



Marlfields Primary Academy

Where Children Come First



A message from
Mrs Sleath.....

10th January 2025

Dear Parents / Carers,

We hope that you have all had a lovely festive period and are feeling fresh and well-rested ready for another busy term.

As we welcome the children back to school after Christmas, the school has been transformed into a snowy winter wonderland.

I would like to pass on a huge THANK YOU to all our families and staff who made it into school despite such treacherous conditions.

Despite the difficulties the weather caused it has been a joy to see the children enjoying the snow and building some impressive snowmen.

Take a look at our blog to see how much the children have enjoyed playing outside.

Mrs Sleath and the Marlfields Team.



Class	Attendance
Nursery	89.75%
Reception	95.47%
Class 1	91.72%
Class 2	94.16%
Class 3	91.37%
Class 4	95.6%
Class 5	93.74%
Class 6	90.78%
Bluebell	92.95%

This Week's Winner
is:

Class 4
with
95.6%



Our whole school
attendance target is
96.4%.

This week our school
attendance was

92.95%

Important dates

- 16.01.25 Yr 6 SATS INFORMATION EVENING
- 28.01.25 Yr 5 CLASS ASSEMBLY & ENTERPRISE
- 27.01.25 PARENTS EVENING 5:00 - 7:00pm
- 28.01.25 PARENTS EVENING 3:30 - 5:30pm
- 04.02.25 Yr 1 CLASS ASSEMBLY & ENTERPRISE
- 06.02.25 YOUNG VOICES
- 11.02.25 SAFER INTERNET DAY
- 14.02.25 SCHOOL CLOSURES FOR HALF TERM
- 25.02.25 SCHOOL RE-OPENS FOR CHILDREN
- 06.03.25 WORLD BOOK DAY
- 11.03.25 Yr 2 CLASS ASSEMBLY & ENTERPRISE
- 21.03.25 COMIC RELIEF FUNDRAISER
- 19.03.25 SWIMATHON
- 03.04.25 EYFS EASTER BONNET PARADE - 9:30am
- 04.04.25 END OF TERM
- 22.04.25 SCHOOL RE-OPENS FOR CHILDREN
- 05.05.25 MAY BANK HOLIDAY
- 02.05.25 to 23.05.25 YEAR 2 SATS w/b
- 12.05.25 YR 6 SATS
- 19.05.25 Yr 6 ENTERPRISE & LEAVERS ASSEMBLY
- 23.05.25 SCHOOL CLOSURES FOR HALF TERM
- 03.06.25 SCHOOL RE-OPENS FOR CHILDREN w/b
- 09.06.25 PHONICS SCREENING
- 17.06.25 SPORTS DAY
- 08.07.25 REC. CLASS ASSEMBLY & ENTERPRISE
- 16.07.25 LEAVERS SHOW - 6:00pm

Please see above, dates for the rest of the academic year. There are a few more dates to be confirmed. As soon as they are, we will add them to the list.

SPOTLIGHT THIS WEEK IS
FUN IN THE SNOW



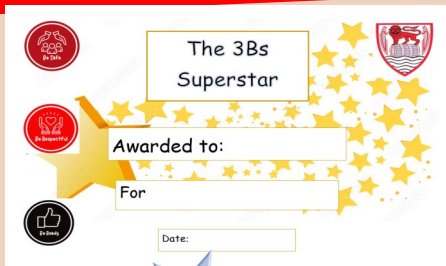
Writer of the Week

Awarded to :

For

Date

Rewards and Celebrations



Bluebell:

Logan Curwen

Reception:

Milo Moses

Year 1:

Lyla Mountford

Year 2:

Loki Matthews

Year 3:

Parker Potts

Year 4:

Pippa Clarke

Year 5:

Elliot Rosson

Year 6:

Ashton Mountford

Bluebell:

Leo Shirley

Reception:

Blue Ramie

Year 1:

Oliver Welch

Year 2:

Anya Costin-Davis

Year 3:

Cara Murphy

Year 4:

Gracie Pownall

Year 5:

Tiarnae Riley

Year 6:

Georgia Pownall

Bluebell:

Patrick Cullen

Reception:

Delaney Brinkman

Year 1:

Steven Cooke

Year 2:

Layla Ara-Nott

Year 3:

Gabriella Pownall

Year 4:

Junior Caines

Year 5:

Izzy Beaden

Year 6:

Naomi Ball

Bluebell:

Aria-Ashleigh Shaw

Reception:

Emma Goodwin

Year 1:

Hallie Latham

Year 2:

Hallie Cooper

Year 3:

Jacob Ball

Year 4:

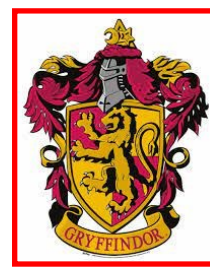
Lucy Horton

Year 5:

Rory Press

Year 6:

James Essex



REMINDERS

May we take this opportunity to remind you of a few things -

- Red sweatshirts are to be worn unless it is outdoor PE, when black hoodies may be worn
- Children should have a coat, hat, gloves, etc with them during the winter months
- In extreme weather like this week it might be a good idea to send in spare socks/shoes
- Pre-order lunches where possible, although children can now chose on the day
- Marlfields is a NUT FREE school due to allergies so please do not sent any products in for snack/lunch which may contain nuts, including chocolate spread.
- Inform school by 9:30am of any absence
- Let us know in good time if someone other than yourself will be collecting your child
- From next week all communications (other than phone calls) from school will be via Arbor. If you are still unable to log in via the Arbor app, and selecting forgotten password, call in to see Mrs Yoxall who will try to help.

SWIMMING

Swimming for Years 3 & 4 will re-commence next Wednesday (15th January).

Please ensure that your child has their kit with them on that day.

P.E. ENRICHMENT DAY

Could all children from Reception to Year 6 come to school in their P.E. Kits.

We have a visitor coming in to school to provide the children with a P.E. Enrichment Day.

Our children always enjoy taking part in different sports, we hope they enjoy it again.

CLUBS

IF YOUR CHILD WANTS TO JOIN ANY OF OUR AFTER-SCHOOL CLUBS ENSURE YOU COMPLETE THE CLUB SECTION ON ARBOR, BY NOON ON MONDAY TO ENSURE YOUR CHILD GETS A PLACE AT THEIR CHOSEN CLUB.

CLUBS START NEXT WEEK.

HOLIDAY DATES

Academic Year 2024 - 2025

	SCHOOL OPENS FOR CHILDREN	SCHOOL CLOSES FOR CHILDREN
Autumn 1	03.09.24	25.10.24
Half Term		
Autumn 2	05.11.24	20.12.24
CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY		
Spring 1	07.01.25	14.02.25
Half Term		
Spring 2	25.02.25	04.04.25
EASTER HOLIDAY		
Summer 1	22.04.25	23.05.25
Half Term		
Summer 2	03.06.25	22.07.25
INSET DAYS		
02.09.24 04.11.24 06.01.25		
24.02.25 02.06.25		

The Children's Bladder and Bowel Society

These FREE webinars are designed for parents and carers who have children facing challenges related to the bowels and bladder. Our aim is to give you more information about interventions that can be offered to manage ongoing bowel emptying problems, prevent soiling, constipation and bed wetting.

Talking more about poo
January 14th 7pm-8.30pm

Talking about wee and poo
January 16th 7pm-8.30pm

Talking more about wee
January 21th 7pm-8.30pm

