



Being the best you can be.

Dear Parents and Carers,

As our spring half term comes to an end the children have been rising to the challenges of their new learning and demonstrating our value of courage. In assembly this week each year group shared what they have been doing to learn about courage. Some children talked about learning a new skill, teaching their class to say hello in their own language, learning a new song, taking part in booster groups to tackle difficult questions and Reception even made “brave bangles” to wear. Next half term we will focus on curiosity.

Over the years many different crazes come into schools-Pokemon cards, football cards and squidgey’s to name but a few. Unfortunately though some of the crazes are not good. This week we have had a few incidents of children hurting each other because they are copying a Youtube video involving children who have had a hair cut. This craze will not be tolerated in school and we would be grateful if you could reinforce this with your child.

This week Year 3 faced the rain and wind to visit Dudley Canal to learn about life on the canal to support their “Deep Water” project. The children enjoyed hearing about canal life and braved a very wet boat ride.

Our Diversity Week was enjoyed by all the children. Thank you to all the parents and families who sent in photographs, pictures and shared their family stories. The classes will display their photographs and when new children join our school we will celebrate their culture and heritage.



Courage

We show courage by being ambitious, challenging ourselves and others to achieve more. We take on challenges with enthusiasm, determination, and resilience, learning from failures.

Have a great weekend and a happy and safe half term. We look forward to welcoming children back to school on Monday 19th February.

Mrs Sugars



Important reminder—we are a
nut free school

Communication: If you have an issue or question, please ensure that you follow the school’s communication policy and make contact with your **child’s class teacher** via Class-charts, telephone or email in the first instance. If you then require additional support, please ask to speak to the **Year Leader**, then a member of SLT.



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Absences

If your child will not be in school, please call the school office *each* morning of their absence to record it. State their name, class number and the reason for absence.

Please **do not** send absence message via class charts.

School Time: Start of the day-main gates open at 8.40am and classroom doors will open at 8,45am. School starts at 8.55am. End of the day– main gates will open at 3.10am. The school day ends at 3,15pm. No-one, including siblings under the age of 16 are allowed to drop off or collect children from school. Thankyou.

To adhere to our school policy , if your child has sickness or tummy upset, please keep them home for 2 days from the last bout of illness.

Medications/Inhalers

Please bring any medications through to the school office. All medications/inhalers need to be in their original box, in date and labelled with the child's name. A pupil medication form will need to be completed at each new term.

Dates for your Diary

Half term 12th-16th February

Monday 19th February	School opens to all pupils after half term
Wednesday 20th February	Year 5 & 6 Boys Football– Walsall E-Act 3.00—5.30pm
Tuesday 27th February	Martial Arts club starts in school
Wednesday 28th February	Year 5 & 6 Girls Football—Walsall E-Act 3.00—5.30pm
Friday 1st March—Wed 6th March	Book Fair (details to follow)
Thursday 7th March	KS1 Cinema Night—ticket event (details to follow)
Thursday 21st March	KS2 Cinema Night—ticket event (details to follow)
Friday 22nd March 20th March	Easter Bonnet Parade/design an Egg—all Entries to be in for Wed



Polite safeguarding Reminder

Please be vigilant when your children are accessing content on their iPad/devices, lots of programmes are marketed towards children but have content that is not appropriate for children, please always check any age restrictions that may be in place before allowing children to access content both online and on television.



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Our Fibbersley Stars for this week.

Well done to...

R 1	Japleen & Reign	2 2	Anaiya & Lottie	4 3	Alicia & Zion
R 2	Dara & Teti	2 3	Manroop & Inara	5 1	Ashayla & Jared
R 3	Agamjot & Jasleen	3 1	Koby & Ruben	5 2	Ustat & Nadyah
1 1	Layton & Brooklyn	3 2	Haswin & Awwal	5 3	Nikolai & Logan
1 2	Israel & Beau	3 3	Everyone!	6 1	Lucas & Jasmine
1 3	Blaise & Orla-Bree	4 1	Ayumikun & Bryan-Kelly	6 2	Aryan & Poppy
2 1	Ava-Ann & Saji	4 2	Evie & Blaise	6 3	Liam & Gracie-Mai
		Nursery	Gavin, Ruby-Leigh & Ekam		



All our Fibbersley Stars will receive their certificates in assembly on Friday.

Congratulations to the classes with the highest attendance in each Year Group.

R 1 93%

1 3 92.8%

2 1 93.6%

3 3 95%

4 3 93%

5 3 94%

6 3 93.6%

Our school target is 93%. Attendance matters!