

12th January 2018

Dear Parents and Carers,

Happy New Year



Just to wish all our children and families a very Happy New Year and we look forward to our new term with lots of new discoveries in learning.

### Reading News

Congratulations to all those children who achieved their monster reading challenge last term. Class 6 had the most, closely followed by class 10.

Thank you to parents for your support with your reading challenge. Please check with your child what their target is for their monster reading challenge this term.



It was lovely to see so many parent attending our "Come and hear me read" event in school last term. Please look out for the parents workshop due to take place soon where you will be able to come into school and get advice about how you can further support your child in their reading.

### Maths News

#### Maths Parents Workshop



Thank you to all the parents who came in on Friday 15th December for the Maths Workshop led by Mrs Rahman. We looked at the importance of children learning times tables and discussed some strategies. We then worked on fractions questions and used resources and different strategies to understand and explain the calculations.

We look forward to seeing more parents in the next session which will be held later on this term.

### Active Learn

Children are allocated maths homework on Active learn as well as receiving paper homework so please can parents remind children to complete their online homework. It is a fun way to learn and it gives children and teachers instant feedback on how well they did.



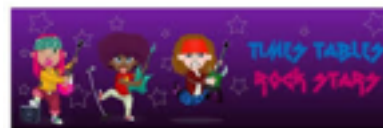


## TT Rockstars

Well done to all the children who are competing against themselves, their class and other schools on TT rockstars. Class teachers are really noticing a positive difference in confidence of those children who are regularly using TT Rockstars to learn/practise their timetables. We will continue to share the Top 10 scorers in assembly every week and the highest scorer will receive a prize. Who will win next week?

## TT Rock Star Winners for last week

|           |                        |       |
|-----------|------------------------|-------|
| 1st place | Anees Hussain (Year 4) | 2,684 |
| 2nd place | Abbas Majid (Year 4)   | 754   |
| 3rd place | Zain Shazad (Year 4)   | 508   |



## ATTENDANCE

Well done class 3 and 5 for achieving over 96% the week before the holidays.



SUPERB :)

## DATES FOR NEXT WEEK

- \* Monday 15th January - Parent's Forum 10am
- \* Friday 19th January- Class 2's assembly (9am Parent's Welcome)

## **FREE ENGLISH CLASSES FOR ADULTS**

We have an opportunity for you to come and learn English. It is a set week course, which will be held at Alexandra Park Junior School.

It will cover the basics of English and give you the confidence to speak fluent English.

If you are interested please fill and return the slip below to secure your place.

For any questions please contact Miss Yasmin on 0161 770 8321.

Name of adult \_\_\_\_\_

Contact number \_\_\_\_\_

Yours sincerely

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