



VANE ROAD PRIMARY SCHOOL

WEEKLY ROUND-UP

27th to 31st JANUARY 2025

Firstly, a reminder that next week is Children's Mental Health Week and in support of wearing our feelings on the outside we are inviting children to come to school on Friday 7th February wearing their school uniform inside out. Please see below the Places 2 Be website for further information on Children's Mental Health Week –

<https://www.childrensmentalhealthweek.org.uk/families/>

Year 4 visited The Baltic on Thursday this week linked to their Antony Gormley Art & Sculptures topic. They had a wonderful time looking at the exhibits.

Year 5 were also out and about this week at Durham Cathedral enhancing their learning of history, geography and R.E. They finished their visit with a learning walk along the river.

The police have also been in school this week working with our Year 5 and 6 children giving talks on Bullying, Crime and Consequences, ASB and Online Safety

I hope everyone has a lovely weekend and the sun continues to shine.

Weekly Attendance

This week's attendance		Our Minimum Target Is 96%
Class	% Attendance	
1	92.1	Well done to Class 2,3,5, 10, 12 & 13 who have achieved attendance above our minimum target level. Special "Well done" to Classes 3 & 13 for attendance that was the best out of the entire school.
2	98.6	
3	99.6	
4	94.8	
5	98.3	
6	95.2	
7	95.0	
8	95.4	
9	94.2	
10	98.8	
11	95.8	
12	96.7	
13	99.6	
14	94.8	

Whole School Weekly Attendance = 96.3%

this is still a good start to the new term 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

7 February	Inside Out Day (Children's mental health week)
7 February	Year 5/6 Basketball Festival
10-14 February	Y2 Phonics Assessment Week
11 February	Safer Internet Day
17 February	C8 Library Visit
21 February	Y2 Baby Bears Chair Session/Parents
21 February	Break up for Half-Term
3 March	Return to School from Half-Term
6 March	World Book Day
12 March	Durham Agency Against Crime Workshop
19 March	Year 1 – Science with Parents (TBA)
27 March	Y3 Terrible Tudors @ Hippodrome
28 March	Y5 Awful Egyptians @ Hippodrome
9 April	EYFS Farm Visit to School
9 April	Easter Egg Entries to the Hall
11 April	Break up for Easter
28 April	Return from Easter

Teacher's Awards

The following children have been nominated to receive an award at our next merit assembly on **Friday 7th February 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	Tyler N, Romeo C	C2	Arthur T
C3	Alice S	C4	Leo P
C5	Alex-Rae P	C6	Fox B
C7	Gracie A, Poppy S	C8	Alfie W, Millie J
C9	Sophie L	C10	Imogen S
C11	Aria T-S, Arjun R, Ella F	C12	Analise F, George T
C13	Ruby C	C14	Will W

School Values Awards will be given to Ruby C in C13 and Zosia L in C14

This Week's Top Table

Awarded for following our school values and using good manners in the dining hall.

