











MARY SCHO

### WELCOME BACK

I hope you all had a lovely break.

I'm sure you will have heard that the special treat for the children on the first day back was M & M Theatre Company performing Robin Hood. The children thoroughly enjoyed the performance.

# Working Parents/Carers

Do any Parents/Carers work at RBS or Asda?? If so please can you contact the school office. We need your help!

## School Closures

School closes at 3.15pm on Friday 9 February for one week.

School re-opens again on Monday 19 February at 8.45am for Nursery children and 8.55am for school children.

School closes at 3.15pm on **Thursday 29 March** for two weeks Easter holiday.

School re-opens again on **Monday 16 April** at **8.45am** for Nursery children and **8.55am** for school children.

Please can you make every effort to get your children to school <u>on time</u> so that they don't miss out on important information.

## Celebrity Guest

We were delighted to welcome a special celebrity guest to visit our school on 23 January. Dame Darcey Bussell came to see us and gave a demonstration of DDMIX which is a dance programme that she has devised. All Key Stage 2 children joined in and seemed to really enjoy themselves. We were very privileged to meet such a delightful lady. Photographs will be available on the school website very soon.

#### 100% Attendance

The winners of the 100% Attendance and Punctuality for the Autumn Term were—Samantha Moulding—Rec S and Tasha Robson—3/4W. Well done girls! Enjoy your fantastic prizes.

#### REMINDER

School starts at 8.55am and doors are open to classrooms at 8.50am.

Please can you make every effort to get your child into school <u>on</u> time.





Imogin Stoker—1/2D—for working independently.

Lily Boss-1/2D— for always working hard and doing her best.

Nikita Sadovskij-1/2MC-for being a Maths superstar.

Joseph Moulding-1/2MC-for being independent.

Wish Daniel—2R—for always giving 100% effort in everything she does.

David Fletcher-2R-for great English and Maths work this week.

Amy Moulding-3/4I-for taking pride in her work and researching volcanoes at home.

Kaiden Myers-3/4I-for solving Maths problems and explaining his reasoning.

Milad Hewah—3/4T—for putting his hand up to answer questions in all lessons.

Ayan Mohamed-3T-for always working hard with a positive attitude.

Kayla Haynes—3/4W—for hard work in Maths.

Lexi Cole-3/4W-for beautiful handwriting in every lesson.

Reece Stephenson-5/6A—for being a fantastic assistant in French

Kaddy Grieves-5/6A-for being a superb role model in all lessons.

Gabriel Knox-5WH—for fantastic Maths work.

Spencer Forsyth-5WH-for amazing work at all times.

Michael Williams-6P-an impressive start to the year with an amazing attitude.

Grace Best-6P-for sheer determination and perseverance.

#### **Good Manners**

The following children received a certificate from the cooks:

Shanice Humphrey-RecS, Hayden Robson-RecS, Humairah Jannah-5/6A,

Caeleb Sykes-5/6A, Owen Hurst-5WH, Kayla Haynes-3/4P.

Georgia Brown-1/2D, Bobby Hill-6D, Mason Eaton-Rec S, Rhiannon Duncan-3T, Miri Sheh Marlin Daniel-5WH.

Mohammad Khan-1/2D, Shauna Pegram-5/6A, Demi Willis-RecL, Skye Holmwood-1/2MC, Thornton-5WH, Gabriel Knox-5WH.

#### ATTENDANCE & LATENESS (Attendance Target is 97%)

Whole school attendance for week ending 12 January was 93.04%.

1285 minutes were lost, which amounts to 21 hours & 25 minutes and is a result of 41 children.

Whole school attendance for week ending 19 January was 87.76%.

2063 minutes were lost, which amounts to 34 hours & 23 minutes and is a result of 84 children.

Some tips to help you get your children to school on time:

- Earlier bed times.
- Set your alarm clock to wake you up 30 minutes earlier.
- Get school clothes ready the night before.
- Don't let children watch TV while having breakfast/getting ready.