

19th March 2021

Attendance

Class	Attendance for the period 08-03-2021 to 12-03-2021 Target 97%	Has the class target been attained this week?
RA	94.56%	Not Attained
RB	95.86%	Not Attained
1A	96.44%	Not Attained
1S	91.33%	Not Attained
2A	90.00%	Not Attained
2K	91.78%	Not Attained
3PF	99.31%	Attained
3R	92.00%	Not Attained
4A	93.33%	Not Attained
4Y	99.03%	Attained
5K	98.71%	Attained
5S	96.67%	Not Attained
6D	94.67%	Not Attained
6S	96.00%	Not Attained
Overall School	94.97%	Whole school target not attained!

Our attendance target is 97%

Please ensure you send your child to school.

Due to the easing of lockdown starting 8th March 2021, sending your child to school is a legal requirement unless they have a medical condition that requires them to shield.

Coronavirus update

Many thanks to all of you who have complied with our request to wear face coverings whilst on the school site and also for maintaining social distance. Hopefully as the rate of Covid-19 falls, we will be able to ease these restrictions. In the meantime, we will continue to follow the government guidelines. We will continue to keep children in their year group bubbles and minimise mixing with other children during lunch and break times due to our staggered timings for these sessions. Children and staff are still regularly washing / sanitising their hands and this will continue until we are advised otherwise.

Relationship and health education curriculum

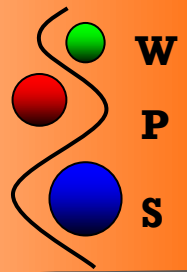
We are currently consulting with all our parents and carers on the Relationship and health education curriculum. Full details are available on the school website—you can access the information by pasting the following link in a web browser:

<https://www.westmnst.bham.sch.uk/news/?pid=49&nid=2&storyid=67>

If you have any comments or queries, please do not hesitate to speak to Mr Samad via the school office. The consultation ends on Friday 26th March.

Mental Health and Well-Being

We take the well-being and mental health of all our pupils seriously and we would encourage pupils to come and speak to a member of staff about any issues or problems no matter how small. Sometimes, pupils want to speak to somebody that is not connected to the school. With this in mind, we have put together information and links to external agencies that work with children and young people. Please navigate to our school website www.westmnst.bham.sch.uk and select the 'Pupils' tab. In there you will need to click on the tab, 'Self-help websites for young people'. This will take you to list of organisations that can offer the appropriate support.



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Merit Awards & Good Work

Theme: Home Learning Hero

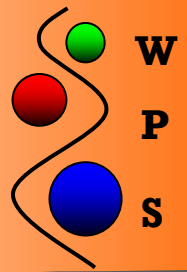
1A	Samah Ahmad Amanah Khan	4A	Anniyah Mahmood Musarrat Rouf
1S	Mariam Abuklaish Inara Jannah	4Y	Jannat and Jemima Hussain Kabir Ali Shakeel
2A	Amirah Khalid Ibrahim Hussain	5K	Moustafa Dafalla Alisha Ringanayi
2K	Arya Parkar Ibraheem Umar	5S	Alisa Golubeva Kevin Murwira
3PF	Riaz Miah Sumaiyah Shakail	6D	Helen Nguyen Danyaal Waseem
3R	Amelia Khan Hibatullah Azhar	6F	Bisma Mahmood Safaa Shakail

Theme: Thinking of others

1A	Yaseen Ezerek Haaniya Asad	4A	Alina Golubeva Yunus Walimia
1S	Anthony Zlate Ruqaya Mohammed	4Y	Anniyah Mahmood Ayah Rashad
2A	Karin Hussein Jariyah Chowdhury	5K	Humaira Khan Linda Nguyen
2K	Prince Howe Saman Islam	5S	Ismail Abdul-Hasnat Isabella Seica
3PF	Inaaya Saleem Abdullah Waqar	6D	Hafsah Anwar Sami Iqbal
3R	Mir Sanjeeda Rahman Dawda Camara	6F	Rama Gumaa Muslehuddin Ahmad

Dates for your diary—2021

Thursday 1st April 2021 at 12.30pm:	Break up for Easter Holidays
Friday 2nd April—Friday 16th April:	Easter Holidays
Monday 19th April:	School re-opens to pupils
Monday 3rd May:	Bank Holiday—school closed
Thursday 6th May:	School closed due to local elections
Friday 28th May:	Break up for Summer Half-Term holiday
Monday 7th June:	School re-opens to pupils



13th March 2020

World Book Day

Last Friday, the school took part in 'World Book Day' and it was an opportunity for children and staff to come dressed up as their favourite book characters.

From characters such as Harry Potter and the Hungry Caterpillar to Fantastic Mr Fox and Gangsta Granny, we had a great variety of characters turn up! Even the teachers made a superb effort in dressing up. The best dressed characters from each class will be given a special treat of choosing a new book from Waterstones bookstore. Everyone in school received a world book day book token. The token can be used to purchase one of the special world book day books available at participating retailers. The token can also be redeemed against a book or audiobook costing £2.99 or more. Please remember to spend your book token by 28th March 2021. Well done to everyone who took part!



Comic Relief

Today is 'Red Nose Day' and we asked pupils and staff to come dressed in something red or funny or in non-uniform and to make a £1 contribution towards the 'Red Nose Day' appeal.

Thank you to everyone who donated money towards the appeal.

