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Dear Parents and Carers,

It has been lovely to spend time with the children in their classes this week and at playtimes. Our curriculum focus for this half term is writing and it has been good to see all the children, but especially in Copeland class, making good progress with their writing skills and being absorbed in their work.

The playleaders have been doing an amazing job at lunchtimes organising games, keeping the sheds tidy and helping the younger children. We celebrated their achievements in Team assembly this morning as they have all completed their **Sport Leader** awards and were presented with certificates.

We also celebrated children who have been demonstrating our TERRIFIC (Christian) values through the 40 Acts of Kindness this week. Our task for today, for the children, was to make someone a snack or drink without being asked. Do let me know if your child(ren) does this for you over the weekend.

Achievement from Home and School

Home: Joshua proudly told us about his achievement in swimming and was presented with a certificate and badge. **School:** The following children have all achieved their **Bronze Mathletics** award: Lucy, Mitchell, Kristian, Francesca, Freddie, Amalie, Kenny, Jessica, Lily Mae, Jacob, Oskar, Tate, Lilly, Maddy, Cameron, Sebbie, Evie, Sonny, Harry N, Patrick, Isabelle D, Joshua I, Isabella O and Ruby T. Congratulations go to Lily Mae, Kristian, Lilly, Tate, Sonny and Patrick for achieving their **Silver Mathletics** award. Well done Lily Mae for achieving the **Gold Mathletics** award. Super Spelling on **Spellzone** this week from: Sonny, Francesca, Tate, Izzy W, Madison, Lilly, Lily Mae, Oliver, Sebbie, Siena, Harry N, Spencer, Finley and Thea. Poppy W, Belle, Amalie and Amelie were presented with their **Bronze certificate** for **Building Learning Power**.

Well done children. You are all TERRIFIC!

Happy Book

In the Happy Book this week: Mrs Ansell thanked the Quickbury Sport Leaders for organising exciting new games at lunchtimes, Luke wanted to thank Tom, Harry, Oliver and Kristian for being good friends, Emily and Harriet thanked Mr Downey for walking the long journey to school when his lift got stuck in traffic.

Roll of Honour

Our Learning Heroes this week: Children who have carried out acts of kindness this week.

Copeland: Sophia showed great kindness towards another child when he visited Copeland class.

Durrington: Isabelle helps the other children with their work, encouraging them all the time.

Fitzwalter: Kenny and Ruby have carried out many acts of kindness this week and even found a 'friendship tree'.

Quickbury: Kristian has shown real kindness to ensure he is inclusive to others and he always encourages others. Well done children. You are all TERRIFIC!

Learning Hero

My Star of the Week is Francesca for the kindness she always shows others and also for the TERRIFIC progress she has made with her reading, writing and in maths.

Letters/Parentmail Home

PTFA events: Easter disco and Mother's Day gift shop

Essex Music lessons

Birthdays: This morning we sang the Birthday Song to Thea (10), Jessica (11) and Sophia (5) who will all be celebrating their birthdays in the coming week.

Diary Dates

Tuesday 26th March: Parent Consultations with creche 3:15-5:30pm
Book Bus in school all day

Thursday 28th March: Mother's Day service in church (9:30)
Mother's Day lunch in school (12:00)

Wednesday 3rd April: Parent Consultations (5:00-8:00pm)

Thursday 4th April: Easter service in school (9:30)

Friday 5th April: End of term

Tuesday 23rd April: Summer term begins

Monday May 13th: Year 6 SATS week

Friday 24th May: Inset day

Monday 27th May-Friday 31st May: Half term holiday

Wednesday 12th June-Friday 14th June: Kingswood

Thursday June 20th: Class photos

Have a lovely weekend,

Mrs Lorna Brittain