



DUKE STREET PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER 15

22ND DECEMBER 2023



Head Lines

READING PERCENTAGES

- ACORN: 78%
- ROSE: 53%
- TULIP: 79%
- ACER: 28%
- REDWOOD: 44%
- SPRUCE: 62%
- MAPLE 51%
- BEECH: 64%
- ROWAN: 45%
- POPLAR: 48%
- SYCAMORE 83%
- CHESTNUT: 60%

Well that's all the school festivities done for another year.

The children have enjoyed their Christmas parties this week along with the KS1 Christmas play of 'Away in a Manger' and the Y6 and Reception 'Songs around the Christmas Tree' event.

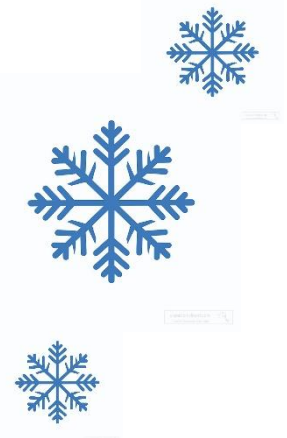
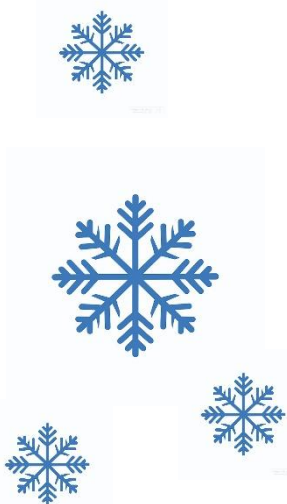
Thank you to all the families and friends who came to watch these events. The children were really pleased to have you watching and supporting them.

We are already looking forward to the start of next term and the start of the audition process for Duke Street's Got Talent 2024. Further information on this will follow in January.

From everyone at Duke Street, we wish you all a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

WEEKLY ATTENDANCE

- ACORN: 86.5%
- ROSE: 92.6%
- TULIP: 92.6%
- ACER: 93.0%
- REDWOOD: 90.3%
- SPRUCE: 94.8%
- MAPLE: 92.5%
- BEECH: 93.3%
- ROWAN: 91.8%
- POPLAR: 91.8%
- SYCAMORE: 97.7%
- CHESTNUT: 94.8%
- OVERALL: 92.8%**
- School Target: 96%**



Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND) information

For parents/carers of children with SEND or concerned regarding a possible need you can access all relevant information on the following link on our school website; <https://dukestreet-pri.lancs.sch.uk/about-us/sen/send-policy>

You can also contact the school office if you wish to make contact with Mr Reay (SENDCo) and an appointment can be made at a convenient time. Additionally the Local Authority have lots of useful information on the following links;

<https://www.lancashire.gov.uk/children-education-families/special-educational-needs-and-disabilities/>

<https://www.lancashire.gov.uk/children-education-families/special-educational-needs-and-disabilities/getting-help/send-newsletter/>

<https://www.lancashire.gov.uk/children-education-families/special-educational-needs-and-disabilities/things-to-do/break-time/>

Machine of Dreams Winner for 60 Reads

KS1

Charles in Spruce

Nina in Tulip

Eren in Acorn

KS2

Toby in Poplar

William in Poplar

Charles in Beech

Eva in Rowan



Award Winners

CLASS	MATHS	ENGLISH	ICARE
Rose	Jack	Elsie	Jenson
Tulip	Ella	Rex	Reggie
Acer	Isaac	Layla	Heidi
Spruce	Angel	Ivan	Sara
Redwood	Harvey	Joshua	Tobyd
Maple	Toby	Riley	Charlie R
Beech	Archie	Layla	Holly
Rowan	Eva	Harry	Oliver
Poplar	Jacob	Harvey	Coby
Sycamore	Riley	Sophie B	Betsy
Chestnut	William	Alfie	All class for working hard

KS1 Numbots Highest Coin Earners

1st: Zeynep from Redwood

2nd: Sara from Spruce

3rd: Lucas from Spruce



CLASS	OVERALL ACTIVE MINUTES
Spruce	671
Acer	527
Redwood	451
Maple	495
Beech	395
Rowan	390
Poplar	343
Sycamore	424
Chestnut	455

KS2 T.T.R.S. Highest Coin Earners

1st: Yasin from Poplar

2nd: James from Rowan

3rd: Matthew from Beech



Photo Gallery



Honey meeting the visiting Author Paul Cookson.



Acer Class made Christmas Tree Decorations.



The children smashed the 105 mile target for our Jolly Jumper jog!

Our Special Visitor on Enrichment Day....



Great Maths lesson in Redwood solving a logical problem.

Outreach Information

Support over Christmas and the New Year

A number of voluntary, charity and faith group in Chorley have come together to launch the Chorley Community Helpline. This free phone helpline will allow individuals to access emergency food support and assistance with shopping and prescription collection. Loneliness and debt.

Diary Dates

School Dinner event – 18.01.24

Rock Kidz 31.01.24

Safer Internet Day 06.02.24

Enrichment Day 07.02.24

Runshaw College Drama Performances 08.02.24

School Closes for Half Term on Friday 9th February 2024 and re-opens on Monday, 19th February 2024

Paul Cookson visit 04.03.24

Redwood Class Assembly 06.03.24

World Book Day 07.03.24

Acer Class Assembly 13.03.24

Reception Classes Assembly 20.03.24

Duke Street's Got Talent 2024 – The Final 27.03.24

School Closes for Easter Break on Thursday, 28th March 2024 and re-opens on Monday, 15th April 2024

