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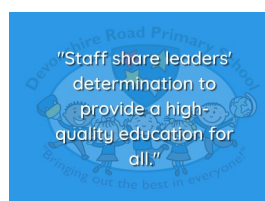


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# Weekly Newsletter



## Dates for your Diary

W/C 7 Nov	Anti-Bullying Week
W/C 7 Nov	After School Clubs start
Mon 7 Nov	Odd Clothes Day
Tues 8 Nov	EYFS Open Evening 4:30pm
Wed 9 Nov	Y5 Stay and Play 2:30pm
Thurs 10 Nov	Y5 Bolton Lads and Girls Talk
Thurs 10 Nov	Y1G Stay & Learn reading picnic
Mon 14 Nov	Y1 Hand Hygiene Session
Tues 15 Nov	EYFS Hand Hygiene Session
Tues 15 Nov	Y3 Anti-Bullying workshop
Fri 18 Nov	Children in Need
Tues 22 Nov	Y4 Stay & Learn 2pm
Wed 23 Nov	Y2 Stay & Learn 9am
Fri 25 Nov	Y6 Trip to Smithills Hall
Tues 29 Nov	Y3 Stay & Learn 2:30pm
Fri 9 Dec	Y2 & 3 Pantomime at Albert Halls
Tues 13 Dec	Y6 Stay & Learn 1:30pm
Wed 14 Dec	KS1 Nativity 9:30am
Thurs 15 Dec	KS1 Nativity 2pm
Fri 16 Dec	Christmas Dinner
Tues 20 Dec	EYFS festive song show 9:30am
Thurs 22 Dec	School closes for Christmas break
Mon 9 Jan	School opens for spring term

[Click the icon below to visit the Events Page :](#)



## National Anti-Bullying Week 2022

From 7 November, we will be recognising National Anti-Bullying week 2022. Throughout the week, children will be developing their understanding of how to be a good friend, learning about what to do when someone is being deliberately unkind and also celebrating all of the kindness that is shown in our school each day.

### Monday 7 November

Everyone is encouraged to come wearing 'odd' clothes. We do this to show that everyone is different, and that is brilliant—it is something to be celebrated.

**Monday 7 November**  
Special anti-bullying whole school assembly.

**Wednesday 16 November**  
Our peer mentors will be at the parent/carer 'Coffee and Conversation' Morning to talk to you about all they have learnt in their training.

**Friday 11 November**  
Friendship Friday; a day celebrating all the wonderful friends we have in school.

**Wednesday 9 November**  
Our peer mentors are being trained about anti-bullying strategies by Kidscape.





## EYFS Snuggle Stories

EYFS parents and carers were invited in to school this week to help launch our Snuggle Story lending library. The children really enjoyed sharing books with their family and teachers. All the EYFS children have taken a book home to share at bedtime and they can swap their book for a new one every Tuesday and Friday.

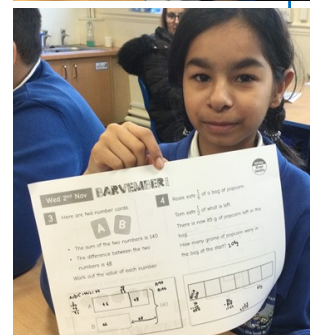
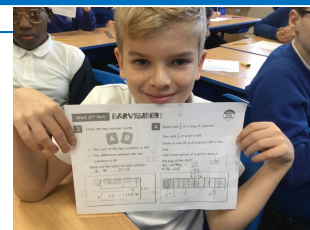
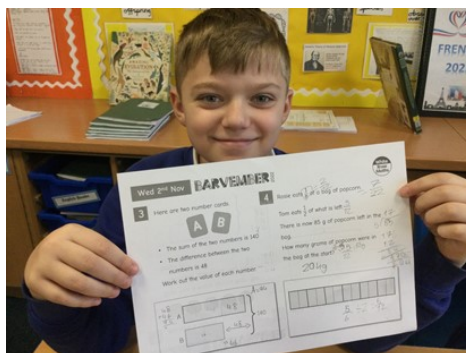
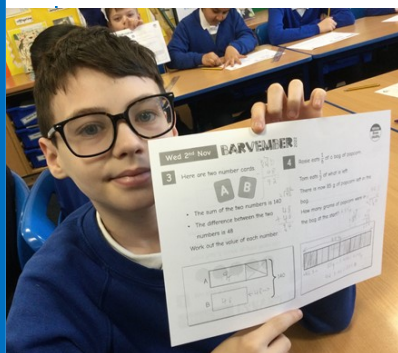


