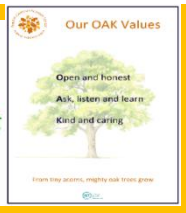
Drayton Community Infant School

Weekly Newsletter

19/01/26





We will be doing our best to keep all the values in school this week

Open and Honest

Ask Listen and Learn

Kind and Caring

Dear Families

This week our value is Honest. In Assembly Mrs. Boyce told some lies and some truths about herself and the children had a guess at which statements were true and which were not. The children watched The Truth according to Arthur and answered questions about the video. Telling the truth is kind, builds trust and creates the foundation of friendships and relationships. The children will do their best to tell the truth and be honest this week.

Have a great week.

Sarah Hutt and Lou Boyce and the DCIS Team

Attendance

8.20am	**Gates Open**
8.30am	**Classroom doors open**
8.40am	**Gates Closed** **Classroom doors close**
3pm	**End of the school day.**

Attendance last week	Attendance this term (up to 16.01.26)
94.27%	93.31%

Our aim is to maintain attendance above 96%. Thank you for your continued support

January Eco-Schools Litter Picking!



If you would like to sign up for the litter pick please complete the form below:
Litter Pick Sign-Up

Parent Forum

Parent Forum met last week. We had a positive discussion about communication, end of the day let out times, WEDUC and the Christmas productions. If you have been missing the Sunday afternoon update for the week, please could you feed that back to your representatives.

Abigail Etchels – Fox
Debbie Bowers – Rabbit
Rebecca Patterson – Mole
Rebecca Perry – Squirrel
Rebecca Shaw – Hedgehog
Maddy Marriage - Badger

Mrs Boyce will investigate getting titles put on WEDUC notifications.
The minutes of the meeting will be available soon.
If you would like to join us please contact the school office.

Year 1 – History of Toys



Vacancies

Wraparound Support Playworker – Drayton Community Infant School

We are interested to hear from parents/carers who may be interested to work 2 hours a week (Friday 3-5pm) as a Wraparound Support Playworker to supervise, guide and assist the children attending our after-school provision at Drayton Community Infant School.

Please contact the school office for a full job description and an application form.

2 EYFS Midday Supervisory Assistant (MSAs) – Nightingale Infant and Nursery School

Nightingale Infant and Nursery are seeking to appoint two part-time EYFS Midday Supervisory Assistants, please follow the link for further information on the role and how to apply:

https://www.educationjobfinder.org.uk/job

Maths Big Share – Parents invited into school

Miss Yaxley, our maths lead will be holding two maths events for parents next half term.
The events are for Year 1 and Year 2 and will focus on addition and subtraction, with one for Reception being held later in the year once the children begin more work around calculations.
Year 1 – Wednesday 25th February – 9.00-10.00
Year 2 – Wednesday 4th March – 9.00-10.00
Sessions will start in the hall with parents then taken to their child's class to enjoy a range of hands-on activities with the children. We hope to see you there.

Fundraising

The team are continuing to look at ways we can raise money for the school and also provide some fun events for both the children and their families.

We have pencilled in a family prize bingo night on Friday 20th March. More information to follow very soon!

Dental Screenings 4th February

Beechcroft Dental Practice are offering free NHS oral health screenings at school on Wednesday 4th February. During their visit the team will carry out an oral health screening and offer oral health advice, your child will then be registered with Beechcroft Dental Practice (if not already registered elsewhere).

For further information or to pick up registration forms please visit the school office. Screenings will only be carried out for children with completed forms.

Running Club

Running Club is back on in the morning
8.05 at the main gate
It is essential that the children have a change of shoes for the club please. The grass is always wet this time of year and their socks and shoes get wet.
See you in the morning

Mrs Boyce and Mrs Gamson



Of footwear needed please

Dates for the diary

Reception – Yellow	Year 1 – Blue	Year 2 – Green	Whole school –NO COLOUR	KS1(Y1&Y2) - Grey

January		
6th Jan		School Reopens for Spring Term 1
15th Jan		Parent Forum Meeting
30th Jan		Eco School Litter Pick
February		
4th Feb		Toy Show
4th Feb		Dental Oral Health Screenings
13th Feb		Last day Spring Term 1
23rd Feb		School re-opens Spring Term 2
25th Feb		Book Fair after school every day until 3rd March.
25th Feb	9.00-10.00	Year 2 Parent Maths Big Share – parents invited into school
March		
4th Feb	9.00-10.00	Year 1 Parent Maths Big Share – parents invited into school
20th March	6.30-7.30	Save the date – Family Prize Bingo night at school! More information to follow
27th March		Last day Spring Term 2
April		
14th April		School re-opens Summer Term 1
May		
13th May		Class Photos
4th May		School Closed Bank Holiday
22nd May		Last day Summer Term 1
June		
1st June		School re-opens Summer Term 2
8th, 9th, 10th		Reception Vision and Hearing Screenings.
July		
17th July		Last day Summer Term 2

Term dates

