



VANE ROAD PRIMARY SCHOOL

WEEKLY ROUND-UP

30th SEPTEMBER TO 4th OCTOBER 2024

Some of you may have noticed our new parent/carer library in the main entrance. This is a space for parents/carers to come and browse the books on offer and borrow a book that takes your interest. All we ask is that you return it to our shelves once you have finished. If you have any books that you think other parents/carers would like to read and would be happy to donate please let us know.

A reminder about the importance of online safety and educating our children on the appropriate use of mobile phones and apps. Online safety is at the heart of our computing curriculum and we will be appointing our digital leaders across school very soon. I have included a link below that parents/carers may find helpful when discussing this with children.

[Keeping children safe online | NSPCC](#)

Have a lovely weekend.

Weekly Attendance

This week's attendance		Our Minimum Target Is 96%
Class	% Attendance	
1	95.8	Well done to Classes 3,5,6, 7,9 and 10 who have achieved attendance above our minimum target level. Special "Well done" to Class 8 for attendance that was the best out of the entire school.
2	95.1	
3	96.3	
4	94.5	
5	96.3	
6	97.2	
7	97.3	
8	99.0	
9	98.0	
10	97.2	
11	95.7	
12	95.9	
13	92.9	
14	95.2	

Whole School Weekly Attendance = 96.2%

this is up on last week, and now 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

10 October	2025 New Starter Visit 4-5pm
18 October	Show Racism the Red Card
25 October	Break up for Half-Term
4 November	Return to School
13 November	2025 New Starter Visit 5-6pm
19 November	Parents' Evening
w/c 2 December	Christmas Nativities - TBC
w/c 9 December	Christmas Parties - TBC
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

Teacher's Awards

The following children have been nominated to receive an award at the next merit assembly on **Friday 11th October 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	Holly K	C2	Poppy B
C3	Ada G	C4	Poppy A
C5	Karson W, Ethan L	C6	Leo W, Isobel W
C7	Carter M	C8	Lillymai N-M
C9	Michael K	C10	Jay S, Cooper B
C11	Ava G	C12	Jace P
13	Amelie C	C14	Sid P



School Values Awards will be given to Zoori B in C7 and Tom Q in C8