## Bedtime Story Benefits

- \* It's good bonding time
- \* Improves your child's reading skills
- \* Sparks imagination
- \* Creates conversation
- \* Creates a good bedtime routine
- \* Expands vocabulary
- \* Improves emotional intelligence
- \* Encourages independent reading
- \* Improves mental wellbeing

## Its Maths Month

This month we will be sharing with parents/carers examples of White Rose's 'Barvemember' maths challenges which different year groups will be completing. Here are some of our year 6 children celebrating their mathematical achievements:



Have a go at this Wednesday's Challenge  
And let us know how you got on!  
You can access free White Rose Maths resources via the QR code below...



Wed 2<sup>nd</sup> Nov

**BARVEMBER** 2022

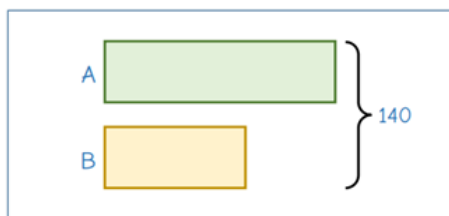


3 Here are two number cards.



- The sum of the two numbers is 140
- The difference between the two numbers is 48

Work out the value of each number:

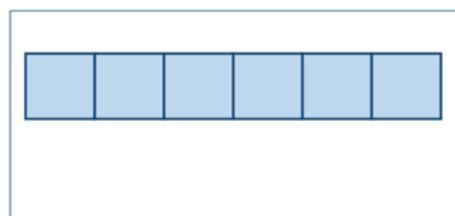


4 Rosie eats  $\frac{1}{6}$  of a bag of popcorn.

Tom eats  $\frac{1}{2}$  of what is left.

There is now 85 g of popcorn left in the bag.

How many grams of popcorn were in the bag at the start?





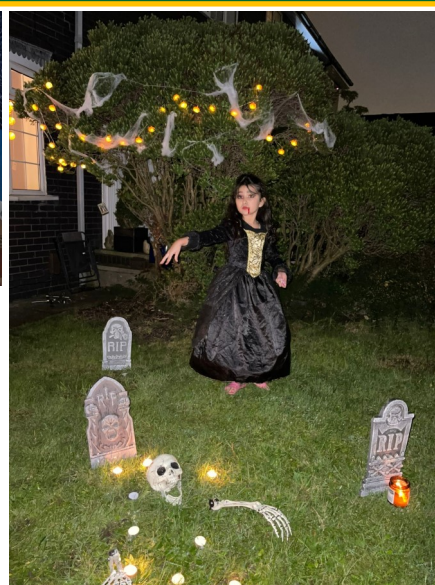


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## Year 1 Reading Picnic



## A young woman with brown hair, wearing a blue jacket, is sitting on a table covered with a colorful, patterned quilt. On the table are several carved pumpkins, including one that is lit up. In the background, there is a wooden door with vertical glass panes and a small clock on the wall.



