Featherstone Wood Primary School

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Primary

Dear Parent and Carers.

Early Years

Now that the children in Early Years have been in school for a term and a half, it is time to encourage their independence.

From Monday, 11th February, Nursery and Reception children will be met at the door by the Early Years Team, who will escort them into class. Parents will be asked to say their goodbyes at the entrance foyer.

Every Wednesday parents will be welcome to stay until 9.00 a.m. to share a story with their child. Thank you for your continued support.

Our Makaton Word of the Week

Our Makaton word this week is:



thank you

Dogs Trust

On Tuesday the children had a visit from the Dogs Trust. Below is an extract from a letter we have received. I am very pleased to note the positive comments regarding the children's behaviour:

"Another huge 'Thank You' to you and everyone at Featherstone Wood for making Tuesday's visit as welcoming and friendly as my previous ones. The children were a pleasure to work with. I love running our sessions at your school and hopefully the children have all learnt lots about how to be safe around dogs and being responsible dog owners."

Star Learners

Reception - Harry Moss Year 1 - Joseph Hossain

Year 2 - Lylah-Rose Sibanda

Year 3 - Neve Barnard

Year 4 - Lilly-May Graves

Year 5 - Zeynep Taycur Year 6 - Zarah Rahman

P.E. Star Learners

Our P.E. Star Learners are Ellie Curran, Nursery, Michael Omokan, Reception and Bailey Reeves, Year 6.











Ellie was awarded the medal for her brilliant ball skills and being focussed and listening well during her P.E. lesson. Well done Ellie!



Michael was awarded the trophy for his excellent jumping technique.

Well done Michael!



Bailey received the trophy for his excellent hockey skills especially 'trapping' and 'passing'.

Well done Bailey!

Attendance

The Attendance trophy has been awarded to Year 1 this week with 96.9%.

Dates for your Diary

11th February - SAT's practice

13th February - Valentines Disco

18th February - Half term 22nd February

25th February - School back

19th March - Mother's Day Sale

28th March - Spelling Bee Final

3rd April - Exhibition Day

3rd April - End of term

4th April - Inset Day

5th April - Inset Day

8th April - Easter Holidays 22nd April

23rd April - School back

23rd April – SAT's practice

13th to 17th May - Y6 SAT's

20th to 23rd May - Y2 SAT's

24th May - End of term

27th May - Half Term 31st May

3rd June - return to school

14th June - Father's Day sale

5th July - Sports Day

11th July - Transition Day

12th July - Reports out

20th July - Summer Fair - 2.00 p.m.

22nd July - Y6 Leavers party

23rd July - Leavers assembly

 23^{rd} July - school finishes - 2.00 p.m.

24th July - Inset Day

Louise Shuttleworth Headteacher