



Aim High, Fly High

Robins Lane Primary School Newsletter

13th September 2024

Headteacher's Notes

Dear parents and carers,

That's our first full week completed and what a busy week it has been. I imagine lots of our children (and the staff) will need an early night tonight after absorbing themselves in lessons and school life. As always, I have been bowled over by the children's attitudes to learning, their conduct around school and in lessons. It's wonderful to see how the children are adapting to new staff and new routines – school is a calm, happy place.

As in previous years, the children come together daily as a school community – each day has a different focus and different staff take the lead. On Monday, Miss Middlehurst shared 'Picture News' which presents a debate linked to current news stories – this is always followed up on our Facebook page – this is to enable you to discuss hot topics with your children and share your views. In my assemblies, which are on Tuesdays, I continue to focus on inspirational people whose stories encourage us to aim high and fly high. This week we recalled the people we had celebrated over last year – I was impressed by the children's memories and knowledge. I look forward to adding to this inspirational memory bank by sharing more stories of unique people to inspire our children to follow their dreams. Next week, we will be looking at Ashley Fiolek an American world champion motocross rider who embraces disability and challenges prejudice and proudly shows the world how amazing she is.

Today, in our celebration assembly it was wonderful for me to be share in the successes of our first full week – scrolls and postcards galore! The children engage positively in this assembly and are genuinely proud of their peers. I know many of you spend a lot of time, effort and money supporting your children in their numerous sports, hobbies and activities. Please encourage your child to share certificates, medals, rosettes and trophies achieved outside of school. We are so very proud of their successes.

This week we have hosted Meet the Teacher sessions for the remaining classes and I would like to thank parents and carers for taking the time to attend – this is a valuable opportunity for you come into school and learn about the year group expectations. It is also a chance for you to ask any questions you might have about your child's new year group. If you were unable to attend, we will distribute the slides via email. In the meantime, if you have any queries or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact school via the school office. Please check emails and follow our school Facebook page to keep up to date with school activities. You should have had communication earlier in the week to remind you about how and when to use Class Dojo – please take a few minutes to read this guidance to ensure understanding of appropriate usage.

Have a relaxing weekend everyone – catch up with your children about the week's events and enjoy time together as a family. Apparently, we are going to have a September heat wave next week – I'll believe it when I see it...See you on Monday!

Yours sincerely, Mrs Tomkow















Attendance

This week's class attendance is:

Reception - 95.93%

Year 1 – 93.45%

Year 2 – 98%

Year 3 – 90.71%

Year 4 – 97%

Year 5 - 96.92%

Year 6 - 100%

Jigsaw Award Scroll Winners

This week's certificates were for:

'Know how to make friends'

The winners are:

Nursery - Jacob B

Reception - Kobe T-H

Year 1 - Miami Y

Year 2 - Dean H

Year 3 – Chanudi A

Year 4 - Riley B

Year 5 – Isla F

Year 6 - Lilah A

Well done for making our school a better place!

Timetable Rockstars/Numbots

This week's stars are:

Reception	Coming soon!
Year 1	Coming soon!
Year 2	Coming soon!
Year 3	Evelyn M
Year 4	Joel B
Year 5	William Y
Year 6	David B



Class Dojos

This week's winners are:

Nursery	Isabelle H
Reception	Leni P
Year 1	Alfie-George J
Year 2	Charlie T
Year 3	King C
Year 4	Riley F
Year 5	Kai K
Year 6	Thomas W



Spelling Shed Award

This week's stars are:

Year 1	Coming soon!
Year 2	Alinani G
Year 3	Edna B
Year 4	Riley F
Year 5	Evan W-R
Year 6	Bethany W



WINGS Award

This week's winners are:

Nursery	Pearl T
Reception	Alice M
Year 1	Ezra P
Year 2	Alessia M C
Year 3	Emanuela M
Year 4	Felicity M
Year 5	Jake M
Year 6	Sam W



Happy Lunchtime Award

This week's winners are:

George M-W	Dean H
Millicent R-M	Oliver O
David A	Kaitlyn B
Frankie H	Logan S

Suggestion Box

If there's anything you'd like us to know, or you have any ideas on how we can improve, please let us know in the box below.