

## A MESSAGE FROM OUR ATTENDANCE OFFICER

We have come to the end of our Spring term and I wish all parents and pupils a restful break. We will be entering our last school term for this academic year after the half term break. Parents should do everything they can to boost their child's attendance and make sure they are in school every day on time!

## HOLIDAYS IN TERM TIME

We have had many families taking leave during term time. This is a reminder for parents that family holidays and term time leave should be arranged outside of school term time. Children should not be removed from school as they are hugely disadvantaged from missing out on key learning and automatically fall behind. We ask parents to prioritise their child's education and keep them in school. Please note leave will only be authorised in extreme circumstances.

## OVERALL CLASS PERFORMANCE

Sunflower	87%	Lavender	86%
Bluebell	94%	Daffodil	93%
Honeysuckle	93%	Camellia	94%
Geranium	95%	Rose	94%
Tulip	96%	Ivy	95%
Crocus	90%	Hydrangea	96%
Violets	95%	Hyacinth	97%
Orchid	94%	Poppy	97%

## PERSISTENT ABSENCE

A pupil with attendance below 90% is classed as persistently absent, even if the absence has been authorised. What does this mean for your child?

- **90% attendance = half school day** missed every week!
- **One school year at 90% attendance = 4 weeks** of learning missed!
- **Over 5 school years at 90% attendance = Half school year** missed!

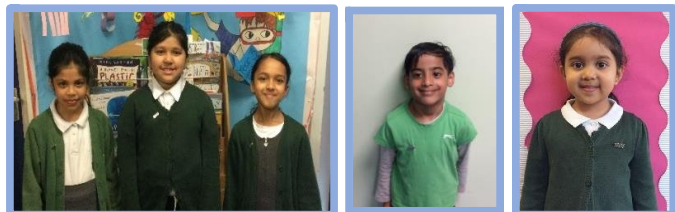
Take a look at your child's attendance and think about how your child is doing. Can steps be taken to improve their attendance?



Sunflower	Maryam	Bluebell	Nabid
Honeysuckle	Mariama, Islam	Camellia	Raihan
Rose	Umaira	Tulip	Amelia A, Nihila, Sofia
Ivy	Zainab, Alisha, Anas, Umaira, Yusraa, Muhammed	Crocus	Nimmi
Hydrangea	Ishma, Aisha, Sadiqah, Humayra,	Violets	Mariyah, Alif, Momoriya, Shayan
Hyacinth	Tayebah, Yusuf, Aisha, Robiul	Orchid	Alima, Asiya, Afnanu
Poppy	Amira, Nyla, Sumaiya, Uswa, Arman, Dawud, Ayah		

## CELEBRATING OUR HEROES

A huge well done to all the children who have maintained 100% attendance from the beginning of the school year to the end of the spring term. We wanted to celebrate this achievement with Silver 100% badges for all the children.



Idiom of the Week

**'Do what you can, with what you have, where you are'**

Don't wait until the conditions for success are perfect