



18/01/2019

Dear Parents/carers.

### Next week's Events

Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> Jan



There will be a competition for the most improved handwriting.

Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> Jan



Kingswood residential meeting for year 2 parents at 9am in school hall.

### VALENTINE DISCO



We will be having a Valentines Disco on Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> Feb tickets are on sale now from the school office £2 each this includes a hotdog and a drink.



### Attendance

If your child is absent from school could we please remind parents to call or e-mail the school before 9.30 am.

### Head lice

We have had numerous cases of head lice reported.

Can parents/carers please check children's hair on regular basis.

Treat and repeat so we can try and eradicate.



REMEMBER  
ONCE A WEEK,  
TAKE A PEEK

### Nursery

#### 2 Year Olds

This week the children have been busy making snowmen enhancing their mark making skills by decorating a hat. We have also been identifying the different facial features such as eyes, nose and mouth. The new starters are continuing to settle in nicely and have been making lots of new friends.



#### 3 Year Olds

The children have been learning about Polar Bears and their environment this week. The children used their knowledge to create a display. The children have been exploring textures and using the language of size to create 3 Polar Bears. The children have been practising their football skills with Amy in Mutliskills this week. The children have been preserving to learn two new letter sounds this week. We have been focusing on 'u' and 'b'. The children have been using their imitating skills to mark make in the areas of continuous provision. The children are really enjoying our daily phonics sessions.





## Reception

This week in Reception in our Understanding the World lessons the children have been learning about people who help us, they have been using their phonic knowledge to write labels for different uniforms. In their Expressive Arts and Design lessons the children have continued to look at the book 'Rosie Revere Engineer' and have designed and made some snake repellent hats just like the ones in the book. The children have been learning about numerals 11, 12 and 13 in their maths lessons. They have been matching numerals to quantities in our outdoor learning and have been ordering numbers up to 13. We have had daily RWI lessons where the children have learned new sounds and practiced blending and segmenting words with Fred the frog to help them read, and they have been practicing phase 3 tricky words. The children have had their weekly news lesson where they have been writing about what they have done over the weekend and during the week, using their phonic knowledge to sound out and write simple words and sentences, using capital letters and time markers independently. The children have been persevering with their pencil grip and letter formation in our handwriting lessons and have been practicing tracing and forming letters. The children have had their weekly gymnastic lesson with Natalie and they have taken part in a PE lesson with Amy which they all thoroughly enjoyed. The children enjoyed their weekly singing lesson with Hannah where they have been practicing some new songs.



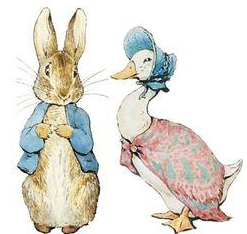
## Year 1

We have had an exciting week this week! Year 1 have enjoyed writing all about Muhammad Ali and being like Cathy the Capitalizing Cat. We were able to make links like Marvin of the features of a Church during our Church visit on Thursday. Year 1 have continued to work on Addition and Subtraction within 20 and are continuing to Persevere like Peter the Penguin. Finally, everyone looked absolutely fantastic dressed as lots of different celebrities on Friday. Well done Year 1 for another great week!

## Year 2

Year 2 have had a fulfilled busy week, as young writers they have used their knowledge which they learnt at The Helena Thompson Museum to support them write a detailed comparison of life now and life in the past. The children have also begun to learn about Beatrix Potter and wrote some lovely pieces of writing about Tom Kitten and Peter Rabbit. During Math's lessons the children have been learning about picture graphs or pictograms, the children have built up their confidence and can read and interpret these with ease. The children have continued their learning about staying healthy within Science and thought carefully about how exercise affects our bodies. Mr. Milner has been in school supporting the Ocarina club and Choir on Monday which the children thoroughly enjoy.

KS has made an appearance this week as the Kid Safe program has begun again, why not ask your child what they learnt during their Kid Safe session.



Powerful Learn of the week

<u>Class 1</u>	<u>Class 2</u>	<u>Class 3</u>	<u>Class 4</u>	<u>Class 5</u>	<u>Class 6</u>
Wiktoria Olinek	Conor Benson	Jamie Messenger	Joshua Robinson	Tyler Hodgson	Lexi Cowan

Outstanding Writer of the week

<u>Class 1</u>	<u>Class 2</u>	<u>Class 3</u>	<u>Class 4</u>	<u>Class 5</u>	<u>Class 6</u>
Harley Khajeh	Sonny Rogers	George Hardy	Bella Westray	Eden Millican	Georgia Hewer

Mathlete of the Week

<u>Class 1</u>	<u>Class 2</u>	<u>Class 3</u>	<u>Class 4</u>	<u>Class 5</u>	<u>Class 6</u>
Isabella Harrison-Jones	Jake Williamson	Connor James	Sammy Schofield	Katie Steele	Calvin Clements

