

FRIDAY 7TH MARCH

# NESTON PRIMARY NEWS



## MESSAGE FROM MRS ELLIOTT

It has been lovely to see the children enjoying the new sandpit. Children from all classes have had fun building sandcastles and digging holes. If anyone has any plastic spades at home that they are willing to donate, we would gratefully have them.

The parent and pupil surveys last half term highlighted the want for non-sporty clubs. As a result we have a crochet club running on a Thursday and Samba club on a Tuesday.

We aim to continue to add different clubs each half term. If you have an idea for a club, please speak to myself or the office. Thank you to all those parents who attended Parents' Evening - if you were unable to make it and would like an appointment, please contact the class teachers.



## ATTENDANCE

Well done to everyone who is working on improving their attendance.

We seem to have had more than our fair share of illnesses in school this year.

Hopefully we are on the end of chicken pox which has affected a number of our younger children.

In Champion assembly last week, we praised all those children whose attendance stands at 95% and above - these children have had no more than 1 day's absence this school year.

Our attendance continues to be an issue - specially with those children who have attendance less than 90%. Although absence can not be avoided if a child is really ill, please trust us in that we will not let a child suffer in school if they do feel unwell, we will contact you.

Attendance so far this half term:

Ash 77.3 %	Chestnut 93.0 %
Maple 92 %	Willow 93.8 %
Oak 91.1 %	Sycamore 92.0 %

Whole school attendance from September-February: 92.5%

National attendance from September-February: 94.8%

Let's work together to be closer to the National attendance figure.



## CLASS CHAMPIONS

### FRIDAY 28TH FEBRUARY

Freddie

Ava

Wyatt

Jon

Kal

David

### SCHOOL VALUES

Amari

Arabella

Willow

Lily-May

Lily

Cali

### FRIDAY 7TH MARCH

Alice

Bobby

Jacob

Faith

Elizabeth

Lydia-Eva

### SCHOOL VALUES

Quentin

Sebastian

Lester

Jake

Ted

Eve

## WORLD BOOK DAY

Following on from our fabulous book week last half term. The children have enjoyed reading books with other year groups and I was really impressed with the range of potato book characters that were created for homework. An example of some are shown below.



Huge Congratulations to Oliver in Y6 who has read over 1 million words so far this year.

Dates	EVENTS - SPRING TERM 2
tuesday 11th March	Cyber Sid sessions - Reception, Y1 and Y2 - first of 3 sessions
Week beginning 24th March	Big Walk and Wheel Campaign - encouraging families to walk or cycle at least part of the way to school
28th March	PFA Easter Crafternoon
2nd April	Easter Bingo after school - details to follow
4th April	Rotakids - Bunny, Hop, Skip - details to follow
4th April	School Closes for Easter holiday
23rd April	School Re-opens for the Summer term
11-14th May	KS2 SATS WEEK for Y6

# Neston Primary School

2025 -2026

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INSET DAYS

SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

## CLASS EMAIL ADDRESSES

If you wish to get in touch with the class teacher, the best way to do this is to speak to them on the playground at the end of the day. You can also ring the school office on 0151 832 6251 to arrange for the teacher to contact you.

We also have class email addresses which have been updated with the new names:

ash@nestonpri.cheshire.sch.uk  
pine@nestonpri.cheshire.sch.uk  
maple@nestonpri.cheshire.sch.uk  
oak@nestonpri.cheshire.sch.uk  
chestnut@nestonpri.cheshire.sch.uk  
willow@nestonpri.cheshire.sch.uk  
sycamore@nestonpri.cheshire.sch.uk

The staff will answer at their earliest convenience but for a healthy work-life balance, during out of school hours, this will only be when they are completing school work.