

# MOAT FARM JUNIOR SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

WHERE WE PREPARE FOR TOMORROW BY ACHIEVING TODAY

### MESSAGE FROM MRS SHAW AND MRS SCOTNEY

Dear parents and carers,

We hope you enjoy reading our newsletters as much as we love writing them. So much happens in a week and we love to share it with you all.

### Non-uniform Day fundraiser for British Red Cross's Turkey/Syria Earthquake Appeal

Thank you to all of our families who donated on School Comms towards the Earthquake Appeal, we raised £404 and the children really enjoyed coming in their own clothes for a good cause. Teamwork is a key part of our school ethos and we are so pleased we achieved this together!

#### **Year 4 Times Tables Rockstars**

There is such a buzz in school around TTRS, please encourage your children to log on their devices regularly so that they can be in the running for various treats that are coming up! There is a Year 4 tournament that starts today until 7:30pm on Monday 27th February. All Year 4 classes will be competing against each other to win a ROCK PARTY! Winning class will rock on Friday 3rd March - ROCK ON!

#### **Twitter**

We continue to post more and more snippets of our school day on Twitter. We have also recently started to add free courses and activities for the children in our local area. Please follow us @MoatFarmJuniors.

### Training Day - Monday 27th February

Remember it is our Training Day on Monday 27th February. We look forward to welcoming the children back on Tuesday 28th February.

### Strike - Wednesday 1st March

Yesterday we directly emailed the parents and carers of our three classes that we know will be closed due to the NEU's strike action. To all of our other classes - please attend as normal, we will let you know if this changes.

### **Traffic Around School**

We would like to remind our families to be considerate of our children's safety and of our neighbours when dropping and picking up the children before and after school on the roads. We know it is an incredibly busy time but please park sensibly and be mindful of pedestrians.

Can we please take this opportunity to say what a fabulous half term the children have had. On a daily basis we see exciting lessons where the children are highly engaged and loving learning. Thank you, as always, for your continued support. Have a lovely half term and we look forward to welcoming pupils back into school on Tuesday 28th February.

# What we've been up to



### **SELF PORTRAITS**















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# STAR PUPILS

### STAR OF THE WEEK

### LOWER SCHOOL

BLUE 3 - CHARLIZE N
GREEN 3 - AVANI B
RED 3 - MAXWELL C
YELLOW 3 - ISAAC P

BLUE 4 - KEEGAN H
GREEN 4 - LOLA J
RED 4 - TREYVON T
YELLOW 4 - AARON L

### UPPER SCHOOL

BLUE 5 - EMME F
GREEN 5 - NIAMH R
RED 5 - LILY F
YELLOW 5 - ISABELLE K

BLUE 6 - RUBIE C GREEN 6 - FREYA U RED 6 - AMELIA B YELLOW 6 - JADEN C

HEADTEACHER AWARD
TED T G3 | ISAAM H Y6

### SPORTS SUPERSTARS

### LOWER SCHOOL

BLUE 3 - RAZA K
GREEN 3 - XANTHI W
RED 3 - EVIE H
YELLOW 3 - ESMEE J

BLUE 4 - GURSEVAK S GREEN 4 - CARLTON D RED 4 - HARLEY S YELLOW 4 - MASON H

### **UPPER SCHOOL**

BLUE 5 - GURBEER N
GREEN 5 - DAWSON V
RED 5 - RANVEER J
YELLOW 5 - HARVEER H

BLUE 6 - HIRAR
GREEN 6 - VIREN G
RED 6 - RALPHY D
YELLOW 6 - BELLA W

# BATTLE OF THE READERS

POSITION	CLASS	READ 3 TIMES OR MORE	PERCENTAGE	FULL CLA NUMBER
	RED 6	28	<b>53%</b>	30
	YELLOW 5	28		30
	BLUE 6	28	<b>20%</b>	31
	RED S	<b>2</b> 7	<b>50%</b>	30
	YELLOW S	27 27	<b>90%</b>	30

