



PRINCE OF WALES

PRIMARY SCHOOL & CHILDREN'S CENTRE

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Listening Excellence Attitude Respect Negotiate Enjoy Responsible Support

Dear Parents, Governors and Friends,

School improvement advisors from our local authority confirmed this week that our pupils' behaviour in class has much improved and that teachers are able to do their job without continuous interruption. This is due to two years of determined efforts by our staff and parents as well as most children now making the right choices. This means that more pupils can make real progress by participating in lessons. We look forward to taking those that come to school to learn to the cinema next month.

Jan Bless – Headteacher

Our Value for this month is RESPONSIBILITY

During September the children have explored the many ways they can be a responsible 'Gold Medal Learner'. The children are now aware that they need to be proactive whilst at school to ensure they reach their learning potential and make good progress. Year 6 shared with the school their future aspirations. This reminded us all that it is an effective habit to 'begin with the end in mind'. What do you want to achieve by the end of a piece of homework? What can you do this year at school that will help you towards your future goal? What club can I join to help me develop skills for my future goal? We have found that encouraging the children to visualise what they want to achieve i.e. to begin with the end in mind, is an effective habit. This habit helps the children to take responsibility for their decisions and actions. This is also an effective habit that will help them succeed in the many small steps towards their ultimate future goal.

Mrs Stulli – PSHE, P4C and Values Co-ordinator

Value of this Month: **RESPONSIBILITY**

These children received a certificate for behaving responsibly at Prince of Wales this week, well done:

Amara Koyuncu 4S Austin HammondIA Azel Sanli 4HBlake Coleman3D Bradley Okeyere-Darko 3F Brooklyn DouglasK Emmanuel Fanawopo 1S Esther Onigbokun 2Ru Khushal Bhaat 5N Meliz Savage 2M Miami McCarthy 6A Nana Agyapong 2Ri Nia Paupiah 5L Nina Serghi 6H Shenel Ruga 6B Zayvier Ayeni 5G

Dates for your Calendar

06.10.14	Nursery to Year 5 - Class Photo's
06-10.10.14	Year 6 School Journey
07-08-10.10.14	Year 2 Forty Hall
14.10.14	Unions proposed strike action
15.10.14	Year 6 Class Photo's
15.10.14	Year 4 British Museum
27-31.10.15	Half term break
03.11.14	Staff Training Day – school closed
04.11.14	Start of Autumn 2 Term
11.12.14	Parents' Evening
22.12.14	Christmas Holidays
06.01.15	Inset Day – school closed
07.01.15	Start of Spring Term

Headteacher Award 1: Cinema visits

04.11	Y2 - Escape from Planet Earth
07.11	Y1 - Boxtrolls
07.11	Y6 - Earth to Echo
14.11	Y3 - Coraline
17.11	Y4 - Maleficent
19.11	Y5 - How to train your dragon 2

Few pupils will have had 5 or more detentions or 3 escorted lunches by the time we go to the cinema, so more children will enjoy the first Headteacher Award.



Happy Eid to our Muslim community

Attendance this week

Years 1,2,3 Family

1A 97.93%	2M 94.67%	3D 98.61%
1K 94.26%	2Ri 95.52%	3F 96.90%
1S 95.52%	2Ru 98.67%*	3G 98.00%

Years 4,5,6 Families

4H 100%*	5G 98.90%	6A 95.33%
4S 96.77%	5L 97.45%	6B 93.80%
	5N 97.69%	6H 98.28%

Well done to **2Ru** & **4H** for best attendance this week.

School Target: 95.5%

Overall attendance since September: **95.18%**

