RL Roundup

Dear Parents and Carers,

We have arrived at the last day of the school year and what a year it has been. From awards for Inclusion to our wonderful sporting and musical performances, it has been a year to remember. Our Y6 SATS result were excellent so very well done to all of our wonderful Y6 pupils. We wish our Year 6 children happiness and success on their new adventures. I am so very proud to be Head of our wonderful school. We are lucky to have the most amazing staff and wonderful children and it is a joy to come to school each day and be part of this wonderful family.



As part of our 70th celebrations, we wanted the children of Red Lane to leave a legacy for future pupils of this school. Yesterday we planted a tree for each year group and one for the staff and we look forward to watching them grow over the coming years. We have also buried a time capsule with lots of memories and items for future explorers to discover about Red Lane. You can see our pictures on Twitter.

Looking ahead to the next year, we have plans for another brilliant year at Red Lane. In September you will receive lots of information about the year ahead. We will also be holding 5 sessions of meet the teacher so that parents can attend a time to suit them. Our staff are committed to providing the very best education and experiences for our pupils. Sadly this year a great amount of senior leader time has been spent on dealing with inappropriate parent behaviour which takes away from our core business of education, should not be witnessed by pupils or families and is not inline with the values of our school. All incidents have been reported the Academy Trustees. We hope the new year will bring a fresh start for everyone and remind everyone that our school is a place of safety, happiness and education for all of our wonderful children.

I would finally like to extend my thanks to the wonderful staff who support our pupils and families, make meals, keep our school clean and safe and support in the office—they work tirelessly to give children and families the very best.

I wish you all a safe and happy summer and look forward to welcoming you back in September. Mrs Driver



KEY DATES

School reopens Tuesday 5th September

Meet the teacher Tuesday 5th September: 3.30pm 4.00pm 5.00pm

Meet the teacher Wednesday 6th September 3.30pm

Year 4 Anderton Centre

Year 4 visited the Anderton Centre on the banks of Lower Rivington Reservoir on Tuesday 4th July. Whilst there, they went canoeing, where they paddled (with reasonable success!) to the opposite bank, in order to explore the replica of Liverpool Castle. They also bravely climbed tall trees before taking a 'leap of faith', jumping from a high platform before being gently lowered to the ground. Finally, they trained to become the next Robin Hood, practicing their archery skills using real arrows. It was a great day out, with the children exploring new activities, being brave and stepping out of their comfort zones. The staff could not have been prouder of their efforts! Well done Year 4!





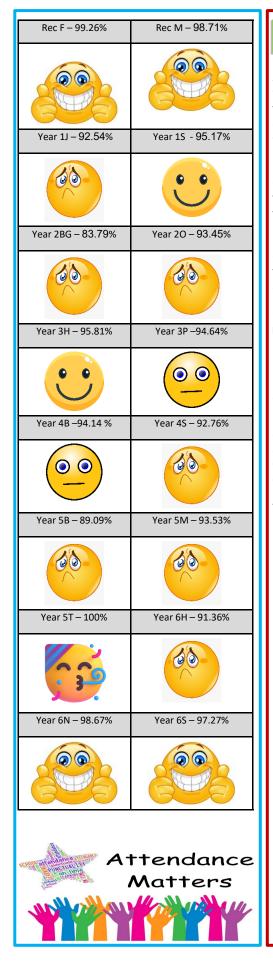




Eco Councils Eco Tip:

"TV on and nobody watching? Switch it off! Reduce energy usage and save money as a result."





ECO update ...

As the year draws to a close, I would like to take this opportunity to thank the school's Eco Council and all of the pupils and staff who have worked hard with the various Eco lessons and projects which have occurred throughout the year, ranging from marking plastic bottle bird feeders to helping weed the school's wonderful grounds.

Recently, Eco Council and children across KS2 have worked hard to create a new Eco Code for the school. We feel that these are goals to which we should all aim towards in order to improve our school and wider environment, both for us and local wildlife.

During Eco Enrichment, children have also learnt about 'Engine Idling' and the air pollution that this causes. The children politely ask that when your cars are parked that you turn off your engines to help keep our air clean, especially for those with asthma. Thank you.

Our work on littering and recycling has led to some wonderful posters reminding us all to ensure that we use bins and where possible, 'reduce, reuse and recycle'! To help this, we have also conducted litter picks around school to keep it clean, tidy and safe for wildlife.

Finally, we would like to thank you all for helping us to raise ± 237.60 during the non-uniform day on 14th July. This money will be used to sup-

port marine wildlife by sponsoring a turtle and penguin with the WWF and making a charitable donation to the Marine Conservation Society.

Thank you! Mr Simmons





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