



Newsletter



Friday 14th February 2025 www.ecclesfieldprimary.co.uk 0114 2467396

ECCLESFIELD PRIMARY SCHOOL

Well done to all this week's Merit Award Winners!

A huge well done to all of the pupils who received certificates this week. It is great to see so many children showing fantastic examples of our learning mindsets; **Respect, Responsibility and Resilience**



Safeguarding @ Ecclesfield Primary

At school, we take the safety of our pupils very seriously, including their online safety. As we know, online safety needs to be something which is taught and discussed at home as well as at school. Therefore, we would like to share some tips and resources to help you guide your children and help you keep up to date in a digital world. The children's world is ever changing and some children may not see a distinction between online and offline.

Please support your child to stay safe online.

<https://swgfl.org.uk/resources/checklists/>

This link takes you to a great website where you can download booklets which guide you through profile settings and other frequently asked questions.

Rocksteady Performance!

The children and staff really enjoyed the performance from Rocksteady this week!

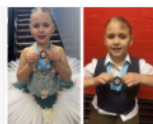
If your child would like to learn to play an instrument through weekly band practises in school time, please register your interest using this link <https://forms.office.com/e/ejxejCHN1N>. Children can learn keyboard, drums, guitar or bass guitar for approximately £10 per week. The children will be featured in a Rocksteady performance at the end of each term!



Diary Dates

Friday 14th February	All	Last day of school
Week of 17th February	All	Half term holiday
Monday 24th February	All	First day back at school
Tuesday 25th February	Y4	Healthy eating session — making pizza
Wednesday 26th February	Y2	Visit to Emergency Services Museum
Friday 28th February	All	Parent Coffee Afternoon
Monday 24th March	All	Book Week @ Ecclesfield Primary
Tuesday 4th March	Y4W	Class Assembly
Tuesday 4th March	FS	FS Parental Workshop: Healthy Eating
Friday 7th March	All	World Book Day (more details to follow)
Friday 7th March	Y2	Parental Workshop: Healthy Eating

Well done to **Primrose** (Y3) who performed beautifully in a recent dance competition and came away with two trophies! Great achievement Primrose!



Lunchtime Superstars



Foundation Stage	Arthur G Natalia H
Year 1	Charlotte W Brody S
Year 2	Essie T Harper H
Year 3	Othman A Amelia G
Year 4	Ollie C Maxwell K
Year 5	Lincoln A Balkirat S
Year 6	Hope W Fateh S

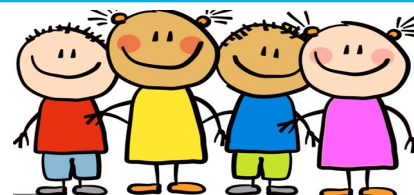
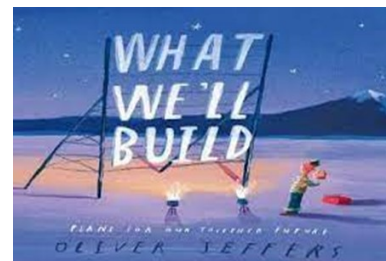
Book of the Week

Topic: Co-operation

Title: What We'll Build

Author: Oliver Jeffers

Genre: Fiction



Half Term Holiday

A huge thankyou to all the parents and carers for their support this half term. We hope you and the children have a lovely, restful half term break and we look forward to welcoming you back on Monday 24th February.

What have we been learning this week?



Year 4 have completed their electrical unit of work in design and technology this week.

They have been practising a range of skills over the half term including how to make switches and investigating conducting materials.

They were set the challenge to create an electrical game for a child that they have all taken on board with creativity.





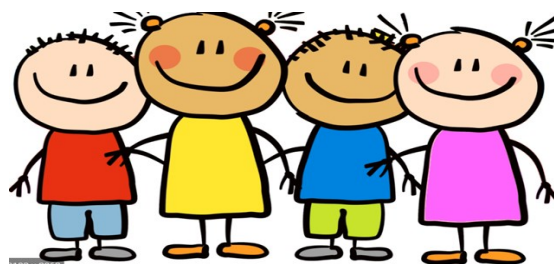
School Attendance Matters @ Ecclesfield Primary



Whole School Attendance:

TARGET: 96.6%

ACTUAL: 92.8%



How do we promote good attendance?

100% Attendance

Any child who achieves 100% attendance for an entire week will be automatically put forward for a prize draw on a Friday afternoon. One name per class will be drawn and the winner will receive one item from our break time tuck shop for **FREE!**

We love celebrating good attendance at Ecclesfield Primary and look forward to continuing to celebrate the good habits that are in place by so many.

Class	Attendance
FSP	93.3%
FSIL	96.2%
YIN	89.3%
YIB	91.4%
Y2HW	93.7%
Y2OT	95.3%
Y3GS	93.7%
Y3W	92.5%
Y4L	96.3%
Y4R	93.1%
Y5W	89.3%
Y5G	96.0%
Y6L	87.0%
Y6KN	91.4%

98-100%	•Excellent - Children are accessing all learning opportunities
96-97%	•Good - Very few learning opportunities are missed
94-95%	•Risk of underachievement •Up to 10 school days absent in an academic year
92-93%	•High risk of underachievement •Up to 15 school days absent in the academic year
90-92%	•Severe risk of underachievement •Up to 19 school days absent in the academic year
<90%	•Extreme risk of underachievement •Upwards of 22 school days absent in the academic year