## **SPECIAL MENTIONS**

### **LOWER SCHOOL**

BLUE 3 - DYLAN M
GREEN 3 - AVANI B
RED 3 - REECE T
YELLOW 3 - ISAAC P

BLUE 4 - KEATON J
GREEN 4 - ANAYA K
RED 4 - ZARA C
YELLOW 4 - YUVANSH B

### **UPPER SCHOOL**

BLUE 5 - MIKHAIL K
GREEN 5 - GURMAN G
RED 5 - UPKAR S
YELLOW 5 - DOUGIE M

BLUE 6 - FREYA S GREEN 6 - RUEBEN C RED 6 - ADYAN S YELLOW 6 - JADEN C

# **Teacher Training Dates**

## **MONDAY 27TH FEBRUARY 2023** THURSDAY 29TH JUNE FRIDAY 30TH JUNE

## DIARY DATES

24.02.23

FEBRUARY HALF **TERM** 

20.02.23 27.02.23

**TEACHER TRAINING** DAY

01.03.23

**TEACHERS STRIKE** MORE DETAILS TO **FOLLOW** 

02.03.23

SEND COFFEE **MORNING YEAR 5 & 6** 

02.03.23

03.03.23 06.03.23

09.03.23

**WORLD BOOK DAY** 

**ROCK PARTY FOR WINNERS OF TTRS -**TBC

16.03.23

PARENTS' EVENING

PARENTS' EVENING

15.03.23

**TEACHERS STRIKE** 

MORE DETAILS TO

**FOLLOW** 

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17.03.23 20.03.23

**COMIC RELIEF** 

**ROMAN MAN VISITS** YEAR 4

22.03.23

28.03.23 29.03.23 30.03.23

**GREEN 5 CLASS ASSEMBLY - 9AM**  YEAR 3 & 5 DISCO

YELLOW 3 CLASS **ASSEMBLY - 9AM** 

YEAR 4 & 6 DISCO

31.03.23

29.06.23

30.06.23

**RED 4 CLASS TEACHER TRAINING ASSEMBLY - 9AM** DAY



# ATTENDANCE NEWS



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### **Attendance Update**

We need to try really hard this year to make sure every year group is achieving or beating our 96% target. We can only do this if we all work together!

Our attendance for w/c 6<sup>th</sup> February 2023 is

97.3%

Lower School Weekly Attendance
Champions:

Red 3 (99.3%)

Upper School Weekly Attendance
Champions:

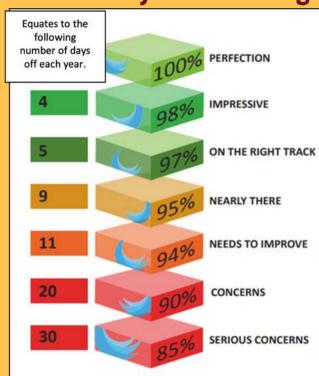
Red 6 (99%)

## Be In SCHOOL Be On TIME

Our attendance and punctuality has been great this week!

Thank you to all parents and carers who support us in improving every day.

## How well is your child doing?



# Moat Farm Junior Attendance League this half term

### Lower School

Blue 3		Blue 4	2
Green 3	1	Green 4	
Red 3	2	Red 4	1
Yellow 3		Yellow 4	

### **Upper School**

Blue 5	2	Blue 6	
Green 5	1	Green 6	1
Red 5	1	Red 6	1
Yellow 5	1	Yellow 6	

Each week, classes receive a point for having the best attendance within lower and upper school.



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	Attendance				
w/c 6.2.2023					
0.2.	2023				
Yellow 3	98.7%				
Red 3	99.3%				
Green 3	98.7%				
Blue 3	99%				
Yellow 4	97.3%				
Red 4	96.1%				
Green 4	98%				
Blue 4	95.3%				
Yellow 5	96.7%				
Red 5	97.7%				
Green 5	96.7%				
Blue 5	97.4%				
Yellow 6	95.7%				
Red 6	99%				
Green 6	98.7%				
Blue 6	93.2%				



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