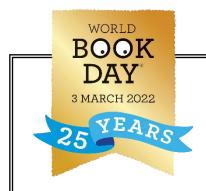
EMMAVILLE PRIMARY SCHOOL

WEEKLY NEWS BULLETIN

WORKING IN PARTNERSHIP WITH PARENTS

We would like to wish you all a fantastic half-term holiday and look forward to welcoming the children back to school on Monday 28^{th} February.





All children are invited to come to school dressed as their favourite book character on Thursday 3rd March.

What a brilliant day we had in school last Friday! The children all came to school looking amazing as they "dressed to express" – we had everything from bright colours and jazzy patterns to basketballers and princesses all enjoying their wellbeing day together.

Whilst the children had lots of fun completing art activities, and practising mindfulness and yoga, a very important message about mental health was being explored. The wellbeing of the children, their families and the staff is something which is very important to us at Emmaville and we feel it is important to explore strategies which help to support this.

I hope the children brought home their hot air balloons, to remember they can reach for the sky, and told you about some of the things they had done on Friday. Thanks to your generosity we managed to raise $\pounds726.00$ to support this very worthwhile cause.

Miss McPherson

"If I am thinking correctly," said Pooh, "a new baby is probably undoubtedly the grandest gift that could ever be."

"A grand gift indeed."

Congratulations to Josie (Newcastle) on the birth of her baby brother Jamie.

School Attendance Week Ending 11.02.22

South America Year 6: North America 99.3% 94.3% Year 5: Antarctica 98.2% Oceania 97.1% Year 4: Africa 92.7% Asia 98.3% Year 3: Northern Europe 97.7% Southern Europe 93.7% Year 2: Northern Ireland 95.7% Wales 96.6% Year 1: England 97.2% Scotland 91.0% EYFS: Gateshead 96.3% Newcastle 98.7% Crawcrook 93.6%

Well done to North America for the best attendance last week.

Whole school attendance 96.0%

Our attendance is above the national average. We would like to say a big thank you to parents/carers for helping us achieve it.

Date: Friday 18th February '22

Stars of the Week

Head Teacher - Charlotte and Lucia (England)
For sharing lovely community news.

North America - Mark
For excellent persuasive writing.

South America - Aaron
For a much more positive attitude.

Antarctica - Poppy
For super progress all round due to her brilliant attitude to school.

Oceania - Reilly
For working hard in all his lessons.

Africa - Ebba For being a fantastic friend and so kind to others.

Asia - Maddox
For super effort in maths - especially fraction, division and tables work. Brilliant.

Northern Europe – Eva For being such a kind, caring and helpful member of our class.

Southern Europe - Grace
For being the first person to reach 100 on the Accelerated Reader chart. Amazing!

Northern Ireland - Charlotte
For her amazing attitude and effort designing her internet safety poster.

Wales - Ella
For being a wonderful role model to the rest of the class.

England - Ellie For her amazing attitude to learning every week.

Scotland - Rowan
For playing really well with his friends.

Gateshead - Harry
For working so hard all week. What a star!

Newcastle - Demi For being a kind and thoughtful friend.

Crawcrook Nursery - Callum For being such a joy to have in Nursery.

School Cook - Willow (Northern Europe)
For beautiful manners at lunchtime.