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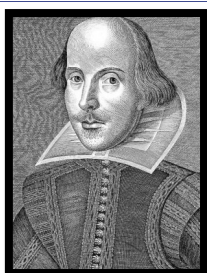
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## Headteacher's News

Dear Parents/Carers,

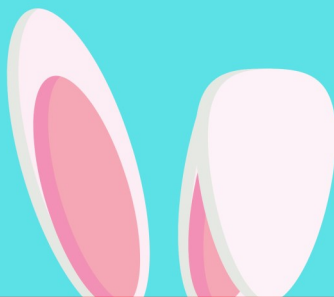
**the start of our Shakespeare Festival, with all year groups involved in celebrating his work.** We have some fantastic activities planned and look forward to seeing our budding mini Shakespeareans develop over the next couple of weeks! A reminder of what Shakespearean work your child will be enjoying: Early Years—A Midsummer Night's Dream; Key Stage 1—The Tempest; Lower Key Stage 2—Julius Caesar and Upper Key Stage 2—Macbeth. There will be lots of creative work happening across school including: Shakespeare Writing, artwork, performances (Songs, acting, choral speaking) that we will be class swapping to perform and an inter class visual literacy competition. May the best class win!

**Thank you for your support**  
**Andrew Maley**



## You have Egg-cellent Attendance!!!

Who will win one of our random spot prize for maintaining 100% attendance from 11th March 2024



## ATTENDANCE MATTERS!

**Don't miss our latest attendance competition....**

**The Easter bunny will be leaving Easter treats randomly over the next 14 days for children who maintain 100% attendance for the final days of term (starting from 11/3/24)**



Prizes can be awarded anywhere, at any time....you just have to be in to win!!!

## Attendance this Week:

Class 8	97.62
Class 2	97.22
Class 1	96.30
Reception	96.18
Class 6	95.79
Class 5	95.79
Class 7	95.65
Class 3	95.47
Class 4	93.78
Class 9	91.95
Nursery	88.65
School	95.1%

Well done children, you got very close to whole school target this week.

**We have beaten our target of 96% twice so far this half term and have celebrated with whole school parties. Can we do it again next week??**



## Mr P's Computer Corner

### ONLINE PROFILES

**It is common for young people to change their online profiles by creating a new account for social media apps.**

If you decide to do this, remember to check your old accounts and profiles – if you have an account on a site that you no longer use, go back and check your privacy settings and who your personal details and pictures are being shared with.

It is always best to close your account if you don't think you will use it again.

**DON'T FORGET...DO NOT PUT ANYTHING IN YOUR NEW PROFILE WHICH GIVES OTHERS INFORMATION ABOUT WHERE YOU LIVE OR WHICH SCHOOL YOU GO TO.**



## National Award Winner!!!!!!

We are delighted to share that Ted in Class 9 has been selected as one of three winners in a competition to find National Breakfast Champions! In recognition of this fabulous achievement, Ted has been awarded with a special certificate and a £10 book token. He has also won a box of games and books for school which will be enjoyed by all of our Breakfast Bistro children.

### Ted's competition nomination from #teamcarrmill

*Ted is in Year 5 and is one of our Breakfast Bistro Leaders, attending our provision daily. Ted's role is to take breakfast orders from the children, to help staff serve food and drinks, to help staff clear away breakfast dishes and to help the younger children attending the Bistro to collect their things and walk safely to their classroom at the start of the school day.*

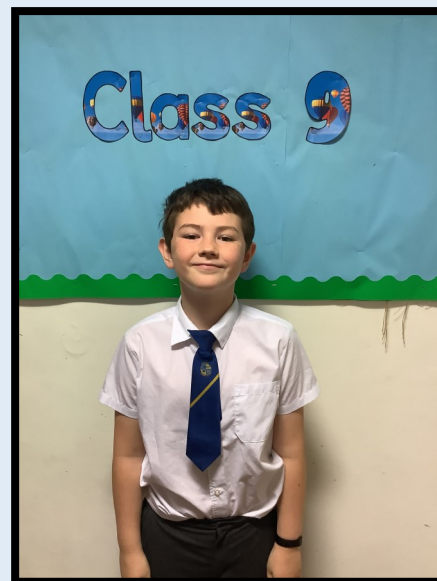
*Ted has fully embraced this voluntary role and has demonstrated excellent attendance, very rarely missing one of his 'shifts'. By being a Bistro Leader, Ted's levels of confidence have increased, as have his communication skills with him now being able to confidently speak to younger children and work diligently alongside staff.*

