

Weekly News - Foundation & Key Stage 1

7 April 2017

Attendance Party in the Summer Term

We continue to have the highest expectations for attendance and aim for 97% or better. All children who have been at school every single day between 25 April and 14 July 2017 will be invited to a Garden Party Celebration, where we will hire a bouncy castle, play games on the field and have a picnic.

So how can you help?

- Encourage your child to come to school and be on time
- Remember if you are late after 9.30 am your child is classed as absent for the whole session
- If your child needs to attend a medical appointment try to make this out of school hours. If it needs to be in school time then try to arrange this so that your child is still registered in the morning and afternoon. Eg if your appointment is in the morning then bring your child to school first and then take them any time after 9.05 am and bring them back by 1.00 pm. Likewise, if your appointment is in the afternoon, collect them by 1.20 pm
- If your child has a minor ailment use your normal medication and send them to school. We will contact you if they become unwell.
- Avoid taking holidays in term-time – they will not be authorised.

We are looking forward to celebrating and we hope your child will join us!

Out-of-School Achievements

We will be celebrating children's out-of-school achievements, such as sporting activities, musical achievements, dance, drama, Scout/Guides badges etc. Please can your child bring in any medals, certificates, badges etc so that we can take photos of them to display on our Achievement Board.

Easter Bingo

A big 'Thank you' to everybody who supported the Easter Bingo Evening - as usual, it was a huge success and a great time was had by all! Once the money has been counted we will let you know the amount raised.

We would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your continued support and we wish you a pleasant and enjoyable break.

Miss Nuttall
Headteacher

Mrs Hepworth
Assistant Headteacher

Attendance

Group	Pre-sents	AEA	Author-ised Absences	Unau-therised Absenc-es	% At-tend
RAPPL	286	0	12	12	92.3
PEARS	293	0	16	1	94.5
1OAK1	282	0	7	1	97.2
1OAK2	278	0	12	10	92.7
2ASH1	270	4	4	2	97.9
2ASH2	287	4	7	2	97.0
Totals	4200	36	173	41	95.2

Whole school attendance since September 2016 is 95.3%

The cumulative school target is 97%

Acorns

This week, we have been celebrating Easter by making cards to give to our family and friends. We have also enjoyed making 'Easter Nest Cakes' and have linked our maths activities to our 'Easter Egg Hunt'.



Cheerleading

We have now received the pictures from the Dance Showcase for the Cheerleading performance.

Please follow this link for all of the pictures:

<http://shareit.ict4c.co.uk/nlincs/lincolngardens/blog/2017/04/06/nlssn-dance-showcase/>

or check the school's Facebook page for a direct link.

Foundation Unit

This week has been a very busy and exciting week in the foundation unit!

The children are very excited that our butterflies have started to hatch out of the cocoons; we have all been eagerly watching them start to fly and we will soon be getting ready to let them free outside. Also this week we have been learning about vehicles and using different materials to make them, the children worked really hard as a team to make a vehicle using the large construction and then also made their own moving vehicle using chip trays.



Oak Unit

This week the children have been completing lots of Easter activities like decorating their very own egg, creating an Easter card and going on their very own egg hunt!



Ash Unit



The Ash Unit Monkeys loved their performance of Jungle Jump at the Baths Hall. Well done for a fabulous concert and excellent behaviour. You made us proud!

Congratulations to This Week's Gold Book Award Winners

For Always Smiling - even when the going gets tough:

Apples: Ashton

Pears: Maeve

Oak 1: Brian

Oak 2: Olivia

Ash 1: Keanu

Ash 2: Charlee-Jayne

Mathematician of the Week: Freya (Apples)

Writer of the Week: Alfie (Pears)

Sport Award: Katie (Ash 2)

Attendance Ted: Ash 1

All photographs are on the school website