

13/01/2023



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Dear parents and carers,

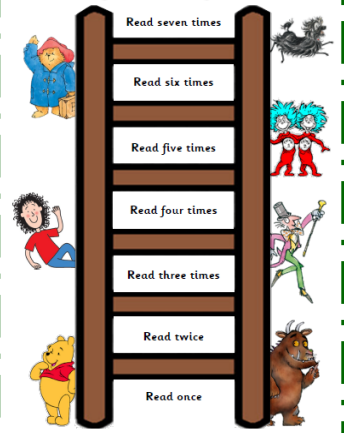
I hope that you are following us on Twitter to see all the exciting learning/activities we have been up to this week!

Our year 3 children have taken part in a mini-medics course and learned lots of first aid skills in preparation for their new roles-see overleaf for all the detail. In KS2 it has been a very musical week with the pupils learning to play the glockenspiels and the ukuleles. In KS1 everyone has been using their design & technology skills to investigate different structures and enjoying being creative. Space has been the theme in EYFS and our nursery/reception children have been finding out lots of fun facts!

We have also had some Biddulph High School students join us this week too- they have been teaching the children dance routines in preparation for the Inspire Dance Show. They have also been weeding and planting bulbs in the top yard planters as part of their Duke of Edinburgh Award project. THANK YOU to the BHS students-it is great to work in partnership.

We hope you have a nice weekend from Mrs Jukes and the Oxhey Staff Team.

### Ready, Steady, READ!



### Ready, Steady, READ! - Results

The results are based on the number of children who have read four or more times in the week.

<b>1st place</b>	<b>Sparkly Spiders</b>	<b>100%</b>
<b>2nd place</b>	<b>Dazzling Dragonflies</b>	<b>88%</b>
<b>3rd place</b>	<b>Fabulous Foxes</b>	<b>75%</b>

Well done to everyone who read and took part in the challenge last week.

### Attendance

Sparkly Spiders	93.32%
Dazzling Dragonflies	94.84%
Amazing Alligators	96.29%
<b>Perfect Pandas</b>	<b>97.14%</b>
Terrific Turtles	95.75%
Marvellous Meerkats	96.49%
Outstanding Owls	97.07%
Fabulous Foxes	94.94%
This week's Whole School Attendance	
	95.8%

### House Points

<b>Gryffindor</b>	<b>800</b>
<b>Hufflepuff</b>	<b>868</b>
<b>Ravenclaw</b>	<b>722</b>
<b>Slytherin</b>	<b>822</b>



## Diary Dates For Parents

### All American lunch

19th January

### Young Voices

1st February

### NSPCC number day

3rd February

### February Half Term

20th-24th February

### Inset Day - closed to pupils

27th February

### Y1 Stafford Castle visit

23rd March

### Y2 Stafford Castle visit

24th March

### Easter Holidays

3rd - 14th April

### May bank holiday

1st May

### Kings Coronation. School Closed

8th May

### May Half Term

29th May - 2nd June

### Inset day - closed to pupils

5th June

### Last day of term

21st July

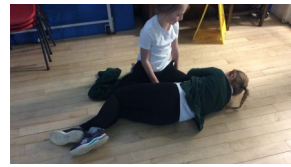


This week the Year 3 children took part in a mini medics course. During this they learnt lots of new skills including:

- How to deal with minor injuries
- How to put on badges and slings
- What to do in an emergency and if they found someone unconscious
- Dr. ABC
- The recovery position
- How to perform effective CPR and much, much more!

Children will now be developing their skills as a mini medic further by liaising with first aiders in the school to expand their awareness of how they can care for others within school and the wider community.

A huge well done to all of the Year 3 children!



**C**ollaboration  
**H**onesty  
**I**nspiration  
**L**eadership  
**D**emocracy  
**R**espect  
**E**quality  
**N**urture



### 'Can you learn how to manage under pressure?'

The children discussed strategies to help themselves in pressured situations and the different ways they spend time relaxing to support their mental health.

### Thursday 19th January

We will be having a special all American lunch. Your child can advise on the day if they would like this meal.

\*normal lunch charges apply.



Number  
Day 2023

### Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> February - NSPCC Number Day

Children are invited to dress as a number to support the wonderful NSPCC charity. More information to follow... watch this space!

# WELL DONE TO OUR 'TIGER LEARNERS' & OUR 'PUPILS OF THE WEEK'

- Little Ladybirds - Archie & Elodie
- Dazzling Dragonflies - Henry & Clodagh
- Sparkly Spiders - Jasmine & Edie
- Terrific Turtles - Emily & Millie
- Perfect Pandas - Caspar & Issy
- Amazing Alligators - Poppy & Alexander
- Fabulous Foxes - Isabel & James
- Outstanding Owls - Bobby & Thalia
- Marvellous Meerkats - Rowan & Hadyn



## WELL DONE TO OUR TT ROCKSTARS

The individual winners are:

The class winner is:  
**Fabulous Foxes**



• Outstanding Owls

- 1st - Seb T
- 2nd - Jacob
- 3rd - Sam
- Most improved - Rose

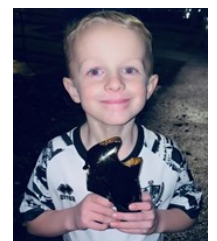
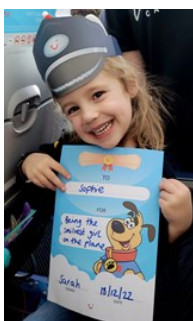
• Fabulous Foxes

- 1st - Oscar
- 2nd - James
- 3rd - Aidan
- Most improved - Reggie

• Marvellous Meerkats

- 1st - Joshua (overall winner)
- 2nd - 🐻
- 3rd - Carter
- Most improved - Emma

## WOW Awards.....



Well done, your achievements have been shared in school.

# GOAL COACHING



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