



Message from Mr. Martinson

Harvest

Thank you for your kind donations, we took them over to St Nicholas church where the Rev Marion led a service. The children were really well behaved and sang really well.

We have been working behind the scenes to make sure that the Christmas half term is a fun one. We will let you know what will go on next week.

I can't believe that, following next week, it will be half term. It has been a very long half term but it has been impressive how much we have come on as a school in such a short space of time. The new teachers don't seem new any more and I look forward to leading the school as we change further.

You may have noticed that our eldest children took a step back in time on Tuesday as they experienced an immersive World War II experience. The actor that came in pretended to be a teacher and held all 60 of our year 6's in one room!

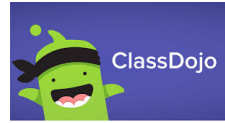
Attendance

Class attendance for last week was as follows:

Year 1 1G	Year 1 1R	Year 2 2GY	Year 3 3DH
88.9%	90.6%	87%	90%

Year 4 4JR	Year 4 4CR	Year 5 5F	Year 5 5P	Year 6 6RR	Year 6 6CR
91.3%	98.8%	98.2%	94.8%	98%	96.6%

Well done to 4CR who are this week's highest attending class with a fantastic 98.8% and to 3DH who have the most improved attendance.



Our Dojo Champions last week were:

- RG Sienna Gresty-Barden
- 1G Avie Milne
- 1R Mia Fenlon
- 2GY Spenser Monk
- 3DH Ellie-Harper Martin & Summer-Rose Sinclair
- 4CR Ryan Boulden
- 4JR Luis Ahmeti
- 5F Daisy Robertson
- 5P Diana Mouslmani
- 6CR Jake Dovey
- 6RR Piper Fullbrook



Our award winners for last week were:

Bronze - Freya Dale and Isabella Reed

Lunchtime Awards

Our Midday Assistants awarded two lunchtime awards this week to Bobby Sipple for being very well behaved and Samuel Matyus for being friendly and helpful.

Secondary School Admissions

As you may be aware, the new secondary school admission round opened on Monday 12th September 2022, for parents of current Year 6 children to apply for a secondary school (Year 7) place for September 2023.

The statutory national closing date for applications is 31st October 2022. Applications can be made online via www.essex.gov.uk/admissions. Please log onto the website and make an application by the closing date.

The website also has a copy of the Secondary Education in Essex 2023-24 booklet which contains details of all secondary school admission policies. You can also click [here](#) for the booklet.



Dates for your Diary

Monday 17th October 2022

Year 5 with Forensic Examiner from Metropolitan Police

Tuesday 18th October 2022

9.30am - Open Day Walk for Parents of Reception
Children in September 2023

Wednesday 19th October 2022

Year 2 Big Box Day
Year 5 Road Safety Walks
Year 5/6 Football Tournament (selected pupils)

Thursday 20th October 2022

Year 2 Big Box Day
Year 5 Road Safety Walks

Monday 24th October - Friday 28th October 2022

Half Term

Wednesday 2nd November 2022

9.30am and 1.00pm - Open Day Walk for Parents of
Reception Children in September 2023

Thursday 3rd November 2022

9.30am and 1.00pm - Open Day Walk for Parents of
Reception Children in September 2023

Tuesday 8th November 2022

Year 6 presentation of dictionaries from Rotary Club

Friday 11th November 2022

Head Boy and Head Girl representing school at Act of
Remembrance

Sunday 13th November 2022

Head Boy and Head Girl representing school at
Remembrance Service
