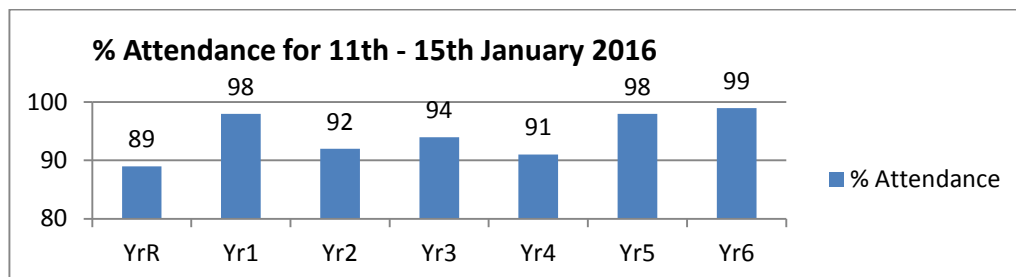




NEWSLETTER – Monday 18th January 2016

Attendance

Yr 6 had 99% and both Yr 1 and Yr 5 on 98% all very good. Yr 3 are on 94% followed by Yr 2 on 92% and Yr 4 on 91%. Last this week were Reception on 89%.



Chicken Pox

We have had a few cases of chicken pox recently at school. Please be aware that this virus often starts with a fever and cold like symptoms before a rash appears. The rash starts with blisters which then scab over. They can occur in several crops so you can have spots at various stages. The incubation period is 2-3 weeks and the person is infectious for 1-2 days before the rash appears and for 5 days after the appearance of the rash. Children should be kept away from school whilst too ill to attend and for at least five days from the onset of the rash and not developing any new spots.

Road Safety Competition

Congratulations to Victor Hallam who won 3rd prize in the Borough wide Road Safety Poster Competition. There were over 150 entries! Victor won a biking experience at the Stratford VeloPark. This is what Victor had to say.



When I entered the road safety competition I thought about the crossing near school. People at that crossing never stop and it makes it very dangerous. So I tried to make a poster that would stand out, and so the drivers would stop.

By Victor Year 5



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School Nursing Service

A reminder that the School Nursing Service are holding Drop-In sessions at school at school drop off times in the morning on the following dates:

Friday 8th April
Tuesday 10th May

Friday 12th February
Friday 10th June

Tuesday 15th March

Sainsbury's Vouchers

School will again be collecting these vouchers this year. The promotion starts in stores on 27th January so please start collecting vouchers and ask family members to do the same. They can be posted in the collecting box in the Reception Area.

Royal British Legion – Poppy Appeal

We are delighted to announce that the School raised a fantastic total of £312.54 for this worthy cause back in November. Thank you to all who supported this.

<p><u>January 2016</u> 20th Jan – Y5 Science Museum Trip 28th Jan – Y6 Class Assembly</p>	<p><u>February 2016</u> 4th Feb – Rec Class Assembly 4th Feb – Yr6 visit to Guardian Newspaper Half Term 15-19 February</p>
<p><u>March 2016</u> 1st Mar – Yr 5 Trip 2nd Mar – Y4 Class Assembly 3rd Mar – World Book Day 4th Mar – Nursery Assembly 10th Mar – Y3 Class Assembly 11th Mar – School closed for Pupils (INSET DAY) 17th Mar – Y2 Class Assembly 24th Mar – Y5 Class Assembly Break Up for Easter on 24th March</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Good Friday Bank Holiday 25th March Easter Sunday Bank Holiday 28th March Easter Holidays until Sunday 10th April Children Return to school on Monday 11th April</p>



Our stars of the week for last week!

Well done!





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Dear Parents and Carers,

Bag2School will be collecting from our school on

Wednesday 27th January at 9am.

You can bring your bags in from Monday 25th and leave them in the bike shed.

Bag2School are the UK's leading textile recycler and fundraiser working with schools. By doing this we can raise funds and recycle at the same time. We will receive £0.50 per kg.

By getting involved in the Bag2School collection, you have an opportunity to sort through your wardrobes and cupboards and donate unwanted textiles in the bag provided (which will be handed out to all children as soon as they arrive) or in your own black bags.



The textiles can include – adults and children's clothing, shoes (tied together please), hats, belts, bags, soft toys, Towels, curtains and bedding (no duvets or pillows).

Please ask grandparents, friends and neighbours to have a sort out as well!!

Thank you for your support

The PTA Committee