

Endeavour Academy News



1st March 2019

NSPCC—Stay Safe

On Wednesday the children participated in an interactive assembly with the NSPCC. In this assembly we were introduced to the NSPCC's mascot Buddy, and we discussed the importance of speaking out and staying safe. The children in UKS2 were lucky enough to be involved in one of the workshops provided by the charity. In this workshop they explored the topics discussed in the assembly in more detail and looked at real life situations. For more advice about keeping you child safe visit NSPCC website at www.nspcc.org.uk.

Happy Puzzle Company

On Monday, all KS1 and KS2 classes had a different kind of maths lesson. Paolo from the Happy Puzzle Company set the hall up full of puzzles and investigations for each class to explore and solve. Pupils worked in small groups to solve problems, such as balancing



penguins on a boat without it tipping and creating shapes such as squares and cubes from different sized shapes/faces. Paired and group work is a skill we focus on in class and it was fantastic to see this in action as well as hearing fabulous mathematic vocabulary being used. Watching pupils' learning being brought to life was great to see and as one pupil quoted, "I loved how tricky it was but we did it. We all helped and we did it!"



Sponsored Reading Challenge



Thank you for all of your support during our Sponsored Reading Challenge last week. The children did a fantastic job reading as much as they could over the week and have really enjoyed the challenge.

We managed to raise £904.68! We will be using this money to buy new books for the school.

Success Assembly Awards

Maahirah	For writing a detailed book review about the Tin Forest		
Ali	For his amazing English writing. Including fantastic description and suspense		
Thomas	For improved behaviour and fantastic effort in writing		
Faraz	For improving his behaviour substantially		
Amreen	For taking responsibility for herself and for the rest of the class		
Lilly-May	For brilliant work in adding and subtracting fractions		
Zayan	For excellent effort in maths sessions		
All of Year 1	For producing amazing work by working as a team		
Syra	For having a positive attitude to her maths and creating fabulous bar charts independently		

Lunch Time Awards

Each week our midday staff choose one child from each class to receive a lunchtime award for their exemplary behaviour and manners. The awards this week go to:

Taheem	Ubaid	Mahreen
Ryan	Annabeth	Bilal
Naheed	Micah	Areesa

Class Points

The class points winner this week are Year 1 for KS1 and Year 4 for KS2.

Year 1	32	Year 4	47
Year 1/2	28	Year 5	41
Year 2	28	Year 5/6	43
Year 3/4 <i>G</i>	26	Year 6	28
Year 3/4P	32		

School Attendance



Good attendance and punctuality are essential to your child's success at Endeavour Academy.

Our winning class attendance was Year 6 with 96.7% attendance.

Well done and thank you to both parents and children of Year 6 for all your hard work.

Our overall attendance last week was 95.4%. Our target is 96%