**Inspire**

1st 283

**Respect**

3rd 234

**Ambition**

Abu Bakr al-Razi



4th 169

**Resilience**

Amy Johnson



2nd 269

Yusha Z (Y1G)

Muhammad (Y3A)

Libby B (Y4W)

Deenah H (Y2F)

Muhammad A (Y1S)

Lucas A (Y3A)

Alice H (Y2F)

Sophie O (Y1G)

Ammarah S (Y1G)

Hiba T (Y1S)

Lucas A (Y3AB)

Marwa M (YRH)

Zahra R (Y2F)

Ali A (Y6B)

Abdullah T (Y4HB)

Adam J (Y3A)

**Bronze**

Elizabeth and Thomas (EYFS)  
Mustafa, Dhariya and Charlotte (Y1S)  
Mariya and Aisha (Y2N)

**Silver**

Leo, Dawood, Haider, Emelia, Aizah and Zain (EYFS)  
Mustafa and Cooper (Y1G)  
Abdullah, Marcel, Abu-Bakr, Yazan, Owais, Muhammad and  
Isaiah, Aisha I and Manal (Y2N)

**Gold**

Fatima, Oscar, Amirah, Hafsa, Sian and Hamdi (EYFS)  
Cooper, Yusha, Ava and Khadija (Y1G)  
Ariana, Hiba and Arifah (Y1S)  
Zakariya, Zain, Adam (Y2F)  
Rohom, Jack P, Manal and Hugo (Y2N)

**Platinum**

Adam, Emily, Muhammad Zayd, Audrey, Abdul Qayyum and  
Isobel (EYFS)  
Fatima, Maryam and Yusha (Y1G)  
Zarah, Mahnoor, Kiran and Grace (Y1S)  
Azaan, Taylor, Adam, Arya and Alice (Y2F)  
Sarah and Noor (Y2N)

**Diamond**

Audrey and Isobel (EYFS)  
Penny (Y1G) and Deacon (Y1S)



Key Stage 2 children receiving Reading Challenges certificates  
this week were:

**Bronze**

Amelia S (Y5D)

**Silver**

Abdullah T (Y4HB)

**Gold**

Bismah A (Y6C) &amp; Khush P (Y5D)



## Head Teacher's Awards W/E 4 November

<b>Teddy W</b>	<b>YRL</b>	For recognising most of his phonics sounds and being able to write a 's' and 't' independently. Well done!
<b>Veeraj V</b>	<b>YRH</b>	For being so curious about the world around you and for remembering all the different changes which happen in autumn.
<b>Kiran S</b>	<b>Y1S</b>	For applying his excellent reading skills when answering word problems in maths and for using conjunctions within his writing.
<b>Rubab H</b>	<b>Y1G</b>	For being very kind and caring. You always look out for your peers.
<b>Ajwa E</b>	<b>Y2F</b>	For always giving 100% effort and trying her best with her learning.
<b>Aisha I</b>	<b>Y2N</b>	For reading more at home and really impressing me with her confidence in phonics.
<b>Minahil H</b>	<b>Y3AB</b>	For participating in lessons and being ready to learn.
<b>Safah A</b>	<b>Y3A</b>	For working so hard to learn her formal subtraction method.
<b>Maryam M</b>	<b>Y4W</b>	For her superb accuracy with hieroglyphic potato printing!
<b>Azqa A</b>	<b>Y4HB</b>	You have made amazing progress in arithmetic since starting in year 4. It's wonderful to see you enjoy maths with confidence.
<b>Elyssa M</b>	<b>Y5D</b>	For showing a really mature attitude to your work recently, even when finding the task tricky. You have been resilient and determined to achieve and I am so proud of you!
<b>Logan S</b>	<b>Y5M</b>	For his incredible attitude towards spelling patterns in Mr Abraham's lesson. He was attentive, had fab memory-recall and worked extremely hard.
<b>Harley B-L</b>	<b>Y6B</b>	For showing great control and skill during his P.E. when we were practising our tennis skills.
<b>Bisma A</b>	<b>Y6C</b>	For writing an amazing postcard linked to several fairy tales.





## Class of the Week

Well done to Y4HB who won Class of the Week with 97.4%.  
Every child in class received a 'Good Attendance' pin badge!



