

Newsletter

Friday 7th October 2022 - Newsletter 5

A message from Miss Towler...

Dear Parents and Carers,

This week bizarrely has been all about sticky stuff! In our recent staff curriculum meetings, within the children's learning and in our Governing Body meeting we have been discussing all about sticky knowledge. We want our children not only to be able to enjoy their learning but *remember* it. As part of the learning, it is essential that the sticky knowledge stays with them forever. This means effectively an alteration has happened to the children's long term memory. How can you help as Parents? It would be great if you could ask your child what they *learnt* ... not what they *did*. They should be able to tell you what they now know that they didn't before. Let us know if the learning has stuck!

Have a lovely weekend, Caroline Towler, Headteacher

Our school attendance this week is: 98.37% 😀

Our school attendance target is 97%.

Saturn: 98.80% Venus Reception: 92.50%

Jupiter: 99.26% ~ Top team attendance Neptune: 98.75%

*As Government guidance states, your child's attendance is compulsory in school and unless

they are unwell we ask that you ensure they are in school, on time, every day.





96%

100%

94%



Our School Behaviour Expectations

Our school team recently updated our Behaviour Expectations chart in school. Please see below:

*WOW! *

I have made an adult in school proud of me by... Always trying my best Always being a good friend Challenging myself Always being enthusiastic and positive

Setting a good example to others



*WOW! *

I will be a positive role model I will have good friendships Everybody will trust me I will feel happy at school I will receive a 'Wow' sticker I may make a 'Wow' phone call to my loved ones I will make my teachers, family, friends and myself proud



GOOD BEHAVIOUR

I am able to be a good learner I am able to follow my class expectations

I am a good friend

I am polite and kind to everyone

I follow instructions and listen carefully to others

I tell the truth



GOOD BEHAVIOUR

Everybody will see what a good job I am doing and I will be a successful learner

I will be happy and enjoy coming to school

My team will be very proud of me



WOBBLY BEHAVIOUR

I have disrupted other children in my class from learning

I am not working as hard as my team expects, or I know that I am capable of

I am not thinking about how my actions are affecting people's feelings

I am not showing respect



WOBBLY BEHAVIOUR

I will be given a reminder I may lose some of my break time I may have thinking time, and I will think about how to improve my behaviour to get back onto good

I will feel disappointed with myself



UNACCEPTABLE

My behaviour is disrupting my learning and that of others in my class

I am making bad choices

I am being violent by kicking, hitting or hurting others

I am encouraging others to make bad choices

I am being dishonest by telling lies

I am using bad language, racist or homophobic language

I am showing continual disrespect and a bad attitude

I have had chances to change my behaviour and chosen not to improve my choices



UNACCÉPTABLE

I will have time out to think about my actions

I may have to work on the consequences

I may be sent to speak with a senior member of staff

I may be excluded

My behaviour will be explained to my parents or carers



Dates for your diary for the coming i

Dates	What's happening at TPA?
Monday 10th October	World Mental Health Day - #helloyellow day. Children (and Parents and Carers!!) are welcome to come to school wearing yellow.
	Bikeability Bike Check - All children who will be completing the Bikeability training must bring in their bike and helmet for checks on this day. This will ensure your child can take part in Bikeability on Wednesday and Thursday.
	Harvest donations: Throughout the week families are welcome to bring in non-perishable foods or toiletries which we will donate to The Salvation Army
Tuesday 11th October	Y1-6 Harvest Festival Celebrations at St Mary's Church at 2pm - Parents and Carers welcome (2 tickets per family)
Wednesday 12th - Thursday 13th October	Bikeability cycling training - Parents and Carers will have been notified if your child is taking part. Please ensure you have completed the forms and returned these to the office.
Friday 14th October	Come and Join us in Early Years and Team Jupiter on Friday 14th October 9.00am - 9.45am - Parents and Carers of children in Early Years and Year One and Twoare welcome into school to see their child's classroom and to find out a bit more about what learning looks like in these teams through a short talk delivered by Mr Foster and Mr Ramzan. Please let us know if you are joining us by clicking on the link: https://forms.gle/A1JcDXg1B7KjapBRA
	TPAC Christmas Cards - children will be bringing home their Christmas Card designs. You will be able to order cards and other accessories. Please return order form by 21.10.22
Saturday 15th October	'Making Moves' Dance Event - for children in Team Neptune 3.00pm - 9.30pm. See information shared with Parents and Carers.
Monday 17th and Wednesday 19th October	Parent Evening Appointments - This will be an opportunity for Parents and Carers to meet with their child's class teacher. Appointment booking form to be shared next week.
Thursday 20th October - Friday 21st October	TPAC Preloved Uniform Sale - Pre Loved uniform sale on the playground 3.30pm October
Friday 21st October	TPAC Krispy Kremes Donut Sale - donuts will be on sale on the playground
	End of term - School closes for October Half Term at 3.30pm
Monday 31st October	Return to school after Half Term
Thursday 3rd November	Early Years Open Evening - Please join us at 5.30pm if you have a Nursery or Reception child starting school in September 2023. Please come along and find out more if you would like to find out more about our wonderful Early Years provision.
Thursday 10th November	TPAC Neon Disco - (3.30-4.00pm for Early Years and 5.30-7.00pm for KS1 & KS2) More details to follow shortly.