

# Dane Bank Primary School Newsletter



Friday 26th January 2024



This has been another lovely (albeit very cold!) week in school. I have seen some fantastic work going on around school: Year 3 have been so excited about their new book they are reading—"Dragon Story"; Year 6 have been busy creating PowerPoints to share with each other about their History topic "The Early Islamic Civilization" and I saw Year 2 investigating materials in Science. What I was most proud of when I popped in to these lessons was how well the children were working together in pairs and groups—they were listening to each other so well and really demonstrating our school value of "respect" towards each other—which was amazing to see.

I hope everyone has a lovely weekend. Mrs Lennon ☺

## Online Safety

Just a reminder that, on our website, parents can find a variety of parent info leaflets regarding how to keep your children safe online: <https://www.danebank.tameside.sch.uk/computing/>

We are hoping to run a parent workshop on this subject shortly—so keep your eyes out for a date!

## Date for the diary

Just a reminder of the date for Parents' Evening this term:

Tuesday 26th January from 1.15pm

Wednesday 27th January from 3.30pm

We look forward to seeing many of you then.

## Stars of the Week 26.01.24



These children have been chosen by their teacher to receive the "Star of the Week" certificate in Friday assembly—all certificates link to our 6 school values.

**Respect, Kindness, Resilience, Empathy, Responsibility, Fairness**

Nursery: **Edward Rowston** : For working really hard in Phonics. (**Responsibility**)

Reception: **Krishna Subedi** : For super engagement during carpet time. (**Respect**)

Year One: **Hope Shackleton** : For having a fabulous week and working hard. (**All the values!**)

Year Two: **Haram Fatima** : For great dedication to her work and presentation of her work. (**Resilience**)

Year Three : **Dexter Taylor** : For amazing reading progress and having a fantastic attitude. (**Responsibility**)

Year Four : **Ryder Finnigan** : For showing great **resilience** with his reading.

Year Five : **Siena Davenport** : For taking **responsibility** for her learning.

Year Six : **Zain Hussain** : For being a very **responsible, fair and kind** Play Leader on the Key Stage 1 playground.

## 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 = 93.7%**

**Year One = 97.7%**

**Year Two = 96.4%**

**Year Three = 95.9%**

**Year Four = 84.8%**

**Year Five = 99%**

**Year Six = 96.5%**

**And the winners this week are...**

**Year 5 — Congratulations to them!**

