



## DUKE STREET PRIMARY SCHOOL WEEKLY NEWSLETTER



### READING PERCENTAGES

ACORN: 42%  
ROSE: 86%  
TULIP: 100%  
ACER: 70%  
REDWOOD: 75%  
SPRUCE: 82%  
MAPLE: 74%  
ELDER: 86%  
ROWAN: 90%  
YEW: 70%  
POPLAR: 80%  
SYCAMORE: 34%

### *The newsletter returns!*

By popular demand, in response to the parent survey, which we carried out in November, we are reintroducing the school newsletter. This will now be the central point for sharing information. If you want a hard copy, this can be collected from the school office. It will be sent out via parentmail and will also be accessible on the website. Class teachers will also be sharing classroom news/photos on twitter on a regular basis.



### WEEKLY ATTENDANCE

ACORN: 92.3%  
ROSE: 84.5%  
TULIP: 96.7%  
ACER: 96.7  
REDWOOD: 95.7  
SPRUCE: 96.7%  
MAPLE: 96.6%  
ELDER: 88.7%  
ROWAN: 94.4%  
YEW: 89.7%  
POPLAR: 93.8%  
SYCAMORE: 97.0%



# Award Winners

<b>CLASS</b>	<b>MATHS</b>	<b>ENGLISH</b>	<b>ICARE</b>
Acorn	Indie	Bella	Harry-George
Rose	Oscar	Lucas	Theo
Tulip	Gracie-Mae	Olivia	Lincoln
Spruce	Jacob	Emma	David
Acer	Antonia	Logan	Riley
Redwood	Emily	Michael	Angel
Maple	Freddie G	Delilah	Karim
Elder	Enna	Lelan	Keelan
Rowan	Sofyia	Izzy	Eva
Yew	Jessica W	Riley	Khang
Poplar	Kayleigh	Cora	Isabella B
Sycamore	Jessica	Lily	Layla

## **Machine of Dreams Winner for 60 Reads**

### **KS1**

Hajra, Emily P, Phillip, Mason, Maya R, Nia, Evie, Casey, Oscar L, Lincoln.

### **KS2**

Sonny, Isla, Harry B, Archie, Bobby, Jan, Caitlyn, Oliver E, Joey, Eva H.

### **CLASS**

### **THIS WEEK'S ACTIVE MINUTES**

Spruce	105
Acer	70
Redwood	100
Maple	120
Elder	60
Rowan	80
Yew	145
Poplar	70
Sycamore	100

## **TTRS Highest Coin Earners**

1<sup>st</sup>: Hanna from Sycamore

2<sup>nd</sup>: Mathew from Maple

3<sup>rd</sup>: Sofyia from Rowan

## **OUTREACH NEWS/UPDATES**

We are relaunching our PTFA group which looks at organising events and fundraising for school. The next meeting is on 8<sup>th</sup> Feb 2023 @ 3.30PM all welcome.

For a free online parenting program please click this link

<https://www.familylives.org.uk/how-we-can-help/online-parenting-courses/parents-together?referer=/how-we-can-help/online-parenting-courses>



## **DIARY DATES**

**Monday 6<sup>th</sup> February:** *Start of Children's Mental Health week:*

**Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> February:** *Safer Internet day – age-appropriate lessons taking place*

**Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> February** *Rock Kidz: - come to school dressed to rock, and bring in a £1 donation.*

**Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> February :** *PTFA meeting 3.30pm in the staffroom*

**Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> February:** *Runshaw College Theatre in Schools: - free drama presentations*

**Friday 9<sup>th</sup> February:** *Enrichment Day "Together We Rock" – a fun way to end the half-term*

**Friday 9<sup>th</sup> February** *School closes at 3.15pm (3.05pm for Reception) for the half term holiday, re-opening Monday 20<sup>th</sup> February.*

## **SCHOOL OFFICE**

### **Contacting School/Absence Reporting**

**When you call school, you can choose from one of three options:**

- 1. Absence Reporting**
- 2. School Office**
- 3. Outreach and Safeguarding Team**

*It is very important that you let us know as soon as possible if your child is going to be absent from school. To report your child's absence please ring school and select **option 1** – this will enable you to leave a message without interrupting the office staff. Please state your child's name, class, who you are and the reason why you are calling. If you need to discuss something other than absence, please select **option 2**, if Mrs Nicholls is on another call, you are given the option to leave a message and someone will return your call. If your call is for the Outreach Team, select **option 3** which will take you directly through to them.*

