



Robins Lane Primary School Newsletter

24th January 2025

Headteacher's Notes

Dear parents and carers,

It seems like every week we encounter a new weather challenge - this week, to round off the bitterly cold, wet days we have the presence of Storm Eowyn. Eowyn is here and the forecast predicts a period of very strong and, in places, highly impactful winds crossing the northern half of England. As with any unusual weather, children are naturally curious and it might be a good time to view Eowyn (safely) online with your children and discuss the impact and experiences of such extremes on the local and wider communities. Please be careful if you need to travel!

On Monday, we celebrated Martin Luther King Day – Martin Luther King was an incredibly influential figure who helped to shape America's history. He was a civil rights activist who fought for racial equality. We reflected on his tireless quest for equality. On Tuesday, I shared the story of Ruby Bridges. Ruby made history in 1960 when, at the age of six, she became the first black student to attend an all-white school in New Orleans. Our children were appalled at her treatment and inspired by her bravery. They understand why Ruby was a symbol of the vulnerability of all black Americans.

Thank you to our families who have embraced our walk to school initiative. If you live too far from school to walk all the way, Park and Stride is the perfect solution. Simply Park your car at least 10 minutes away from school, then finish the journey on foot, by bike, or scooter - and it still counts as an active travel day! We have two great 'Park and Stride' locations to choose from: Sherdley Park Driving Range Car Park – just a 10-minute walk to school and Morrisons, who are kindly supporting our initiative, on Baxters Lane - this location offers a 15-minute walk to school. Every active journey helps our pupils earn badges and makes a big difference to our school community and the planet!

Further to our recent Facebook post, I would like to extend the local authority's invite to families and young people with Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND) to attend a special SEND Information Day on Tuesday, 28th January 2025, at the Totally Wicked Stadium. This exciting event provides a valuable opportunity to meet local service providers, to explore the support and resources available, and learn about the wide range of services tailored to young people with SEND. The event will feature two drop-in sessions to accommodate different schedules: an Afternoon Session: 10am - 2pm and an Early Evening Session: 5pm - 7:30pm.

Have a wonderful weekend everyone - rest and recharge ready for whatever challenges next week will bring!

Yours sincerely, Mrs Tomkow

PS Check Facebook for the live version of this newsletter read by our head and deputy head students!























This week's 100% Attendance Hero is: Robin H

Attendance

This week's class attendance is:

Reception - 96.6%

Year 1 - 95.7%

Year 2 - 92.9%

Year 3 - 97.2%

Year 4 – 96%

Year 5 – 93.3%

Year 6 – 95%

Jigsaw Award Scroll Winners

This week's certificates were for:

'Work well with a partner or in a group'

The winners are:

Nursery - Reagan O

Reception - Leni P

Year 1 – Miami Y

Year 2 – Alessia M C

Year 3 – Edna B

Year 4 - Rilev F

Year 5 – Yesandi W

Year 6 - Carly M

Well done for making our school a better place!



Timetable Rockstars/Numbots

This week's stars are:

Reception	Ellis G
Year 1	Yaman T
Year 2	Hassan B
Year 3	Sennen M
Year 4	Harry A
Year 5	Jake M
Year 6	David B



Class Dojos

This week's winners are:

Nursery	Evie D
Reception	Ellie S
Year 1	Alife-George J
Year 2	Louie H
Year 3	Emanuela M
Year 4	Candace M
Year 5	Alfie B
Year 6	Millicent R M



WINGS Award

This week's winners are:

Nursery	Edison H
Reception	Logan A
Year 1	Harrison B
Year 2	Stacey C
Year 3	Harvey J
Year 4	Finley B
Year 5	Camilla M
Year 6	Dylan R



Spelling Shed Award

This week's stars are:

Year 1	Harper U
Year 2	Abel W
Year 3	Edna B
Year 4	Bella T
Year 5	Abigail W-J
Year 6	Thomas W



Happy Lunchtime Award

This week's winners are:

Amber R	Joshua G
Hassan B	Macie P
Jaxson C	Angel Y
Zyra A	Stacey C
Theo H	

Suggestion Box

If there's anything you'd like us to know, or you have any ideas on how we can improve, please let us know in the box below.