



Lingdale Letterbox

Working together to be the best we can be
21/12/18



Dear Parents and Carers, Welcome to this week's news....

Today finds us wondering where the autumn term has gone..! Fifteen hard- working weeks have flown by and we have made so many wonderful memories. It has been an honour and such fun to attend the many Christmas parties and performances in the last week or so. Thank you so much for all your generous contributions of food and drinks- without your kind donations, the parties couldn't take place.

Highlights of 2018.....

EYFS The staff are overwhelmed by the children's hard work and continued efforts this term. They confidently performed 'The Nativity' and a selection of Christmas songs to their families. There wasn't a dry eye in the room! Well done EYFS!

KS1 What a fantastic term KS1 have had! The children have wowed us with their amazing hard work and wonderful behaviour. A highlight was definitely our show stopping Christmas performance! Enjoy a lovely rest and have a very Merry Christmas!

Year 3 and 4 ... We have been having so much fun in Y3/4 this term. With the Stone Age as our topic, we have experienced a day in the life of a stone age person at Danelaw. We learnt about hunting, farming and crafts using a variety of skills in the process. Well done Y3/4.

Year 5/6 Autumn term has been a busy one in many ways - getting to know each other and settling into new routines has been a priority at the top end of school. However, without a shadow of doubt our topics on both world wars have been the blood running through our veins!

From the visit to Eden Camp, to standing at the memorial in the pouring rain, our children have really tried to imagine what life in the war years was like. They have written letters from the trenches, seen artefacts at the village hall and, as recently as yesterday, used drama to empathise with the children and families evacuated not only from the city to the countryside but from one country to another. Well done everybody.

Christmas gifts

Thank you to all our families who have donated to our Christmas reverse advent calendar over the last few weeks. A couple of local nominations have been received today and the rest of the donations will go to local food banks. Thank you.

Y5/6 94.4% Below
Y3/4 95.3% Below
Y1/2 92.2% Below
Reception: 96.7% Just Below

This week's whole school attendance: 94.4% Below

Yearly school attendance to date: 96.2%

Target: 96.6% - Expected Standard for all schools.
Poor attendance impacts negatively on your child's potential and life chances.

Polite Reminder

Lingdale Primary School is a non- smoking site and dogs are not allowed on the premises. For health and safety reasons please DO NOT tie dogs up on the school fence or smoke at the gates

Happy Christmas
See you on
Monday 7th
January 2019

The Governors and Staff would like to wish you all a very Happy Christmas filled with fun and smiles and family time!

A HUGE thank you to Mr Mike Jefferson and 'The Big Local & Lingdale Community Group' for donating over 100 selection boxes to our children this Christmas. The children and staff are very grateful and would like to wish them all a very Happy Christmas'.



Head Teacher's Awards: For outstanding attitude - Well done!

Maddie Jones - Miss Stonehouse
Dimitri Davey - Mrs Jones
Chloe Jones - Mr Fairbridge
Jack Swales - Mrs Crame
Abigail Dennis - Mrs Norris
Citizenship Award - Kian Rogerson

