

Essex County Council

Sheering Church of England
Primary School

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Attendance: 93.67%

Friday 22nd March 2024

Dear Parents,

This week at Sheering school, as part of our Christian distinctiveness and RE lessons, the children have been reminded of the Easter story and demonstrated their understanding very well when Rev'd Dawn came to lead collective worship yesterday.

Our Christian value for this half term has been Forgiveness but we have also been exploring Respect to help remind the children about always speaking kindly to each other and not answering back when adults ask them to do something. The school and home can work together in reinforcing these values if the children are back-chatting you at home.

Attendance

I have started to add attendance to my newsletter as many of our children are falling into the category of 'persistent absentees' because their attendance is less than 90%. While childhood illnesses have been a factor, term-time holidays is the main cause of low attendance at Sheering school. As you know, low attendance affects achievement and I would like to work together to try and improve this. If your child has fallen into the category of persistent absentee, you will receive a phone call from Mrs Ansell or myself to see where we can support you in getting your child(ren) to school.

Happy Book

In the Happy Book this week; Sophia and Amalie thanked Poppy for being well-behaved and listening to them; Bethany thanked Amalie, Isabelle and Minnie for being such great friends; Amalie thanked Bethany for fixing her computer; Mrs Davidson thanked Scarlett for being a superstar at football club this week and for being so helpful.

Achievement from Home and School

Home: Catherine scored 100% in her recent LAMDA exam; Harry shared his medal which he was awarded for taking part in a rugby competition; Ela and Lia have passed their Level 4 assessments in gymnastics; Leia has achieved her Learn to Swim Level 4 and took part in 5 performances which included many different styles of dance and costume changes!

School: Our class **Spelling Shed Superstar** is Quickbury class with 58,568,681 points and our **Top 20 Super Spellers** are Noah, Harry, Laura, Harper, Robin, Poppy, Harry, Fay, Harry, Mya, Amalie, Evelyn, Jessica, Isabelle, Poppy, Leo, Charlie, Catherine, Finley and Patrick. Our **Maths Shed Superstar** is Copeland class with 23,535,069 points and our Top 20 Mathematicians are Archie, Radhika, George, (Jan Bellard), Ray, Lilly, Edith, Thea, Charlie, Isabelle, Laura, Mya, Catherine, Poppy, Noah Patrick, Charlie, Harry, Evelyn and Leo. Our **Times Table Rockstars** are; Lyra, Sophia, Fay, Belle, Lilly Mai, Phoebe and Kayla. Our noteworthy **Numbots** are Mya, Lenny, Poppy, Bunni, Leo, Teddy, Sienna, Evelyn, Oliver, Harry, Robin, Lenny, Teddy, Aaron and George.

Roll of Honour

Children who have remembered the importance of speaking respectfully to other children and adults.

Copeland: Charlie speaks to everyone in a polite and respectful manner.

Durrington: Louie very kindly shared his skills this week, using encouraging words and explaining carefully to his friends what they needed to do to create some wonderful cards.

Fitzwalter: Sophia has always been consistent in the way that she speaks to others.

Quickbury: Jessica speaks to everyone in a respectful way and is aware of the importance of speaking nicely.

Birthdays

This morning, we sang the birthday song to Sophia, Leia, Lenny, Jessica, Finley, Poppy and Macy.

Star of the Week

My Star of the Week is Minnie for taking a risk with her learning and for having great success in everything she does.

Letters/Parentmail Home:

Parent Consultations reminder

Easter bonnet competition

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Dates

Please note these dates are subject to change if necessary.

Monday 25th March: Parent consultations 3:30-6:00

Wednesday 27th March: Parent consultations 3:30-6:00

Thursday 28th March: Last day of Spring term

Monday 15th April: Summer term begins

Monday 13th-Thursday 16th May: Year 6 SATs week

Have a good weekend,

Mrs Lorna Brittain
Headteacher