COULSDON CHRONICLE - WEEK 20 - JANUARY/FEBRUARY 2023

Attendance Champions - Week 20

1st Place - Years R & 3: 99.14%

3rd Place – Year 1: 97.5%

4th Place – Year 5: 97.08%

5th Place - Year 4: 96.43%

6th Place – Year 2: 95.83%

7th Place – Year 6: 94.83%

Reflection

This week in collective worship we thought about the importance of seeing the bigger picture. We talked about how we can make assumptions about things we see and people's actions without knowing the whole story. We have tried to listen carefully, open our minds and be kind. The Bible tells us that we need to look after each other,

"For we are taking great care to do what is right, not only in the eyes of the Lord, but also in the eyes of men."

2 Corinthians 8:21

Year 1 Outdoor Area

The Year 1 team has been working hard to develop our outdoor learning offer in this phase. Staff have purchased new equipment and activities for the children to use. At the moment, these resources are stored outside their classroom under a tarpaulin. Please do not let younger siblings play with this equipment whilst waiting to collect your children. We will be displaying signs to ensure we keep these resources in a good condition for the Year 1 children to use. Thank you.

Notes from the Head Teacher



Dear Parents,

What lovely weather we have had today! It has been great to feel the sunshine and to see lots of signs of spring around.

We had a wonderful Number Day today and it was great to see all the children decorated in numbers. Thank you to Mrs Bonnick for organising this. There were lots of fun Maths activities going on across the school today. Children particularly enjoyed the code cracking!

Well done to the A and B netball teams who played so well again at St Aidan's this week. It was great to hear from one parent that the team 'were so resilient and displayed such determination, good sportsmanship, fair play and were a credit to the school.' Well done to the children and a big thank you to Mrs Spain and all the members of staff involved.

Mrs Hudson

Late pick ups

If you are going to be late picking your child up due to unforeseen circumstances, please contact the office. The children will be brought around to the front of the school and you can collect them from the office. Please do not come in through the school to collect them. Thank you for your support with this.

Curriculum Corner

Reception had a special visit to the church today. They have been thinking about who looks after our special places including our church. The children also noticed all the lovely daffodils on their journey. Thank you to the parents who accompanied them on this visit.