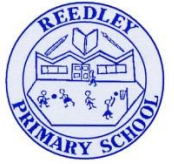


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Friday, 16 December 2022

Dear Parents/Carers,

### **Attendance**

Our overall attendance for last week is 83.60%. This is incredibly low but I am aware that there have been some bugs around. I am hoping for a huge improvement after Christmas, once everyone has had chance to have a good rest.

Children who achieve at least 96% attendance and are on 'green' at Christmas, Easter and Summer will be entered into a draw, to be one of four children in school to win a prize.

The children whose names have been pulled from the draw today are:

- Reception - Muhammad Abu-Bakr
- Year 1 - Aishah Khalil
- Year 3 - Musa Ali
- Year 6 - Zanib Fatima Parveen

All of these children have received a board game of their choice as their prize.

In addition to this, all the children who have 96%+ attendance for the year so far, have also had a little treat this afternoon.

### **Attendance and Punctuality**

The **White Water Lily Class** (Y5B) and the **Iris Class** (Y6E) have won the attendance award for the half term. The children in those classes will have their non uniform day on Friday 6<sup>th</sup> January! We will send a text out to those classes to remind you!

There are 47 children in the school who have 100% attendance so far this school year. Well done!

### **Punctuality**

We had 12 hours and 15 minutes of lates last week, meaning vital learning is still being missed by some children. This means that lots of learning is being missed.

Please ensure that your child is in school before the gates closes at **8.50am** each day.

The **Daffodil Class** (Rec Miss Cowell class) have won the punctuality award for the half term. They will have their non uniform day on Friday 6<sup>th</sup> January. We will send out a text to remind you.

Please remember that by law, your child has to attend school. Holidays or trips abroad during term time will not be authorised and will result in your child missing valuable learning time and the parents receiving a financial penalty.

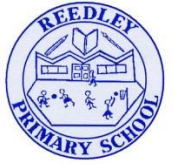


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### **Events this week**

#### **Non-uniform Day for Pendleside Hospice – Friday 16<sup>th</sup> December**

Thank you for the contributions for Pendleside Hospice today. We will send all the contributions to the hospice.

#### **Christmas Fair**

It was lovely to see many of our families attend our Christmas Fair on Tuesday. We raised £1030.53 which will go towards providing vital resources for the children.

The following people won one of our competitions from the fair:

- Guess The Name of the Reindeer – Winner was Farah Khan
- ‘Pin The Nose’ winners  
Winning a book - Eesa Hussain Y2C and Daanyaal Butt Y4  
Winning a pencil – Ayat Mehdi Y1, Maheen Naweed Y1, Saadiyah Afzal Y5M, Buraq Dhean Afzal Y5B, Eesa Ibrar, Samiyah Alam Y4
- Upper Reedley Football Target Game  
Rec/KS1 winner was Zain Hassan Y2S, who scored 110 out of a maximum of 150 points  
KS2 winner was Muhammad Hussain Y6E, who scored 70 points

### **Interim Reports**

Interim reports (Y1 – Y6) and attendance information for all children came home on Thursday. If you wish to speak to your child’s teacher about the report, you can make an appointment by calling Mrs Iqbal or Miss Fegan in the school office.

### **Sue Dean Writing Award**

Each half term, a child in school is awarded the Sue Dean Writing Award, named after a Literacy Consultant who used to work in Lancashire.

This is a very prestigious award in our school and the winning child gets a trophy to keep and an award to keep in their classroom for half a term.

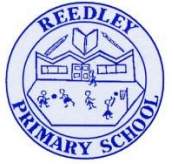
The winner this half term is Ammaar Yaqub from Y2C as he has been using the Y2 skills taught, in his writing.

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### **Online Safety Guide**

This week's poster is all about setting up apps, games and software. There are many fantastic pieces of advice in this poster.



The messages to parents/carers this week would be:

- Take note of any age-ratings
- Check settings to ensure that in-app purchasing requires the account holder's password
- Monitor in-game communications. Your child could be talking or messaging with a stranger.

### **School Holidays**

School closes at 3.30pm on Friday 16<sup>th</sup> December and will reopen on Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> January.

Thank you for your support,  
Mrs Sarah Bell  
Headteacher

