

1st October 2021

## Attendance

| Class          | Attendance for the period<br>13-09-2021 to<br>17-09-2021<br>Target 97% | Has the class target been attained this week? |
|----------------|--|---|
| RA             | 83.57%   | Not Attained                                  |
| RB             | 90.71%   | Not Attained                                  |
| 1A             | 98.63%   | Attained                                      |
| 1S             | 94.00%   | Not Attained                                  |
| 2K             | 94.00%   | Not Attained                                  |
| 2Y             | 95.67%   | Not Attained                                  |
| 3C             | 92.67%   | Not Attained                                  |
| 3PF            | 92.67%   | Not Attained                                  |
| 4A             | 95.67%   | Not Attained                                  |
| 4SR            | 97.33%   | Attained                                      |
| 5D             | 92.86%   | Not Attained                                  |
| 5K             | 100%   | Attained                                      |
| 5P             | 96.19%   | Not Attained                                  |
| 6A             | 93.67%   | Not Attained                                  |
| 6F             | 96.13%   | Not Attained                                  |
| Overall School | 94.25%   | Whole school target not attained!             |

**Our attendance target is 97%**

**Please ensure you send your child to school.**

Due to further easing of lockdown measures, sending your child to school is now a legal requirement. You will be fined if you do not send your child to school.

## SECONDARY SCHOOL APPLICATIONS

If your child is in Year 6, you will need to make sure you make an application for a secondary school place by 31st October 2021. You can do this by going online at:

<https://www.birmingham.gov.uk/schooladmissions>

If you would like any support in accessing and using the online application service, please come and see a member of the school office staff. **We will be holding a series of parent workshops in October (Tues 5th Oct at 9.00am, Thurs 7th Oct at 2.30pm, Tues 12th Oct at 9.00am & Thurs 14th Oct at 2.30pm) for parents who require assistance with the submission of their application.** Mr Ashford and Mrs Khan will be assisting you with your applications at these sessions.

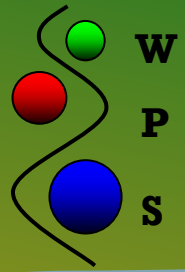
## BEFORE AND AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

Our before and after school sports clubs started on Monday 20th September 2021. **Please make sure you only send your child to the club if you have received a club acceptance letter.** Your child needs to come in their PE kit if they are attending a club in the morning; they need to bring their uniform in a bag that they can change into after their club finishes at 8.35am. Children attending an after school sports club need to bring their PE kit in a bag and will be given time to change into their sports kit at 3.30pm. All children attending a club need to ensure they bring in a water bottle in order that they can keep hydrated. Mr Khan is running the morning clubs and Mr Azhar is running the after school clubs.

If your child has been offered a club place, please make sure they attend. We have a number of children on waiting lists for both sets of clubs, so if you have changed your mind about a club place for your child, please let the school office staff know.

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## MACMILLAN COFFEE MORNING

Thank you to all those staff members and parents that contributed towards Macmillan Coffee Morning. This is an annual event where we raise funds for Macmillan cancer research. We will let you know how much we raised in our next newsletter.



## HARVEST COLLECTION

We are still collecting items for our annual harvest collection for families in need. If you would like to contribute any tinned/package food items or toiletries towards this initiative, please can you bring the items to the school office. We have set up a table in the

conservatory and we will accept contributions until the end of this month. All items will be distributed to those less fortunate over the next few weeks.



## Dates for your diary 2021-22

|                                      |  |
|--------------------------------------|--|
| <b>Friday 22nd October:</b>          | Pupils break up for half-term          |
| <b>Mon 25th Oct to Fri 29th Oct:</b> | Autumn Half-Term Holiday               |
| <b>Monday 1st November:</b>          | School re-opens for pupils             |
| <b>Friday 17th December:</b>         | Pupils break up for Christmas Holidays |
| <b>Mon 21st Dec to Mon 3 Jan:</b>    | Christmas holidays                     |
| <b>Tuesday 4th January:</b>          | Start of Spring term 2022              |



## Reception Class—Admission arrangements for next academic year

If your child was born between 1 September 2017 and 31 August 2018, they will be eligible to start our Reception class in September 2022. This applies to all our current Nursery pupils. However, the Reception admission arrangements mean that if your child is in our Nursery you do not automatically get a place for your child in this school next year for the Reception classes. You will need to apply online for a Reception place at the following site by 15 January 2022:

<https://eadmissions.birmingham.gov.uk/>