

## STARS OF THE WEEK

EYFS	Lavender	Warina Khan	Anas Rahaman
	Sunflower	Jaiyana Khan	Yusuf Islam
	Bluebell	Zeya Ali	Isaac Islam
	Daffodil	Fariza Bhuiyan	Zabeer Tarafdar
Team 2	Camellia	Mariam Alqulateyn	Zarif Siddiqui
	Honeysuckle	Asfmaria Ali	Mahir Ahmad
	Geranium	Liyanna Nureyni	Ubayd Islam
	Rose	Eleena Uddin	Dawood Ali
Team 3	Ivy	Humaira Islam	Zakariya Zaman
	Tulip	Uzma Akhlaque	Unais Miah
	Crocus	Amelia Anjum	Anas Majid
	Hydrangea	Sairah Hussain	Muttaqeen Aakif
Team 4	Hyacinth	Tasleema Ferdowsi	Aqib Uddin
	Violets	Arifa Miah	Naeem Ahmed
	Orchid	Hudiyah Jinan	Ikram Babu
	Poppy	Omera Jannah	Nusayb Najib

## BRIGHT MINDS- STAR OF THE WEEK

Group	Name/Star	Reason
Year 4 Shobuj	Umair Khan	Pace and balance
Year 4 Cagaar	Umaira Shaid- Wajeaha	Focus on learning
Year 4 Akhdaar	Diya Saha	Positive learning attitude
Year 5 Shobuj	Usman Kadri	Attendance
Year 5 Cagaar	Aleena Khanom	Pace and balance
Year 5 Akhdaar	Adam Islam	High expectations
Year 6 Shobuj	Afizah Azad	Pace and balance
Year 6 Cagaar	Ariana Alim	Focused
Year 6 Akhdaar	Zahara Momin	Pace and balance
Year 6 target group	Abyan Chowdhury	Attendance

Parents are requested to check the newsletter over the weekend and inform their children if they are *Star of the Week*. The 'Stars' will be celebrated during the whole school assembly on Monday morning. It is important that parents inform their children if their name is on the newsletter so that they know for Monday's assembly.

## KS1 STORY SESSION



Our librarian, Laura will be hosting a story telling session on Monday 11 December at 2.45PM. The children love their story-time with Laura and we are excited to be able to

share this with parents. The session is aimed at KS1 children and their parents but all parents are invited and welcome. We look forward to seeing you there!

## LOST PROPERTY- SCHOOL UNIFORM

There are many items of unnamed uniform in the school lost property. It is inevitable that school uniform items are mislaid or mixed-up. The best way to ensure that your child's belongings are not lost is to ensure all items of school uniform are clearly labelled with your child's full name in permanent ink. Permanent markers are available in the school office.

If your child has lost any part of their uniform, please encourage them to look in their classroom and playground in the first instance. If it still cannot be found, then check the lost property box located in KS1 playground corridor.

## PUNCTUALITY

This is a reminder that the school day begins at 9.00AM. There has recently been a rise in the number of late children arriving to school. Good punctuality is essential for children to achieve their full educational potential. The school gates are open from 8.45AM so parents are encouraged to arrive in a timely manner so children are ready to enter their classrooms and start learning. Lost minutes mean lost learning and every minute counts! The gates will close at 9.02AM and anyone arriving after will need to go through the school office and will be marked in as late.

## TRIPS AND VISITS

Date	Class	Trip/Visit
06/12/23	Year 4	Natural History Museum
13/12/23	Ivy	Canary Wharf Ice Skating Rink

## PARENT VIEW SURVEY~RAFFLE WINNER

The winner of the raffle will be announced on Monday 4 December during the Coffee Morning in PAL Space at 9.05 AM. Please attend with your ticket to find out if you have won.

## MILD ILLNESS GUIDANCE

We know that winter is one of the peak times for adults and children to come down with mild illnesses such as colds, coughs and sore throats. You can still send your child into school if they have a cough or common cold. Use the NHS guidance below to make judgements about mild illness, as well as wider guidance:

[NHS Guidance: Is my child too ill for school?](#)

## TULIP CLASS TRIP~ ICE SKATING

Tulip Class went to Canary Wharf Ice Rink on Wednesday. This was a new experience for the children and they thoroughly enjoyed themselves. This experience helped pupils realise the importance of balance and co-ordination for fun activities outside of school. Ivy class will be going on 13 December.



"We used the penguins to practice and the ice was so slippery and cold" - Eesa.

## CELEBRATION SHARING ASSEMBLIES

Pupils will be sharing their learning from this term with parents and carers in the Celebration Sharing Assemblies. Please come and support and celebrate your child's achievements. Teachers will share the Learning Map for next term.

Date	Year	Time
12/12/23	Nursery	9 AM
	Year 6	2:45 PM
13/12/23	Year 1	9 AM
	Year 5	2:45 PM
14/12/23	Reception	9 AM
	Year 3	2:45 PM
15/12/23	Year 2	9 AM
	Year 4	2:45 PM

The KS2 assemblies are in the afternoons, as the pupils attend Bright Minds in the mornings.

## ATTENDANCE FOR 20-24 NOVEMBER

Good attendance is 97% and above. Anything below needs improving. How is your child's class doing?

Sunflower	94%	Lavender	78%
Daffodil	93%	Bluebell	93%
Honeysuckle	95%	Camellia	90%
Geranium	95%	Rose	94%
Tulip	97%	Ivy	98%
Crocus	93%	Hydrangea	99%
Violets	94%	Hyacinth	98%
Orchid	98%	Poppy	94%
Excellent		Needs Improving	
Good		Poor	

## KEY DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

- 15 December - After-school clubs' last day
- 19 December - Class parties at 2:30PM- Parents are invited and welcome
- 20 December - House Team treats
- 22 December - Bright Minds/Life Skills Special Breakfast!
- 22 December - Last day of term, pupils finish school at 2:00 PM
- 8 January - Start of the spring term for pupils and staff.



**Come along to our Coffee Morning and bring a dish of food to share with others.**

**All parents are welcome!**

**Coffee Morning  
Monday 18 December  
PAL SPACE at 9.05AM**



## EXTENDED LEAVE

Requests for leave during term time for exceptional circumstances must be made at least 10 days in advance. Kindly note that late requests are not considered and will not be authorised.

Quote of  
the Week

**Intelligence plus character- that is the goal of true education**  
Martin Luther King Jr