



Cape News

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Thought for the week – Be proud!



News Headlines

- Our walking to school campaign has started really well this week, the children have been busy recording their journeys to school and 75% of children have taken an active journey this week. This is great news, those children who have walked to school twice this week are well on the way to getting their January badge!
- Y3 ukulele superstar. Something amazing has happened in our year 3 ukulele classes. Mr Brennan gave the children a little test and the children were so good he decided to set them the super hard challenge. In 10 years of teaching Mr Brennan said nobody has ever passed the super hard challenge in any school he has been in. But last week Bayan smashed this record as he read the music and recognised that the tune was Frozen. Well done Bayan, you are a superstar!
- Our friends at Smethwick Jama Mosque have asked us to pass on their thanks for the Foodbank donations. The Mosque run a foodbank to help the whole community and were really grateful for our recent donations.

Attendance

Our school target is **96.9%**. We must make sure children come to school every day and are on time. Our top attendance this week is...

EYFS – RA – 94%, getting better!
KS1 – 2A – 97.9%, fantastic!
LKS2 – 4A – 99.2%, well done!
UKS2 – 5B – 99.3%, well done!

These classes will have 10 minutes extra play. Well done!

Overall – 94.7%

Stars of the Week!

Nursery

Rec

1A	Tianna
2A	Faizan
3A	Shiraz
4A	Testimony
5A	Ruqayyah
6A	Ameer, Amirah, Usmaan, Alisha

1B
2B
3B
4B
5B
6B

Aayat
Fabien
Nikadem
Roberts
Matias
Yahye

1C	Jack
2C	Isaiah
3C	Gunreet
4C	Zhir
5C	Alend
6C	Victoria

Quiz Question

Last week:

How many hours in a day? 24

This Week:

What is our school postcode?

Book Recommendation

This week's book recommendation is from Miss Mawdsley. Her favourite book is The Princess Knight by Cornelia Funke. It's her favourite because it breaks stereotypes and shows we are all equal.



Diary Dates

29/01/24 – Dental Hygiene check for 5 year olds.
31/01/24 – Y3 Rainforest workshop
06/02/24 – film night
07/02/24 – wear the rainbow £1 donation
08/02/24 – learning together day
09/02/24 – School Closed staff INSET
12/02/24-16/02/24 – Half Term

Dates for the Diary:

Helping at home this week!

It's back to helping with reading again please. This is not just your child's school reading book but encouraging wider reading to help them develop their imaginations!



Please make sure we have the correct contact details for your child.



Lots to do:

The Sandwell Family Information Service website has lots of links and ideas for things to do for families in Sandwell, some ideas will be free and some may have a cost. It's worth a look to see what is available on your doorstep:

<https://fis.sandwell.gov.uk/kb5/sandwell/directory/family.page?familychannel=8>

