



Maylandsea Primary School Newsletter



Week ending 22nd November 2024

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SCHOOL VALUE - FRIENDSHIP

DEAR FAMILIES, **Attendance Matters**

Good attendance is so important for every child. Statistics show that pupils with good attendance have higher attainment in school and studies show that children with attendance above 96% make better progress socially and academically. With the focus and development on the curriculum that has taken place at school, children who are absent will find gaps in their sequential knowledge, and will find difficulty building on key skills.

Working Together

We will be working with you to keep you updated on your child's attendance by sending out letters at key points to inform you of your child's attendance should it go below 90% and to invite you in to find ways to work together to support your child's attendance.

COLD WEATHER CLOTHING

Please make sure your child is bringing a coat to school. With the temperatures dropping, it is important that the children have coats in school to wear at break time and lunchtime. Please can you ensure all clothing is clearly named so if it is misplaced, it can be returned to its rightful owner!

FRIDAY 29th NOVEMBER – DECORATION AFTERNOON

Next Friday afternoon, the school will turn into Father Christmas's workshop, with all the classes enjoying their decoration afternoon. On this day, the children can come to school dressed in non-uniform. Instead of a monetary donation, the Friends of Maylandsea PTA are asking for a donation of gifts for the Tombola Stall at the Christmas Markets.

Each class has been allocated a colour for gifts to bring in. (These are not the colours that the children have to wear)

- Bumblebee - Red
- Ladybird - Blue
- Butterfly - Green
- Hedgehog - Purple
- Deer - Pink
- Kingfisher - Orange
- Owl - Yellow
- Fox - Red

YEAR 6 VISIT TO TOWER OF LONDON

Year 6 are looking forward to their trip to the Tower of London on Monday 25th November. The trip to the tower will enhance and enrich their topic learning of the Tudors which they have all been enjoying. Note to year 6 parents. Please meet at South Woodham Train Station from 8:55am - 9:05am on Monday morning.

Enjoying and Achieving Together
Mrs James



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PUPIL AWARDS

Star of the Week							
Bumblebee	Ladybird	Butterfly	Hedgehog	Deer	Kingfisher	Owl	Fox
Alfie	Molly	Carter	Jaden	Annabelle	Fletcher	Sophia	Freddie R
School Value - Friendship							
Bumblebee	Ladybird	Butterfly	Hedgehog	Deer	Kingfisher	Owl	Fox
Marliya	Lennon	Ella	Jaden	Maisie	Sophia	Kayden	Nicholas
Class Reading Scores							
Bumblebee	Ladybird	Butterfly	Hedgehog	Deer	Kingfisher	Owl	Fox
67%	85%	73%	97%	88%	93%	88%	91%
Star Reader							
Bumblebee	Ladybird	Butterfly	Hedgehog	Deer	Kingfisher	Owl	Fox
Rupert	Ellie	Holly	Georgina	Ronnie	Darcie	Jimmy	Leo
Star Writer							
Bumblebee	Ladybird	Butterfly	Hedgehog	Deer	Kingfisher	Owl	Fox
Paige	George	Alba		Albert	Hayley	Annabella	Joseph
KS1 Number Bond and Multiplication Awards							
Ladybird				Butterfly			
KS2 Multiplication Awards							
Hedgehog	Deer	Kingfisher	Owl	Fox			
Jaden, Oakley, Lily - Rose, Robyn, Dilyn, Blake, Rosie & Jack			Finley				
KS2 Pen Licences							
Hedgehog	Deer	Kingfisher	Owl	Fox			
	Samuel		Annabella, Harry, Elisa & Kayden				
Merit Awards							
Bumblebee	Ladybird	Butterfly	Hedgehog	Deer	Kingfisher	Owl	Fox
			Bow-Violet, Rosie, Ralph, Remi Rae & Ramsey			Jude, Serenity Rose, Jack & Isabelle	
Class Attendance							
Bumblebee	Ladybird	Butterfly	Hedgehog	Deer	Kingfisher	Owl	Fox
92%	94.7%	98%	95.3%	95.9%	90.3%	98.7%	94.3%



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Diary Dates

November

Monday 25th – Year 6 Trip to Tower of London

Friday 29th – Decoration afternoon – Non-uniform Day – bring a tombola prize.

December

Wednesday 4th – KS1 Film Night 3:30pm – 5:30pm – EYFS, Year 1 and Year 2

Friday 6th - Friends Christmas Market – 4pm – 6:30pm

Tuesday 10th - Whole School Panto Trip

Wednesday 11th - KS1 Nativity to parents 9:30am

Wednesday 11th – KS2 Film Night – Years 3,4,5,6

Thursday 12th - KS1 Nativity to parents - 2:00pm

Friday 13th - EYFS Nativity to parents – 9:30am

Tuesday 17th - Christmas Dinner Day

Wednesday 18th – Rock Steady Concert

Thursday 19th - School Carol Concert

Friday 20th December Last day of term

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Return to school – Monday 6th January 2025