Nursery Learner of the week

<u>Piglet AM</u>	<u>Piglet PM</u>	<u>Eeyore</u>	<u>Tigger AM</u>	<u>Tigger PM</u>	<u>Winnie</u>
Alayah Magill	Daisy-Mae McGawley-Lewis	Parker Quayle	Layla Carlton	Sophie Gill	Ezre Bell

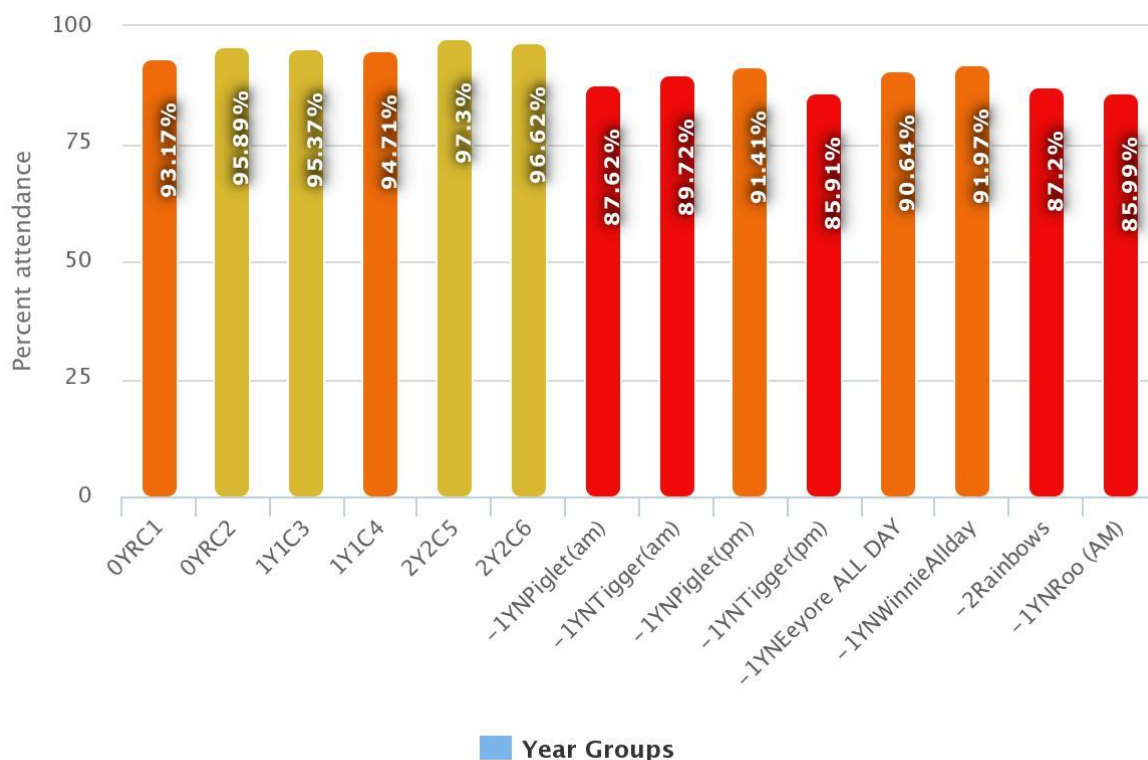
Nursery Writer of the week

<u>Piglet AM</u>	<u>Piglet PM</u>	<u>Eeyore</u>	<u>Tigger AM</u>	<u>Tigger PM</u>	<u>Winnie</u>
Amelia Miles	Beatrice Bell	Ariana Benshams	Erin Wilson	Flynn Peet	Mila Anderson