*Before starting this role, Ted found these skills challenging and it has been wonderful watching him flourish and independently develop these skills naturally through his daily tasks. Ted is building life skills for the future which will benefit him greatly as he grows.*

*The younger children who attend the Bistro look up to Ted as a role model and often want him to sit next to them and support them whilst playing games and completing activities. Ted does this with a smile and is so kind to them. None of the children attending the Bistro would be aware that Ted has recently experienced a bereavement or faced personal challenges. Despite these, Ted has never wavered in his role as one of our Bistro Leaders and everyone in #teamcarrmill feels that he should be recognised for his progress, and commitment.*

*We are very proud of you Ted!*

This morning, Ted was rewarded with a special breakfast which included his favourite foods and him being served by the adults!



Louise, from the National School Breakfast Programme said,  
**"We've received an overwhelming response to this competition and have found it incredibly challenging to select our winners, as each nominee has been truly deserving. However, we were particularly impressed by Ted's dedication and commitment to your breakfast provision, and as a result, he has been selected as one of our three winners. Congratulations!"**







## EASTER COMPETITION—DECORATE AN EGG!

To celebrate Easter this year we will be holding a Decorate an egg Easter competition. Entries are accepted from Nursery children up to Year 6.

There will be a 1<sup>st</sup>/ 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> prize for each key stage (EYFS/KS1/LKS2/UKS2) You can decorate your egg in any way/ theme or design you like. Be as imaginative and as creative as possible. Remember the only rule is that it must be 'eggs'traordinary and as 'egg'citing as possible. So 'crack' on with your design.

**Competition Time!**

**Entries can be brought in from this Monday, 18<sup>th</sup> March 2024, and will be judged on Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> March 2024- so entries after this date will, unfortunately, not be entered.**

**SAVE THE DATE**

Winners will be announced, and prizes given in school on Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March 2024. Please ensure your entry is clearly labelled with your child's full name and class.



## ROLL UP — IT'S EASTER RAFFLE TIME!!!



**Tickets for our EASTER RAFFLE are for sale on the School Money app now!!!!**

**First prize is a £20 voucher for Bubbles' World of Play!**

**Lots of other delicious Easter egg prizes to be won too!**

### Terms and conditions:

- ♦ Ticket sales will close at 12pm on Wednesday 27/3/24
- ♦ This is a cash free raffle, tickets must be purchased via the school money app
- ♦ Tickets cost £1 each
- ♦ The raffle will be drawn during our end of term assembly with the children
- ♦ Due to it being the final day of term, if your child is absent on the day of the prize draw, the prize will be forfeited and another winner drawn
- ♦ Bubble's World of Play is located in New Brighton. The voucher must be used by 22/5/24

# Very Impressive Pupil **HISTORY** Awards (VIPs!)



This week we celebrate our **VIP Historians** for their hard work and great attitude towards these lessons.

Congratulations to all our VIPs. Check out our video on Facebook!

Class	VIP	Very Impressive for...
Nursery	<b>Athena D</b>	For being able to talk about what she could do when she was a baby.
Rec.	<b>Theo H</b>	For enjoying our learning about The Great Fire of London and being able to recall facts.
C1	<b>Oscar F</b>	For demonstrating a super understanding and real enthusiasm during our Titanic topic.
C2	<b>Elliot U</b>	For showing great enthusiasm and answering lots of questions about our history topic -The Titanic
C3	<b>Jayden O</b>	For showing a keen interest in finding out more about the Titanic.
C4	<b>Kalel L</b>	For understanding how primary and secondary sources can be used to learn about the past.
C5	<b>Billy D</b>	For a great understanding of the impact invasions on Britain have had on our lives today.
C6	<b>Sofia L</b>	For showing a keen enthusiasm when learning about a 'Street Through Time'.
C7	<b>Zara B</b>	For showing real enthusiasm in our history topic: The Mayans.
C8	<b>Emily D</b>	For showing a great understanding of the Ancient Maya and what might have happened to them.
C9	<b>Khalid AH</b>	For showing enthusiasm and an excellent understanding of the Mayan civilisation.

