

Friday 3rd October 2014

# **Beech Early Years, Infant and Junior School**

## **Weekly Newsletter**



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### **Lateness**

As part of our continued improvements in school we have been looking at the number of children who are often late for school. This has meant we have had to leave the doors open which means an adult has to remain in the cloakroom, this stops them working with the children.

We will now be closing the doors as soon as the children, who are on time, have entered the building. Anyone who arrives after this time will need to come in through the main entrance and will be marked as late.

### **Parents Evening**

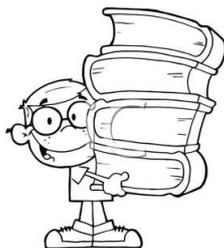
All parents will have received a letter about parent evenings. These will take place on  
Tuesday 14th October for Y6 and  
Thursday 16th October for Y5, Y4, Y3, Y2, Y1 and Reception.

Please return your appointment letter ASAP to ensure you can come at a time to suit you.

### **Do you know...**

#### **... you could volunteer in school?**

We are always looking for people to volunteer in school to listen to children read. This is open to parents, grandparents or members of the community. If you are able to give up even a small amount of time each week to come and listen to children read (in your own child's class or in another class) please contact the office.



### **Pupil Progress**

This week Mrs Palmer, Mrs Sinclair and Miss Crompton met with each class teacher. This meeting was to discuss every child in their class. We talked about:

- barriers to learning e.g. lateness and attendance and it's effect on children's progress.
- Children's progress so far this term.
- Children falling behind due to specific needs and how we can address these needs.

This ensures that the management team have a clear understanding of how well children are learning.

### Non-Uniform day

Next Friday will be a non-uniform day. We are asking that instead of a money donation—children bring in a donation of a bottle, (bubble-bath, pop, wine etc) or some chocolate.

These will be used as prizes at the Aspire Trust Launch next Saturday (11th October) at Royds Hall.

Everyone is welcome to join us a Royds where there will be activities and stalls to enjoy. The event starts at 10:00 and we look forward to seeing you there.

### Attendance

Our target is to have higher than 97% attendance in every class.

Unfortunately, as you can see below, only one class has been able to achieve this target this week.

Please make sure your child attends school every day as this has a significant impact on the progress they make.

Also, if your child is ill please make sure you contact the office in the morning and let us know they will not be attending school.

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Our target is to have higher than 97% attendance in every class. Well done to 2M for last week. Please make sure your child comes to school everyday.

Rec	1L	2M	3W	4N	5R	6C
94.33	92.61	98.15	94.35	94	96.54	94.29

### Weekly Celebration Certificates

Well done to the following children for receiving the certificates of achievement in Celebration

Rec	1L	2M	3W	4N	5R	6C
	Harmony	Lilyan	Libby	Cameran	Jeda	Sebastian
	Alfie	Bradley	Mason	Tyler	Bailey	Kiernan

### AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS WEEK COMMENCING 8TH SEPTEMBER

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Choir	Strictly Pennine Dance	Football	Netball	Archery

If you are interested in your child attending a sports club please speak to Mrs Peacock or speak to Mrs Liles or Miss Wilson if you are interested in choir. There will still be a £1 charge to attend choir as this is self funded.