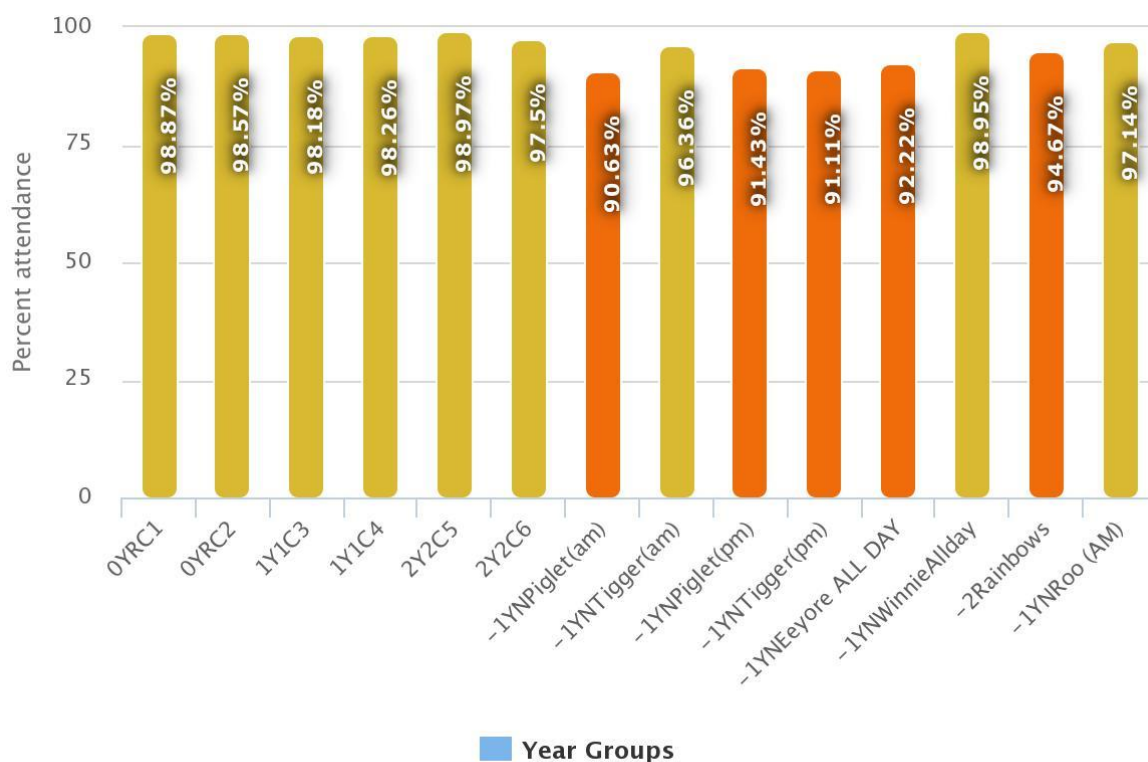


### Attendance Matters

Whole School Attendance 3<sup>rd</sup> September - 11<sup>th</sup> Jan 2019



Whole school attendance for last week 7<sup>th</sup> Jan 2019 to 11<sup>th</sup> Jan 2019



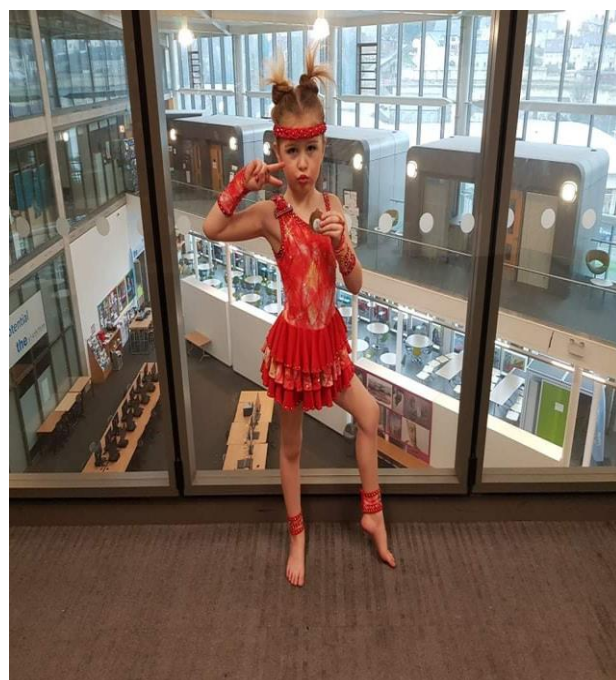
Well done to Class 5 who were last week's top attenders. Remember that attendance is vital to your child's progress let's see if your child's class can be the top attenders next week.



# Pupil's achievements outside of school

Well done to Evie Mitchell.

Evie danced at Darwin at the weekend bringing back 8 gold medals, 5 trophies, most promising, baby, aggregate, highest mark, highest duet mark in the section and winter star.



