



# VANE ROAD PRIMARY SCHOOL

## WEEKLY ROUND-UP

**11<sup>th</sup> to 15<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER 2024**

Today we supported Children In Need by wearing non – uniform. Due to your generous donations we have currently raised £232. Thank you!

A reminder about our book fair which will be held next Thursday, Friday and Monday 25<sup>th</sup>.

This will be held in the reception classrooms 3:30-4.00pm and is card payment only.

A reminder of our school uniform policy; White t-shirt, grey trousers skirt/pinafore and a maroon sweatshirt/cardigan with plain black polishable school shoes. Now we are heading into the colder weather, in line with our school uniform policy children are allowed to wear a simple plain black pair of ankle boots.

Thank you to those parents/carers who have supported us with our earring policy and removing earrings before school. A reminder that earrings are not to be worn in school.

Finally, I have included below a reminder of important dates for the term ahead –

Parents' Evenings Monday 18<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> November 3.30pm – 5.00pm

Christmas Dinner Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> December – children invited to wear winter themed jumper along with their school uniform.

EYFS Nativity Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> December at 1.30pm – parents/carers invited

KS1 Nativity Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> December at 1.30pm parents/carers invited classes 3 and 5

KS1 Nativity Friday 13<sup>th</sup> December at 1.30pm parents/carers invited classes 4 and 6

KS2 Nativity Monday 16<sup>th</sup> December at The Church of Latter-Day Saints. Classes 7, 9, 11 and 13 at 10.30am  
Classes 8, 10, 12 and 14 at 2.00pm

### Weekly Attendance

This week's attendance		<b>Our Minimum Target Is 96%</b>
Class	% Attendance	
1	97.8	Well done to Classes 1,2,3,4, 5,6,7,8,9,10, 12,13 & 14 who have achieved attendance above our minimum target level. Special "Well done" to <b>Classes 6,7, 8 &amp; 12</b> for attendance that was the best out of the entire school.
2	97.1	
3	99.0	
4	98.1	
5	99.0	
6	100	
7	100	
8	100	
9	99.3	
10	96.6	
11	95.3	
12	100	
13	96.8	
14	97.3	

**Whole School Weekly Attendance = 98.3%**

**this is up 2% up on last week, and on target for the 96% expected.**

If you have any issues regarding Attendance, please contact Mr. Grady as soon as possible.

### Dates for Your Diary

18 and 19 November	Parents' Evening
19 November	Height & Weight for Reception
21 November	Astro Camp (Class 14)
29 November	Individual Photographs
w/c 2 December	Christmas Nativities – see dates above
w/c 9 December	Christmas Parties – see dates above
20 December	Break up for Christmas
3 January 2025	PD Day closed to pupils
6 January	PD Day closed to pupils
7 January	Return to School
22 January	Y6 SATs Parents' Evening
11 February	Safer Internet Day
14 February	Y1 Phonic Screening Meeting for Parents/Carers
21 February	Break up for Half-Term
3 March	Return from Half-Term
6 March	World Book Day
12 March	Y5 Durham Agency Against Crime Workshop
9 <sup>th</sup> April	Easter Egg Entries into School

## Teacher's Awards

The following children have been nominated to receive an award at the next merit assembly on **Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> November at 9:15am** (doors open at **9.10am**), their Parents/Carers are invited to come along.

**Below are the names of children who will be receiving an award.**

C1	Koby W	C2	Delilah G
C3	Maya T	C4	Elsie A, Arthur S
C5	Robbie R	C6	Theo L
C7	Kai B	C8	Millie J
C9	Hannah B	C10	Penny S
C11	Nyla G	C12	Daniel C
13	Ruby C	C14	Layla C, Elly B

School Values Awards will be given to Indie A in C13 and Jack B in C14