



Darite Primary Academy

LIVE - LAUGH - LEARN

School Blog

In Class 1 they have made some amazing and cool things, they have rewritten the story of the 3 little pigs using their own interesting characters! All of them have made scary looking masks of the big bad wolf, and made frightened looking pig masks, they have also made fat balls for birds in Wild Tribe.

Written by Tai Barrett, School Journalist

Swimming – please do not send talcum powder with your child on Thursdays when they are going swimming.

Many thanks.

Non-uniform Day

A child in school is fundraising for Pancreatic Cancer. Please support this great cause by wearing blue and purple on Friday 6th October 2017 - £1 donation.

Stars of the Week



Class 1 - Lillie & Sebastian

Class 2 - Spencer

Class 3 - Phoebe

Sports - The Netball Team

Lunch

C1 - Ava

C2 - Rory

C3 - Tabby

Well done to the Netball Team who won both their games last night and started the season with an impressive display of their skills.

What is the 99 club?

99 club has been developed to help raise standards in Numeracy. It encourages pupils to improve their mental maths and increase the speed and confidence with which they tackle mental maths problems.

All pupils have **one opportunity per week** to complete the next level. This is done at the **same time across the whole school**. All pupils are encouraged to have a go each week but are allowed to opt out for a maximum of 3 weeks - this is to keep pupils enthused and wanting to gain the next badge. All pupils start on 11 club and work their way up.

We also encourage teachers, other staff and parents to have a go too. They can start taking part at 99 and only do so once the children could have reached that badge (after 9 weeks)

11club to 99 club - **10 minutes unaided**

11 club - addition to 10

22 club - addition to 20

33 club - 2 x 10 x

44 club - 2x, 5x, **10x**

55 club - 2x, 5x, 10x, **3x, 4x**

66 club - 2x, 5x, 10x, 3x, 4x, **6x**

77 club - 2x, 5x, 10x, 3x, 4x, 6x, **7x**

88 club - 2x, 5x, 10x, 3x, 4x, 6x, 7x, **8x**

99 club - 2x, 5x, 10x, 3x, 4x, 6x, 7x, 8x, **9x**

Bronze - up to 12 x and ÷ (4 minutes)

Silver - up to 12 x and ÷ (3 $\frac{1}{2}$ minutes)

Gold - up to 12 x, ÷, $\sqrt{\quad}$ (3 minutes)

Platinum - all 4 operations ()

Dizzy Star - level 5 questions

-level 6 questions

Dates for your Diary

Thu 5th October 2017 - Swimming -
Y2 to Y6

Friday 6th October 2017 - Non-uniform day - £1
donation

Half Term - Monday 23rd October to Friday 27th
October 2017

Training Day - Monday 30th October 2017

Back to school Tuesday 31st October 2017