### Diary Dates

14 <sup>th</sup> January	Trainee teacher in class 6 begins	
14 <sup>th</sup> January	Nursery- PE coach KS1 Multi skills coach	
14 <sup>th</sup> January	Rock challenge practice begins for year 2/3 at Junior site. Children to be collected at Victoria Junior school- 4pm.	Year 2/3
15 <sup>th</sup> January	Student leaders meeting in school.	Student leaders
17 <sup>th</sup> January	Year one pupils will visit St Michael's Church	Year one
18 <sup>th</sup> January	Year 1 dress as a famous person day.	Year one
18 <sup>th</sup> January	Year 2 pupils being trained as PE leaders 11-12.	PE leaders year 2
18 <sup>th</sup> January	Rock challenge tickets orders need to be in today.	
21 <sup>st</sup> January	PE cluster meeting	PE leader
21 <sup>st</sup> January	Nursery- PE coach KS1 Multi skills coach	
21 <sup>st</sup> January	Rock challenge practice begins for year 2/3 at Junior site. Children to be collected at Victoria Junior school- 4pm.	
22 <sup>nd</sup> January	Kwick sticks hockey for KS1 pupils	KS1
22 <sup>nd</sup> January	Governor meeting for the Federation 4pm	All Governors
23 <sup>rd</sup> January	National handwriting day Completion for the most improved handwriting	All pupils
24 <sup>th</sup> January	Kingswood residential meeting for all year 2 parents. 9am	All year 2 children and parents
25 <sup>th</sup> January	Year 2 pupils being trained as PE leaders 11-12.	PE leaders year 2
28 <sup>th</sup> January	Nursery- PE coach KS1 Multi skills coach	
28 <sup>th</sup> January	Rock challenge practice begins for year 2/3 at Junior site. Children to be collected at Victoria Junior school- 4pm.	
31 <sup>st</sup> January	Coffee morning for parents	All parents
1 <sup>st</sup> February	Year 2 pupils being trained as PE leaders 11-12.	PE leaders Yr2

4 <sup>th</sup> February	Nursery- PE coach KS1 Multi skills coach	
4 <sup>th</sup> February	Rock challenge practice begins for year 2/3 at Junior site. Children to be collected at Victoria Junior school- 4pm.	Year 2/3
5 <sup>th</sup> February	World safer internet day Parents help session 9am and 2:30pm Pupils online safety questionnaire	All parents
5 <sup>th</sup> February	Chinese new year	
6 <sup>th</sup> February	SENCo cluster meeting  Geography/ history subject leader monitoring	
7 <sup>th</sup> February	Year 2 Beatrix Potter trip	All year 2 pupils
7 <sup>th</sup> February	Leanne Day- BLP update	
8 <sup>th</sup> February	Year 2 pupils being trained as PE leaders 11-12.	PE Leaders Yr 2
11 <sup>th</sup> February	Year 1 and 2 Tennis starts	
14 <sup>th</sup> February	Valentines disco 4:00pm-5:30pm	Rec, Yr 1 & 2
14 <sup>th</sup> February	Library van visits the school	All pupils
15 <sup>th</sup> February	HALF TERM	
18 <sup>TH</sup> February- 22 <sup>nd</sup> February	HOLIDAY CLUB AVAILABLE 8AM-5PM	
25 <sup>th</sup> February	Spring term 2 Pupils return to school	
25 <sup>th</sup> February	Red noses will go on sale	
25 <sup>TH</sup> February	Rock challenge practice begins for year 2/3 at Junior site. Children to be collected at Victoria Junior school- 4pm.	
27 <sup>TH</sup> February	Tennis starts for pupils	KS1 pupils
4 <sup>th</sup> March	Breakfast week Pupils will taste a variety of breakfasts over the week.	All pupils
5 <sup>th</sup> March	Pancake day Pupils will have pancakes at school	All pupils
5 <sup>th</sup> March	Student leader meeting	Student leaders

6 <sup>th</sup> March	Tennis KS1	
7 <sup>th</sup> March	World book day Pupils can come dressed as a character out of a book.	All pupils
11 <sup>th</sup> March	Common wealth day	
11 <sup>th</sup> March	British science week Pupils will be learning about science and have activities planned to help them investigate.	
14 <sup>th</sup> March	Rock Challenge Carlisle sands Centre Year 2/3 pupils involved	Year 2/3 pupils
15 <sup>th</sup> March	Red nose day Pupils can come to school in red	All pupils
15 <sup>th</sup> March	Rock Challenge pupils can wear their Rock Challenge t-shirts to school.	Rock Challenge pupils
25 <sup>th</sup> March	Easter activity week	
25 <sup>th</sup> March	Easter bonnets, eggs and Easter egg hunt. Detail to follow.	
28 <sup>th</sup> March	Easter raffle drawn Easter prizes handed out in assembly.	
29 <sup>th</sup> March	Wear a hat for brain tumour research. £1 donation.	
29 <sup>th</sup> March	Finish for Easter 12:45pm Holiday Club available 1.4.2019-12.4.19	
1 <sup>st</sup> April-12 <sup>th</sup> April	<b>HOLIDAY CLUB EASTER ACTIVITIES 8AM-5PM</b>	
1 <sup>st</sup> April-12 <sup>th</sup> April	<b>EASTER HOLIDAYS</b>	

Please note for the most up to date list of activities and events please visit the school website. [www.victoriaschool.org.uk](http://www.victoriaschool.org.uk) or contact [admin@victoria-inf-workington.cumbria.sch.uk](mailto:admin@victoria-inf-workington.cumbria.sch.uk)