



Nazeing Primary

Newsletter



9th February 2024

Message From The Headteacher

We are at the end of another busy week at school. The children have been very busy filling their books ready for you to look through next week during the parent consultations. If you do not have an appointment, please do speak to the team in the school office. I look forward to seeing many of you next week.

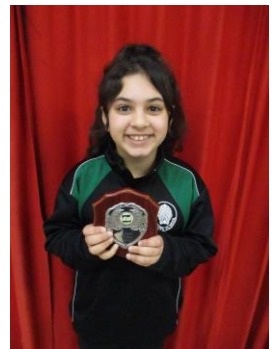
BOARD OF EXCELLENCE

Today we held our Board of Excellence Assembly for Lower Key Stage 2 (Year 3 & 4). The standard of work was very high in a variety of subject areas and the winner was Georgia from Burgundy Class for her fantastic book 'Acora and the Monster Sister'.

Well done to the nominees: Toby, Guilia, Benjamin, Albert, Darius, Andreea, Sienna, Lisa, Liv, Ruby W, Jack and James K.

READING SHIELD

The reading shield was presented in assembly today to Sevim in Copper Class for being an enthusiastic reader. Well done and keep it up!



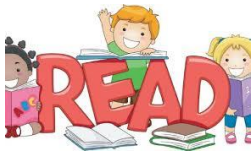
RUGBY

On Friday 2nd February, 19 year 5/6 children represented Nazeing at the Harlow Schools' tag rugby festival.

The children were extremely enthusiastic and the more they played, the more their confidence and game tactics improved.

Both teams showed moments of fantastic defensive work and nifty footwork leading to impressive tries.

Well done everyone.



READ WITH YOUR CHILD

Thank you to those parents of children in our Year 1 & 2 classes who came along to this session on Monday to read with their child. We hope that you found this session useful and enjoyed seeing the children reading in the school environment.

PARENT EVENINGS

A reminder that we will be holding our parent evenings next week, on Wednesday and Thursday. If you have not yet made an appointment, you will need to speak to a member of the school office team.

Parents Evenings will be held as follows:

Wednesday 14th February from 4.00pm to 6.30pm

Thursday 15th February from 5.00pm to 7.30pm.

The Junior playground will be open for parents to park in for the meetings and you are required to register in the school hall with Mrs Fixter or Mrs Lang prior to meeting with the class teacher.



I am pleased to commend the following children this week:

Red Class:	Olivia , for great enthusiasm and input in phonics.	Copper Class:	Aiden , for working hard on his focus in English and being able to write at length.
Blue Class	Lilly , for great writing about the Chinese New Year.	Aqua Class:	Clara , for being a great role model, showing good behaviour and a great attitude to school life.
Green Class:	Hawa , for excellent printwork in Art.	Lime Class:	Tom , for being an asset to Lime Class with his kind and caring nature.
Yellow Class:	Oliver , for excellent progress in reading.	Amber Class	Amelie , for fantastic participation and work in RE.
Purple Class:	Paddy , for excellent behaviour on the carpet and working hard in lessons.	Silver Class:	Danny , for his great homework about rainforest animals.
Burgundy Class:	Lucy , for helping others and showing resilience with her writing.		

ATTENDANCE

The Attendance Bears, Milo and Buttons, were awarded today to the infant and junior classes with the highest weekly attendance. Congratulations this week to **COPPER CLASS** with an attendance of 97.5% and **GREEN CLASS** with an attendance of 99.3%. Overall school attendance was as follows:



Red Class	93.8%	Amber Class	90.9%
Blue Class	90.9%	Burgundy Class	91.6%
Yellow Class	95%	Copper Class	97.5%
Purple Class	93.8%	Lime Class	91.2%
Green Class	99.3%	Silver Class	96.3%
Aqua Class	94.4%		

The number of children this week with 100% attendance is 223, well done to you all!

CHANGE TO PE DAYS

Next week there will be a change to PE days as follows:

Red & Blue Classes will do PE on Monday and Wednesday

Year 5 & 6 Classes will do PE on Thursday and Friday.

HEALTH & SAFETY

Please may I remind parents that children should not be playing on the junior play equipment after school at pick up time due to health and safety reasons.

SCHOOL MEALS

May I remind parents that if your child is absent from school and you have ordered them a school lunch, you **MUST** log on and cancel it in order to prevent you from being charged. This also applies to children who receive free school meals as these have to be funded from the school budget.

A reminder that school meals should be paid for in advance and can be ordered from home through School Grid or the children can order in class. **Next week we will be following the menu for Week 3.**

HALF-TERM

A reminder that next Friday, 16th February we will be finishing school for the half-term holiday. School reopens on Monday 26th February.

Best Wishes

Jane Pomfret
Headteacher