

Mosscroft Primary School Newsletter

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Star Pupils of the Week to date:

Well done to:

Reception:

Year 1:

Year 2:

Year 3:

Year 4:

Year 5:

Year 6:

Dear Parents & Carers
As we finish for half term today its amazing to reflect on all that has been achieved so far: Inspire Sessions; WW1 project work; BMX biking; Tour of Britain visit, Bike Right Cycling proficiency, Meet the Teacher sessions and Y6 Transition Workshops—wow!!! In addition, this week your children will have been assessed on their progress and attainment to date—at Parents Evening (17th November) you will receive all this information utilising our new Assertive Mentoring approach for some of this information.
Hoping your children have a relaxing October break— we return to school on **MONDAY 3rd NOVEMBER.**
Mrs. France

ATTENDANCE

Our attendance target this year is

96+%

Whole school attendance for the year so far:

The class with the best attendance were: **Y6- 100% again !!! Own clothes on**

The class who need to try harder are: **Y (%).**

INSPIRE AFTERNOONS

It was wonderful to see so many of you at the Inspire afternoons that have occurred over this half term across the whole school

I do hope that you enjoyed spending time with your child and getting a flavour of a typical afternoon in their class—I had a lot of feedback to say how wonderful and different school is like from your own experiences and what fun you had!

You will all have had chance to meet Karen Connaire our Family Learning Provider and do hope you were able to find more about our forthcoming courses that shall focus upon supporting your child in reading, writing, maths and science.

Find key dates over the page and further details will follow.

DIVERSITY WEEK

This popular themed week event in our school calendar, is back and will be running during the first week back after half term.

The week is designed to celebrate all the differences that occur within our society in a range of forms so as to build greater understanding, tolerance and empathy. Each day there will be activities occurring to enhance the pupils' experiences—see the timetable below and please note the sessions parents are warmly invited to join us:

MONDAY 3rd NOV:

TUESDAY 4th NOV:

WED'DAY 5th NOV:

THURS 6th NOV

FRIDAY 7th NOV:

Also look out for some requests from your child's teacher for information and photos to celebrate the diversity of families. More details will follow

Good Behaviour:

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DATES FOR YOUR DIARIES: a second reminder

3.11.14: Return to school

Week beginning 31.10.14: Diversity Week

Week beginning 10.11.14: Y3 swimming starts

10.11.14: Foundation Stage Letters and Sounds Family Learning

17.11.14: Parents' Evening

18.11.14: Key stage 1 Reading Family Learning

Week beginning 23.11.14: Y5 swimming begins

25.11.14: Key Stage 2 Reading Family Learning

2.12.14: Key Stage 1 Writing family Learning

3.12.14: Christmas Disco

9.12.14: Christmas Crafts Family Learning

11.12.14: Cake Sale Day

12.12.14: Christmas Jumper Day

16.12.14: Christmas Performance

18.12.14: Christmas Parties

19.12.14: Break up for Christmas



REALLY USEFUL COURSE FOR PARENTS: PARENTING WITH CONFIDENCE

SCHOOL MEALS AUTUMN TERM LUNCH MENU

Your child will have brought home the Winter Lunch Menus for this term for your information. Knowsley School lunches offer excellent value for money at £1.70 (23p cheaper than the National average) and guarantee your child, every day with, two main course hot meal choices which include meat or fish and there is also a third choice option that includes a light bite. ALL Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 pupils are entitled to a FREE school lunch. Many of our Key Stage 2 children are also eligible for a free school meal. If you would like your child to have a school meal—especially as the colder days draw in, or if you wish to find out whether you may be eligible to free school meals if your child is in Y3, 4, 5 or 6—pop into school and speak to Mrs. Goodall.

Look out for our special school dinner promotional event which is to occur on the 5th November where a school dinner will be offered for £1 to pupils who are not eligible to free school meals. We shall also be raffling a kindle, provided by the school Meals Service, to anyone who chooses to have a school dinner on this day. Hope you will encourage your child to give school meals a try.



Successful appointments!!!

PARENT GOVERNOR

Following requests for nominations for the parent governor vacancy—we had one parent put forward. As a result we are thrilled to inform you that your new (and really keen) parent governor is Mr. Paul Maryon, father to Stella and

WELFARE ASSISTANT

We had a number of parents interested in this post which was so pleasing. Three candidates were taken through to an informal interview process and the successful applicant was Ms. Nicola Earle, who will be starting with us as soon as all the necessary checks have been made. *Congratulations to both new members of the school team, we are really looking forward to working with you both.*



STAR ASSEMBLY AUTUMN ROLE CALL!!!

Whoops!!! These pupils, who have received star assembly rewards this term missed a mentioning in the newsletters to date. Sorry and well done to you all:

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