



# WHYTRIG MIDDLE SCHOOL

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## Notices - Week Beginning 12th February 2024

### Safer Internet Day - 6th February

This week we celebrated Safer Internet Day and we learnt about what it means for our children to grow up in such a technologically advanced world. Here's a link to Safer Internet a charity that advocates making the internet a great and safe place for everyone

<https://saferinternet.org.uk/>

### MCAS App

Don't forget to check the MCAS app or website for merits / demerits in the Behaviour section. If you click MORE, you can then click on a date that is coloured green/yellow/red and it will show comments for that day (as below):

Date	Class	Subject	Teacher	Comment	Event
30/11/2023			MRS P Lowden	Super efforts at the Lego STEM session on Tuesday	🟢 01 Merit

### Message from Miss Thompson - SENCo

Spring term appointments for pupils on the SEN register are currently being booked. If your child is on the SEN register, or you have concerns, please contact the school for an appointment to be made.

### Attendance

Please remember to call in or send a message via MCAS if your child is unwell and will not be attending school by 8:30am. It is important that we have evidence for each day your child is absent, even if they were sent home the previous day.

Please also send evidence of medical/dental appointments so we can attach these to your child's profile on our system.



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### 100% Attenders

Well done to all of our children who achieved 100% attendance last term. The list has been updated from the one previously shared as school visits had not been included.

#### Year 5

Sienna A, Emily B, Joshua C, Thomas D, Nolan D, Darryl E, Sofie F, Kaitlin H, Emily H, Lucy M, Oliver P, Aaron S, Jasmina S, Lily T, Robbie T, Amber W.

#### Year 6

Millie A, Evan B, Ruby C, Logan C, Jimmy E, Bobbie F, Mason H, Lewis J, Jessica K, Mollie M, Annabelle R, Oliver S, Layton S, Charlotte W, Cole W.

#### Year 7

Casey A, Harry B, James B, Sebastian C, Jack H, Joshua H, Kalisi K, Michael M, Evie N, Maggie R, Lucy W.

#### Year 8

Katie B, Maddison C, Daniel C, Zak F, Ethan H, J, Emmie R, Tamsin R, Marcy T, Declan V.

A name from these winners in each year group was then drawn at random to win a free non uniform pass to use at a time of their choice. Winners: Jasmina S, Lewis J, Maggie R, Ethan H.

### Stars of the Week

Our Stars of The Week are nominated each week by staff for a variety of reasons, which might be contribution to the school community, school work or something outstanding. Each week their success is shared in school in the Star of the Week video and they receive a certificate and chocolate bar.

Week ending 09/02/24:

5C: Tristan D; 5K: Oliver P; 5L: Emily B;  
6E: Henry S; 6F: Ben A; 6L: Morgan W;  
7H: Travis D; 7L: Evie N; 7T: James A;  
8M: Max D; 8Ro: Nikola F; 8Ru: Lydia F;  
Head of School SOTW: Chloe H

### Sporting Achievements

#### Year 7 Futsall Results

WMS 0-2 CLV

WMS 2-1 Ovingham MS

WMS 1-0 Ponteland HS

Congratulations to our KS3 boys Sportshall athletics teams. Our Y7 boys finished in 4th place at the County Finals at Blyth on Thursday. Our Y8 boys did even better, taking the Silver medal place, finishing 2nd in Northumberland! Well done boys!

### NHS Advice on Measles

There is currently an outbreak of measles in the UK, please read the NHS guidance below on how to identify measles and how to look after your family if there is an outbreak.

<https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/measles/>



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