

# Waterman Primary School



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Dear Parents / Carers,

We are slowly catching up with events postponed from the snow week. This week we have welcomed in the NSPCC who have worked with pupils in assemblies and workshops, delivering the 'Speak out, Stay safe' programme. We have also celebrated World Book day, please take a look on Class Dojo and Twitter for photos of us all dressed up. Thank you to the new parents involved on the FLOWS council for their swift action in sourcing raffle prizes. Please buy raffle tickets from them on the playground. School Council representatives and staff have been asked what they would like FLOWS to fundraise for. Once they have this information, I am sure they will send a letter informing you all so that parents can be aware of events, support the events and fundraise to further enhance the pupils experience at school in work and play.

Mrs E Thorn

## Attendance Matters

Mrs Fincher and I are disappointed by the attendance over the past few weeks. All contacts will be phoned and where no contact is made then cold calls to your house will be carried out. Concerns regarding attendance may be taken to social care and possibly the police. Our aim is to ensure pupils are in school to learn and achieve their potential but we also have a duty of care toward the safety of our pupils. Remember the only legally acceptable reasons for not being in school are illness, holidays approved by the school or a day of religious observance. If your child does not attend school regularly and you fail to work with us to improve their attendance then both parents risk being fined.

## Reminders:

- **Uniform – School Jumpers** our new school logo has been in place now since January 2016. Please ensure that, as cardigans and jumpers are replaced, all uniform has the current school logo.
- **Sleepover** Fri 23<sup>rd</sup> – Sat 24<sup>th</sup> (yr 2 -5 for those signed up)
- **Books and Bacon Butties – Acorn class** Weds 21<sup>st</sup> 8.40am
- Please be reminded that only parents/carers of pupils of Waterman Primary school are welcome to attend our sharing assemblies

## School menu:

Next week is week 2 of the menu



## Best attendance this week goes to:

**Willow**

**Acorn: 93.33% below our target**  
**Chestnut: 89.58% below our target**  
**Willow: 95.24% below our target**  
**Oak: 94.29% below our target**

**Whole School Attendance: 92.95%**

**Target: 97%**

**10 Lates this week : 365 minutes lost learning time**

## Awards this week

**Star Pupils: Leon H, Mason, Matthew P, Malachy, Tom, Tia**

**Pupils on Gold:** Leon H x3, Hattie x2, Kaiden x2, Mitchell, Jacob-Jay, Finlee, Hannah x4, Wyatt x2, Charlie x2, Noemi x3, Mia, Shazia x3, Tommy x2, Lola x2, Tilly, Albe x2, Frankie, Mickenzie, Matthew P, Tia, Tom x2

**Special Table: Ollie, Layla-May, Malachy, Libbie-Mae**

**WoW Work: Jacob-Jay, Tommy P, Rowan, William S**  
**Moved up a reading level: Matthew P, Phoebe**

## Team Points

	This week	Total
<b>Bobbin Red</b>	31	1280
<b>Reservoir Blue</b>	43	1242
<b>Magnolia Yellow</b>	39	1224
<b>Cherry Orchard Green</b>	41	1295

# Well done

The following children have supported the whole school attendance by being here 100% with no lates. Well done to all of you!

<b>Acorn</b>	Hattie, Mitchell, Finlee, Leon, Jacob-Jay, William, Ollie, Kaiden
<b>Chestnut</b>	Wyatt, Charlie, Emily, Tommy-Lee, Colby, Mia, Syeira, William, Noemi, Shazia, Hannah, Alfie, Katherine, Layla-May, Archie, Saoirse, Lilia
<b>Willow</b>	Tommy, Phoebe, David, Lola, Lacey, Charity, Johnny, Billy, Takara, Aeryn, Malachy, Frankie, Kelsey-Lee, Mickenzie, Aiden, Matthew, Rowan
<b>Oak</b>	Libbie-Mae, Daisy, Tia, Caiden, Matthew, Yasmin, Brooke-Lee, Alex, William, Oliver, Eoin, Bradley, Spencer, Phoenix, Connor, Thomas, Archie, Lillie, Jade

Please note in order for the newsletter to be ready attendance figures are taken from Friday-Thursday

## SUPERHERO CHALLENGE

Lilly R, Albe & Tommy A beat Batman  
 Matthew P beat Hawkgirl  
 Yasmin beat Hulk  
 Matthew L beat Superman  
 Tom & Eoin beat Ironman



## Tuck Shop

FLAWS Council will be running a tuck shop each Friday after school in the playground. Sweets available from 20p a bag.

## Vacancy

### School Cleaner

We are looking for an adaptable cleaner to:

Clean communal areas, classrooms, toilets, empty bins, replenish stock etc

Application packs available from the office or online at [www.essexschoolsjobs.co.uk](http://www.essexschoolsjobs.co.uk)

Term time only + non-pupil days

2 hours daily

6-8am

£7.78 per hour

Immediate start



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