



Believe Belong Achieve

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Friday 9th February – Spring Term Issue 6

Here we are at the end of another busy half term. Thank you to all the children, parents, staff and volunteers who continue to support the school and enhance the learning experiences for all. The school is thriving and the children are making pleasing progress - keep it up!

This week we have continued our theme of perseverance by revisiting what we have learnt this term. We reflected on how we can persevere in our learning and how our independence helps us. Next term, we will continue our reading journey through the Bible whilst focussing on our Christian value: Truthful.

Monday was Safer Internet Day. Please see attached leaflet for helpful hints and tips.

Well done to class 2, who shared their learning in their class assembly on Wednesday morning. It was great to see them presenting together, speaking clearly and confidently sharing their experiences. Thank you Mr Este, Mr Fox and Miss Harvey for planning this with the children. Class 3 also had their Kings and Queens day. They learnt dances, baked Tudor biscuits, played Tudor themed sports and ended the day with a Royal Quiz.

This week, Miss Warden joined our hardworking team in EYFS. Miss Warden has a wealth of experience working with children and is already an asset to the school.

Each week, Mrs Brown-Lee cooks with groups of children in school. Mrs Brown-Lee would like to reassure you that all the food is freshly made in a hygienic manner. All the food complies with the allergy guidelines. If you have any concerns, please speak to the office. Thank you to Mrs Brown-Lee for volunteering her time to teach the children and to the PTFA for sponsoring the ingredients.

Today is the last day of this half term as tomorrow is an INSET day in school. The holiday club run by Premier will be here in school as advertised.

Wednesday 22nd February is World Thinking Day. All Scouting and Guiding (Beavers, Brownies, Rainbows, Guides, Squirrels, Cubs and Scout) members can wear their uniform to school.

Have a wonderful half term and I look forward to seeing you back in school on Monday 20th February.

L. Eastbrook

Headteacher

Safeguarding

We all have a duty to safeguard the children in our care and if the school suspects or knows that a child is at risk of significant harm, we will make a referral to Social Services. The school does not investigate any disclosures that children may make, we are a referring agency. Procedures on safeguarding from the Government make it clear that all staff should operate with an 'it could happen here' approach to any concerns they may have. If you have any concerns about a child please telephone the Essex Child and Families Hub on 0345 603 7627.



PTFA News

**Last Night's
Friendship
Disco
Raised £325.
Thank you to
all the PTFA,
parent helpers
and everyone
who supported
this event.**

**Mother's Day
Event & Gifts**

**Non-Uniform
Easter
Donations**

Bingo

**Father's Day
Gifts**

**Further details
of all events to
follow**



Jesus said "Let the children come to me." (Matthew 19:14)
Courageous Creative Friendly Persevering Responsible Truthful



Certificate of Achievement Winners

Class 1: Charlie
Hugo
Class 2: Evie
Tommy
Class 3: Molly
Roman
Class 4: Elsa
Alex
Sophie
Playleaders: Jenson
Robyn

House points

This week's winners are:

Allingham

Weekly Statistics

Class	Attendance %	Lates
1	94	1
2	95	1
3	93	2
4	99	5

School Week – 95%

Whole School Academic Year – 93%

(Target 97%)

*Well Done to Class 4 for attendance and Classes
1 and 2 for punctuality*

Fun 4 kids



**Are now running Themed
Fridays. Please see attached
flyer for full details.**

www.darcyschool.co.uk/fun4kids

Diary dates

- **Friday 10th February – Inset Day**
- **13th-17th February – Half Term Holiday**
- Wednesday 22nd February – World Thinking Day
- Wednesday 1st March - Parents Consultations
- Thursday 2nd March – Parents Consultations
- 6th-10th March – STEM week
- Wednesday 8th March – Class 1 Sharing Assembly

Inset Days

10th February 2023

26th May 2023

30th June 2023

Dear God,

Thank you for all our many talents. Help us to persevere in
all that we do. Amen

Christian Value: Persevering

