

# Aberford CE Primary Weekly Newsletter

## 13<sup>th</sup> October 2023

#### Message from Mrs Crossley

Thank you for all your support with our book fair last week. We sold over £400 worth of books, which is a fantastic amount! Any money spent at bookfairs gives us commission to spend on the books for the school – many of which will be prizes for our 100 square challenge. It is lovely to see lots of you supporting our 100 square reading challenge and making sure children read at home at least 3 times a week. We are starting to give out our prize badges in collective worship for 25 reads at home and are sure we'll be giving more out next week.

We are so pleased that so many of our children love reading and are excited at the prospect of getting a new book. Being a fluent reader is the key to accessing education throughout a child's journey through school and developing a love a reading for all children is one of our main goals in school!

#### Bikeability

This week, our year 6 pupils have taken part in Bikeability sessions in school which focused on road and traffic safety. Our children worked hard and listened well during the sessions and learned valuable skills about how to ride safely on roads and manage pedestrians and other traffic.

Bikeability sessions in school for year 6 pupils are aimed at children who can already ride a bike and need to learn traffic skills. If your child is still learning to a bike, Cycle North offer Learn to Ride courses during certain school holidays which you can book if you subscribe to their newsletters via <u>https://www.cyclenorth.co.uk/children</u>

### Message from the Office

Appointment slips for parents' evening are in book bags tonight. Please note these have been allocated on a first come first served basis.

Attendan	ce this week
Whole School	90%
Class 1	93.8%
Class 2	97.9%
Class 3	96.3%
Class 4	94.5%
Our school attendance target is 97%	

### **Christian Values Award**

(†) 🛞 子 🍪		
C2	Archie S	Amazing writing
C2	Shreyan	Fantastic writing
<b>C3</b>	Freddie	Excellent reading
<b>C3</b>	Noori	Amazing work Geography
C4	Bethany	Excellent work in English
C4	Ewan	Trying really hard in English

#### **Lunchtime Award**

Jessica	Hallie
Aishani	James DN

#### **Housepoints** This Running week total Becca 5 63 11 Lotherton 136 74 12 Parlington Hazlewood 5 63

#### Dates this half term:

Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> October 2023 Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> October 2023 Friday 27<sup>th</sup> October 2023 Friday 27<sup>th</sup> October 2023

Harvest Festival in Church 9.15am Parents' Evening 2:00 – 8:00pm School closes to children Halloween Disco