



*Learning together,  
Growing together*

# Dovecot Primary School

## Weekly Newsletter

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**Autumn Term**  
Newsletter 10

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### ATTENDANCE

Missing a day here or there might not seem like much, but here are some statistics that might surprise you...

A child with 92% attendance is absent from school for 15 days, which is 3 school weeks.

A child with 88% attendance is absent from school for 23 days, which is over 4 school weeks.

The target that all schools aim for is to have a minimum of 97% attendance overall, and it is important that we all work together to try to get to this number!

#### Attendance

97%+

93%+

Below 93%

### ATTENDANCE LEAGUE

11th November to 18th October 2024

1. **Y3 (ASH)** 97.6%
2. **Y4 (MULBERRY)** 95.6%
3. **Y5 (WILLOW):** 94.9%
4. **Y1 (CEDAR):** 94.5%
5. **N (ACORN):** 94.4%
6. **YR R (ELM):** 93.3%
7. **Y6 (OAK):** 92.5%
8. **Y2 (MAPLE):** 91.2%

*Whole school this week:*

94.2%

*Whole school since start of year:*

92.7%

*Statutory Attendance this week:*

94.3%

*Statutory Attendance since start of year:*

93.2%

*Percentage of Lates this week*

3.4%

### CHILDREN IN NEED

**Thank you for all the support today. We have raised £80 for this amazing charity.**



### ANTI-BULLYING WEEK

This week has been anti-bullying week. The children have been taking part in lots of discussions throughout the week.

### THANK YOU

**A big thank you to Natalie (Aarran and Amber's mum) for raising funds towards our Chester Zoo trip. We are so grateful. This means we are now able to go ahead with the trip for all our KS2 children.**

### FREE SCHOOL MEAL VOUCHERS

**These will be available towards the end of next week. We will send a message on Class Dojo when they are ready to be picked up**

### KEY DATES

Thursday 21st-Friday 22nd November—  
Safety Workshops  
Monday 25th November—Parents Evening  
Thursday 28th November—Parents Evening  
Monday 16th December—KS2 Chester Zoo

### ADVANCE NOTICE

Parents Evening is Monday 25th November and Thursday 28th November. Letters with times will be sent home on Monday!

## Punctuality

The amount of children who are arriving at school late has increased over the last week.

We will be monitoring lateness closely next week.

Please be on time as lessons start straight away at 9am.



Be In SCHOOL  
Be On TIME

## HOUSEPOINT CHAMPIONSHIP

<u>This Week</u>		<u>This Term</u>	
CHAVASSE:	63	CHAVASSE:	130
O'BRIEN:	65	O'BRIEN:	143
WILKINSON:	61	WILKINSON:	125
DUNCAN:	65	DUNCAN:	136

*Congratulations to everyone in O'Brien house who have earned the most Class Dojos this week.*



## PUPILS OF THE WEEK



### HEAD TEACHER'S AWARD

**Aarran Foster Carter** for having an amazing week. We are so proud of you!

### OAK (Y6)

**Darcie Latham** for giving her absolute best all week.

### WILLOW (Y5)

**Ionela Bogonosu** for using figurative language when writing a poem.

### MULBERRY (Y4)

**Toby Haworth** for being a super reader! He has achieved Dark Red Level!!

### ASH (Y3)

**Lewis Bates** for being a superstar coming into a class everyday!

### MAPLE (Y2)

**Eva Duduc** for making a super effort to remember to use punctuation in her writing.

### CEDAR (Y1)

**Alexa-Mae Rixon** for excellent use of adjectives when describing an alien.

### ELM (RECEPTION)

**Tilly Woodrow** for amazing phonics work.

### ACORN (NURSERY & 2- YEAR OLDS)

**Janessa Travin** for beautiful singing.  
**Lyla Bancroft** for increasing in confidence.

### LUNCHTIME AWARD

**Michael Paul Walsh (Rec) & Lewis Bates (Y6)** for excellent behaviour in the hall this week.

### BREAKFAST AWARD

**Brodee Welsh (Y3)** for excellent behaviour in breakfast club this week.



## CHRISTMAS DATES!

Wednesday 11th Dec—Christmas Jumper Day

Wednesday 11th Dec—Christmas Dinner

Wednesday 18th Dec—KS1 Nativity (am)

Wednesday 18th Dec—KS2 Christmas Concert (pm)

Thursday 19th Dec—EYFS Christmas Stay & Play

Thursday 19th Dec—Christmas Party day