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PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT NEWS

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We're supporting World Autism Acceptance Week 27 March - 2 April 2023 Welcome to the this week's edition which focusses on this week's theme of "Autism Acceptance" which fits within of our core value of "Inclusive". This week has also seen lots of people getting involved with a House Competition based on an egg hunt concept. We ended the week with a whole school assembly celebrating the achievements of our wonderful students.

THIS WEEK'S THEME: AUTISM ACCEPTANCE WEEK

Inclusive

During assemblies this week students have had time to reflect on how learners within their classrooms are all unique and learn and interact in different ways. The focus was predominantly about autism and how we can help students with autism by understanding their needs and accepting their differences. The PSHCE task required students to draw a fingerprint and include the things that make them unique. Wellfield Academy is **inclusive**, so by raising awareness we hope that students accept that whilst teachers will always be fair, they may need to adapt their approach for different students based on individual needs such as autism.

"ARE YOU AN EGG?"

This week students really enjoyed participating in a House Competition which involved them finding out if teachers were an egg, then answering a question to receive a letter. They had to collect lots of letters to reveal the answer, which was "Nothing but the best", our motto. The **community centred** buzz around school was great as was the sound of "Are you an egg?" reverberating around the corridors. The winners received an Easter Egg in assembly and all participants received achievement points for their house.



On Friday morning during tutor time students received certificates for both subject and faculty awards for this half term. We then finished the term with a whole school assembly awarding our gold, silver and bronze winners in relation to achievement points for the whole Spring Term. At Wellfield we are **aspirational** for our students and are so proud of all those getting certificates today. The house competition results for the term were:







Important upcoming events

Monday 17th April-Start of Summer term