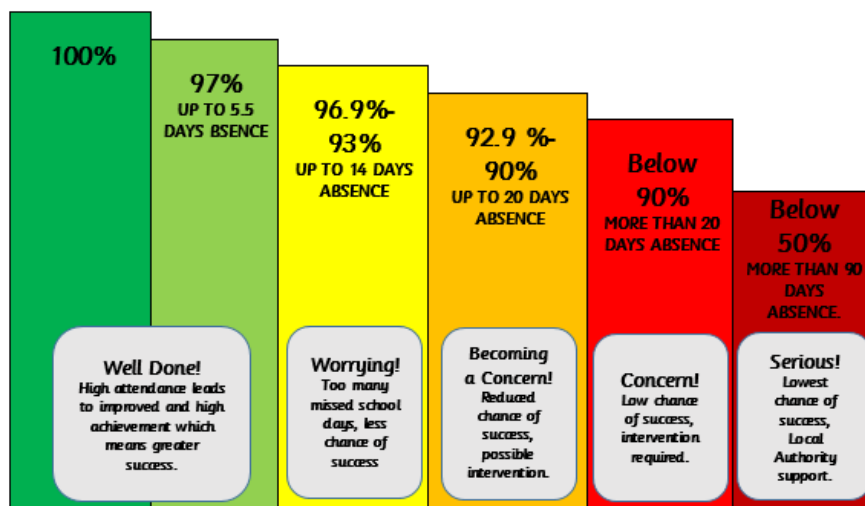
## Autumn Term 1 Attendance Overview

What an incredible start to the academic year. All of our key stage 2 year groups ended the half term with well above the national average. EYFS and key stage 1 fell slightly below, however, every class was impacted heavily by that terrible sickness bug.

Punctuality is vastly improved this year so far, it is wonderful seeing so many children settling in to the school day with their friends during Early Morning Task.

**Watch out for next weeks figures, attendance just keeps on Improving. We are so proud of you all!**

## How we Rate Attendance



335 children had  
100% attendance  
last week.

Well done to all of  
you!

391 children came  
into school on time  
each day they  
attended.

Whole school  
attendance to date:  
95.6%

Class of the term to  
date:  
Y6B  
97.7%

This is fantastic,  
keep going!



# Notices

Be the Best you  
can Be!



## Important Deadlines

The deadline for photograph orders and IQ card orders is  
**Friday 11th November.**

## Coffee & Conversation Mornings

Join us in the hall every Wednesday 9-10am.

9 Nov	Topic Educational Psychologist
16 Nov	Anti-Bullying Steering Group
23 Nov	Maths
30 Nov	Local Religious Leaders
7 Dec	Phonics and Early Reading
14 Dec	Behaviour Support
21 Dec	Computing

## Designated Safeguarding Leads and Safeguarding Links



### EMERGENCY DUTY TEAM

01204 337777

(AFTER 6PM)

<http://>

[boltonsafeguardingchildren.org.uk](http://boltonsafeguardingchildren.org.uk)

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REFERRAL & ASSESSMENT  
01204 331500 (9AM-5PM)

## Devonshire Road Curriculum

At Devonshire Road, we pride ourselves on a high-quality curriculum that helps the children to commit learning to their long-term memory. Our website holds lots of resources and information about what the children study in each year group, including the knowledge organisers that children use for quizzes each week. Why not take a look on the link below to see what your child is currently learning about!

Year 2

Year 3

Year 4

Year 5

Year 1



Year 6

## Parent & Toddler Group

Every Friday 9.00am - 11.15am

0 - 4 years, £1.50

Light Refreshments  
Various Activities each week  
including visits from outside agencies  
eg. Health Visitors etc.



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## Learning Links

Click here to access free online courses for parents/carers, which are available through the National Teaching Service.

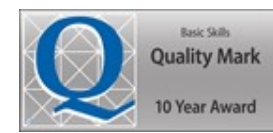
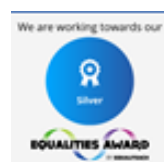


## The School Reading List

Suggested reading books for primary & secondary aged children in the UK



## Spelling Shed



2022-2025