

Dane Bank Primary School Newsletter

Friday 27th January 2023

This week has been really busy in school and this morning I had the pleasure of listening to some absolutely beautiful singing from Key Stage Two children as they had their singing assembly with Miss Kent. I know the choir are continuing to work hard and have a great repertoire of songs now—we are hoping to put together a short showcase later this year. On Tuesday we had a visitor in school to evaluate our curriculum and teaching—he was absolutely blown away by our children and how well they behave in their classrooms. I was so incredibly proud! Have a lovely weekend, Mrs Lennon 😊

Teacher Strike Days

This afternoon you should have received a letter advising about the teacher strikes and which classes we know will be closed/open. If your child's class was not listed on this letter, we will advise you as soon as we possibly can. If you have any questions, or are concerned about anything, please contact the school office and we will do our best to help. Thank you.

Communications

It has come to my attention that some parents may not have been receiving messages from us via email—can I ask that if this appears to be the case for you, that you contact the office and check we have up to date email addresses for you. That way we can be more assured that messages are getting out properly.

Stars of the Week 27.01.23



These children have been chosen by their teacher to receive the "Star of the Week" certificate in Friday assembly—what a great achievement!

We are very proud of them all.



Nursery: **Phoebe Hindle** : For always being helpful.

Reception: **Mason Firth-Evans** : For settling in to Reception class so wonderfully—we are all proud of you Mason!

Year One: **Lenny Stokes** : For demonstrating a good attitude to learning.

Year Two: **James Latham**: For amazing work in Maths.

Year Three : **Anais Henry** : For showing willingness to answer questions and contribute to all lessons.

Year Four : **Zac Spencer** : For always setting a good example to others.

Year Five : **Joshua Roberts** : For getting 'stuck in' to every lesson!

Year Six : **Eloise-Poppy Watson** : For being thoughtful and insightful.

Attendance this week

This year we are having a renewed focus on attendance and aiming to reach our school target of 97%. Each week I will publish the attendance % for each class.

In assembly each Monday, we will share the attendance and the class with the highest attendance will receive a point. The winning class will choose a treat at the end of the half term!

Reception = 96%

Year One = 87%

Year Two = 97%

Year Three = 97%

Year Four = 95%

Year Five = 92%

Year Six = 97%

And the winners this week are...



Year 2, Year 3 and Year 6 — congratulations to them!



