



**Year 5/6**: 93.9% Below

**Year 3/4**: 94.2% Below

**Year 1/2**: 97.9% Good **Reception**: 97.8% Good

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Nursery: 95% Below

This week's whole school attendance

95.5%

Yearly school attendance to date:

94.7%

Target 96.6%

This is the expected standard for all schools.

Poor attendance impacts negatively on your child's potential and life chances.

#### MFC sessions

Please note Y5/6 and Y3/4 will continue their move and learn sessions with MFC Foundation for the next 6 weeks. Please could Y3/4 come to school in PE kit every Monday/Wednesday and for 5/6 Monday/Friday.

# **Lingdale Letterbox**

Friday 19th March 2021

## Working together to be the best we can be

Welcome to this week's news......

Wow! What a fantastic week. It is as though you were never away. Well done to everyone! On Tuesday, we celebrated a belated 'World Book Day' and the children looked fabulous. We had princesses, superheroes, animals, Little Miss Sunshine, Fantastic Mr Fox....the list is endless. The day started with a

visit to the library for all of our bubbles. The children listened to a story and were then able to choose a FREE book which Mrs Stephenson had been busy collecting over the last few weeks. We would ask that now the children have had a couple of weeks to settle in, that daily reading continues at home and where possible, parents sign their child's reading diary <u>every night</u>. The book draw is back every Friday and any child who reads at least 3 times will be entered into a prize draw to win a FREE book! Keep up the hard work everyone as reading at home makes all the difference.



#### Dates for the diary:

**Monday 22nd March**—Bring 2 boiled eggs to school for the competition

Wednesday 24th March @1pm Easter raffle drawn, tickets for the raffle £1 strip. Please return all sold tickets by Monday

Friday 26th March —Break up for Easter

Monday 12th April —Return to school

Winner of the settling in questionnaire who wins £5 Easter raffle tickets is—Darcy M & Zack C

### <u>Head Teacher's Awards: For</u> <u>Reading!</u>

Logan B-Mrs Jones

Bobby D - Miss Stonehouse

Darcy M - Mr Fairbridge

Caitlin C- Mrs Hoffman

Star Little Explorer Award— Rossi L

Citizenship Award—Mikey S





#### ARTICLES FOR WORLD BOOK DAY

World Book Day (WBD) was created by UNESCO on 23rd April 1995 as a worldwide celebration of books and reading.

It is marked in over 100 countries around the globe. The first World Book Day in the UK and Ireland took place in 1997 to encourage young people to discover the pleasure of reading.

World Book Day is now a charity with a mission to help change children's lives by promoting reading for pleasure, offering every child and young person the opportunity to have a book of their own.

This year (2021), marks the 24th year of WBD on 4th March and we hope you can find many different ways to enjoy reading.

There are lots of connections between World Book Day and your rights, especially your rights to access reliable information, the right to develop your talents and abilities and the right to relax and play.



This week's activities link to the following articles:

#### Article 17 - access to information from the media

Every child has the right to reliable information from a variety of sources, and governments should encourage the media to provide information that children can understand. Governments must help protect children from materials that could harm them.

### Article 29 (goals of education)



Education must develop every child's personality, talents and abilities to the full. It must encourage the child's respect for human rights, as well as respect for their parents, their own and other cultures and the environment.

#### Article 31 (leisure, play and culture)

Every child has the right to relax, play and take part in a wide range of cultural and artistic activities.

#### Does your child want to post a joke on our letterbox?

Please send them in to Mrs Thornton EVERY Thursday and we will pick one for the letterbox each week. Keep us all smiling and laughing!

# **Meet Lingdale Primary School's Mascots!**





Hello my name is Ling and I am the new mascot for Lingdale Primary. My best friend is Dale who I am sure you all know. We would love the children to design a new mascot postcard with us both on. Send your designs to school for Mrs Thornton by Friday 26th March and we promise to have the chosen card printed. Good Luck!