

Orchard Weekly Bulletin 5th February 2018

Mr. Cook is now absent from school having had hip surgery. We thank you all for his well wishes and have passed these onto him. Don't forget if you have any worries about your child's education please see your child's class teacher or Mrs. Chambers as we are always happy to help. ☺

Attendance Challenge

Position	Class	Attendance
1 st	Mrs Jenkinson/Mrs Tilstone	98.4
2 nd	Mrs Chambers	97.4
3 rd	Mrs Hemstock	96.8

Whole school attendance
93.2

100% Attendance weekly award

(RC) Daniel Cooper-Lewis (RMB) Ava-May Brudenall (1M) Scarlett North (1/2G) Kelsey Collins (2JT) Layla Buckle (3H) Harley Holmes (3/4W) Oliver Jervis-Carr (4A) Scarlett Thixton (SR) Tiffanie Hitchen (5/6J) Isabel Neijs-Starr (6C) Christian Rabbitt



Reception - Bird Week

Our Reception children have had a wonderful time spotting and identifying birds in our school grounds. They used their counting skills to count the birds carefully and created their very own tally charts!



Parent's Evening Week

This week is our parent's evening week. You will have the opportunity to talk to your child's class teacher about their achievements and the progress that they are making towards the end of year expectations. During this time you will also have the opportunity to look at your child's work. Please be reminded that appointments are in 10 minute slots and if you would like to talk about anything in more detail don't hesitate to make a further appointment. Mrs. Chambers and Mrs. Tilstone will be available to speak to during parent's evening week if you have any further concerns or queries.

Safer Internet Day - 'Be the change unite for a better internet'



This year our Orchard pupils will be participating in the global Internet Safety Day which takes place on Tuesday 6th February. We will be having an assembly in school to talk to pupils about the importance of staying safe online.

We are also delighted to have Chris Hunter the technical guru from O2 joining us at a later date in the school year to provide workshops for Y6-Y2 children.



Countdown to Paperless Communication - 7 school weeks to go!

As a forward thinking school we are aiming for all of our communication with school and home to become paperless. This will enable us to be as environmentally friendly as possible. We are aiming to go paperless after the Easter holidays.

Have you downloaded our Orchard Primary App? This is free to download onto any smart phone or tablet. If your device does not support this please send your email address to the school office and we will email you any communication.

Bird Food

We are kindly asking for any donations of bird food to be brought into school. This is to be placed in our feeders around school to help the birds in the cold winter months. Wild bird food, peanuts and seeds would all be greatly received. Please send in via your child's class as house points will be awarded for any donations brought in.

House Point Target

This week's house point target is:

Being sensible and responsible around school



