so hard to show that they can edit and improve.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Until further notice Mrs Saunders will be working as Executive Principal on Mondays and Wednesdays and our new Executive Principal Mrs Gail Young will be here on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays.

Parent's evening will be held on Wednesday 18th October between 3.30pm and 5.30pm. Please complete the attached slip and return to your child's teacher by Monday 9th October in order that appointments can be made.

Due to Healthy and Safety if your child is absent please ensure you call or pop in to the main reception and let the office staff know.