

Robins Lane Primary School Newsletter

28th March 2025

Headteacher's Notes

Dear Parents and Carers,

Happy Friday everyone! The sun is shining and the sky is blue – a beautiful spring day. This is the last weekend in March so hopefully the weather will continue to lift everyone's mood as we head into April.

On Monday, Year 3 and 4 pupils had the exciting opportunity to attend De La Salle High School, where they participated in a multi-skills event. The event featured rotational circuit stations designed to focus on fundamental movement skills such as running, jumping, and balancing. Pupils showed enthusiasm and fully embraced our school values by participating with energy and determination. The children took part with great enthusiasm, developing their physical abilities and having fun along the way.

This week, in our Tuesday inspiration assembly, I told the incredible story of nurse and entrepreneur Mary Seacole from our amazing book 'Bold Women in Black History'. As always, I was delighted to see the children actively listening and considering Mary's life and the barriers she faced and, more importantly, how she overcame them. Next week, I will be sharing the story of Ada Lovelace from the 'Little People, Big Dreams' series – I wonder if you can help your child to do some research before the assembly? I hope so!

We had a very special visitor in school on Wednesday morning. The Easter Bunny arrived for breakfast in our hall as the children were munching on toast and eating their cereal and completing Easter craft activities. The children received a chocolate egg and a hi five from our lovely bunny. Thank you to Miss Kanters and our PTFA for organising this event – the children loved it!

A big thank you to all the parents who attended this week's Year 6 parent to school workshop. We focused on arithmetic and the strategies used to solve problems, and the children demonstrated a fantastic 'never give up' attitude throughout. On Wednesday we also welcomed Year 5 and Year 6 parents to a meeting about our London trip. Mr Cox's PowerPoint with all information has been sent out via email and uploaded to Y6 & Y5 Dojo. Please contact school if you have any further questions.

Our Year 3 and 4 pupils were back in sporting action on Thursday and had a fantastic time at a football tournament held at Ruskin Drive. They demonstrated excellent teamwork and developed their football skills through friendly yet competitive matches. Everyone left the tournament proud of their progress and accomplishments. Well done Robins Lane!

Also on Thursday afternoon, Year 5 and 6 pupils attended Queens Park for their swimming assessments. Each pupil had the chance to swim 25 metres, which is the expected benchmark by the end of Year 6. The pupils worked incredibly hard, showing determination and perseverance. Mr. Lownsbrough was extremely proud of every pupil's progress. The afternoon was a great success, showing that commitment and effort really do pay off.

Have a relaxing, restful weekend and don't forget to put your clocks forward this weekend!

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Tomkow







Attendance

This week's class attendance is:

Reception – 98.28% Year 1 – 99% Year 2 – 98.57% Year 3 – 95.33% Year 4 – 94% Year 5 – 91.67% Year 6 – 97.69%

Jigsaw Award Scroll Winners

This week's certificates were for:

'Know how to be a good friend and enjoy healthy relationships'

The winners are:

Nursery – Rileigh D Reception – Mollie S Year 1 – Joshua N Year 2 – Stacey C Year 3 – Jolya J Year 4 – Candace M Year 5 – Kai O Year 6 – David A

Well done for making our school a better place!



Timetable Rockstars/Numbots

This week's stars are:

Reception	Verity J
Year 1	George M-W
Year 2	Steven W
Year 3	Sennen M
Year 4	Luke H
Year 5	Camilla M
Year 6	David B



Class Dojos

This week's winners are:

Nursery	Negan D
Reception	Beatrice LP
Year 1	River G
Year 2	Logan S
Year 3	Edna B
Year 4	Lucca H
Year 5	Nathaniel N
Year 6	Seren B



WINGS Award

This week's winners are:

Nursery	Tristan Y
Reception	Aubrey-Lee Mc
Year 1	Sophia C
Year 2	James R M
Year 3	Junior M
Year 4	Emalea C
Year 5	Charlie W
Year 6	Logan L



Spelling Shed Award This week's stars are:

Year 1	George M-W
Year 2	George P
Year 3	Edna B
Year 4	Finley B
Year 5	Nathaniel N
Year 6	Logan L



Happy Lunchtime Award This week's winners are:

Logan SCairon AJoshua NKai ODean HAly A

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.