

Weekly Newsletter

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Parking Fines



Most of our families do park considerately and are respectful to our neighbours on Coniston Avenue, Stocks Lane and Withycombe Road. We are also fortunate to have a parent car park. However, there are a minority of cars that are blocking driveways or parking



on corners, resulting in the road being unsafe to cross due to obstructions. The local PCSO has been contacted and we have requested that these cars receive parking fines for everyone's safety.

Please consider the benefits of parking a little further away from school and walking in to collect your child.

STARS OF THE WEEK

Congratulations to:

Reception: Mya

- Year 1: Esme B
- Year 2: Esmea W
- Year 3: Hayden C
- Year 4: Lailah
- Year 5: David
- Year 6: Hayden L



ATTENDANCE							
Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	
97.8%	96.6%	97.3%	95.7%	95.2%	91.6%	100%	



OUR LEARNING

In Reception...Reception have had another busy week! We have been reading our new book, 'Hello Friend!' and talking about the new friendships that we have made at school. We are also enjoying our Phonics lessons; this week we have learnt four new phonemes! We are starting to use these new phonemes to create different words.

In Year 1... It has been a great week in Year 1. In Maths, we have been comparing objects using the language of more and less. We have enjoyed our new story new story 'Lost and Found' in English and have been writing sentences to match the pictures. In Forest School, we loved printing with different leaves!

In Year 3...In English this week, Year Three have been writing character descriptions of the Big Bad Pig, thinking about what he looks like and how he behaves. They created sentences using prepositions and conjunctions.

In Year 5....This week, Year 5 have been learning more about Mayan culture and creating Google Slides to show our understanding. We have also learnt to play 'Pok a Tom' - A Mayan ball

game where the use of hands and feet are not allowed!



In Year 2...Year 2 have had another brilliant week! In Science, we have learnt all about the lifecycle of a frog. In Maths, we have enjoyed finding missing numbers in sequences and added ten to any two-digit number. In English, we have started a new book 'Troll Swap' and have described the characters. We are looking forward to writing a diary entry later on this week.

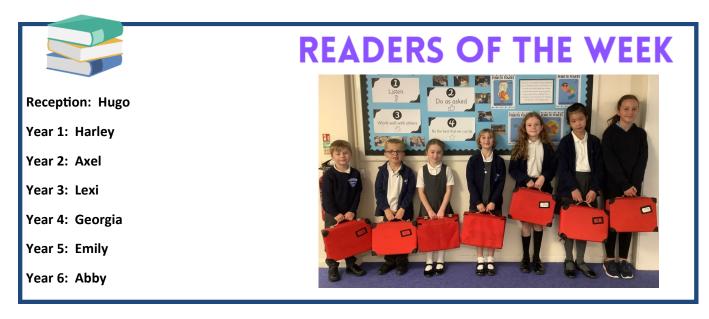
In Year 4...In Year 4 this week, we have been learning all about teeth in our Science lessons. We have also been writing character descriptions about Hannah from our Gorilla story and learning about numbers and classroom commands in Spanish. ¡Divertido!

In Year 6...In History this week Year 6 have been learning about how the First World War started. The class have made excellent progress in Reading Plus—all that extra work at home is definitely paying off!



At school, we now have a clothes recycling box. The more you donate, the more money will be generated for our school! Thank you to our PTA for organising this. If you have any donations, please drop them off at your child's Key Stage door in the morning or at the end of the school day. Thank you!





OTHER AWARDS



Congratulations to:

- **Football Superstars; Max** (Player of the Match from Whittle Hall JFC), **Leo A** (Player of Match from Warrington Town U8's & **Jude** (Player of the Week from Matthiola JFC).
- Lailah, Holly and Connie-May, who received medals for competing in the Warrington Running Festival Junior Race.
- Joshua, who was awarded the LGC Junior Winners trophy for golf.
- **Future Stars of Stage and Screen; Olivia** (Level 2 Stage and Screen Award from the Pauline Quirk Academy) & **Emily** (Star of the Week from Interact School of Performing Arts).
- Kristy, who received a certificate from Little Tiger Cubs.
- **Gymnasts; Esme** (certificate from Beth Tweddle Academy) & **Amelia** (Gymnast of the Month from Penketh Gymnastics Club).
- Luke, who was presented with a Bronze Stars Award from Amplified Music.







DIARY DATES



Monday 2nd October— Friday 20th October: Black History Month, 'Saluting Our Sister', to recognise and celebrate the invaluable contributions of black women in society

Thursday 5th October: Reception Early Reading Workshop

Monday 9th October: Year 3 trip to local Church

Monday 16th October—Friday 20th October: Year 5 Bike Right Level 1 & Level 2

Tuesday 17th October: KS2 Harvest Assembly 2.30pm

Wednesday 18th October: Parents Evening 3.30pm—8pm

Thursday 19th October: KS1 Harvest Assembly 2.30pm

Friday 20th October: Year 3 trip to Warrington Museum