

## From the head

What a busy first half term I have had at Wensum. I have enjoyed meeting many of the children and their families and have been made to feel very welcome. I will continue to work on knowing every child's name this half-term and will hopefully have this mastered by Easter!!!

I would like to say a huge well done to the children for working so hard and earning many house points and stickers. I have really enjoyed presenting our **Values certificates** and **Head teacher awards** to the children during our Friday celebration assemblies. This makes me feel so proud and I hope you will be celebrating at home too.

During my walks around the school, it has been so lovely to see how smart the children are looking in their uniforms. Thank you for supporting the school with the expectations around school uniform. We look a very smart bunch!!

From September, the children will be required to wear a t-shirt in their house colour for their PE lessons. If your child would like to wear this before September, for PE, and you are happy to support this, this would be fine.

I am looking forward to another successful half term

Thank you for your continued support.

Mrs Peachment

## Reminders:

- Please ensure your child is provided with a **healthy snack** for break times and a **water bottle**. The snack can include fruit, veg or a cereal bar.
- No **toys, personal belongings, or jewellery** should be bought into school. This includes fidget toys. Only fidgets issued from the school are allowed in school.

## Dates for your diary:

**Thursday 2nd March** - World book day

**Tuesday 7th March** - Science day

**Friday 31st March** - Last day of term

**Tuesday 28th & Thursday 30th March** - Parents evening

# Awards

## Always Award:

3/4S: **Sonny & Maya**  
3/4G: **George, Meredith & Nabiha**  
3/4K: **Isla, Rawaa & Matilda**  
5W: **Joshua, Lily-Mae & Reece**  
5N: **Sanuka & Mackenzie**  
6H: **Olivia & Izabella**  
6BW: **Jezley & Liam**

## Honest Award:

3/4S: **Benjamin & Lexi**  
3/4G: **Henley**  
3/4K: **Maria**  
5W: **Reece, Logan E & Ahmed**  
6H: **Grace**  
6BW: **Eva**

## Kindness Award:

3/4S: **Diana & Joyce**  
3/4G: **Lola & Gabijus**  
3/4K: **Matilda & Ashlyn**  
5W: **Elyssa, Lena & Poppy**  
6H: **Izabella & Lillie**  
6BW: **Matilda Me**

## Respectful Award:

3/4S: **Meadow-Rose & Ethan**  
3/4G: **Bradley & Vraj**  
3/4K: **Kobi & Abigail**  
5W: **Lula, Lexi & Jasmine**  
5N: **Marwa & Amelia N**  
6H: **Jacob & Tommy**  
6BW: **Mason**

## Attendance Breakfast

Well done to 5N & 3/4K for winning the attendance breakfast!



## Headteacher Awards

**Colby** - 3/4s, **Amelia & Ellie-Mai** - 5N for their amazing efforts this month and working hard!

Congratulations to **FIRE** house, for achieving 566 house points last half term! They all enjoyed their reward time in the Forest School Area.

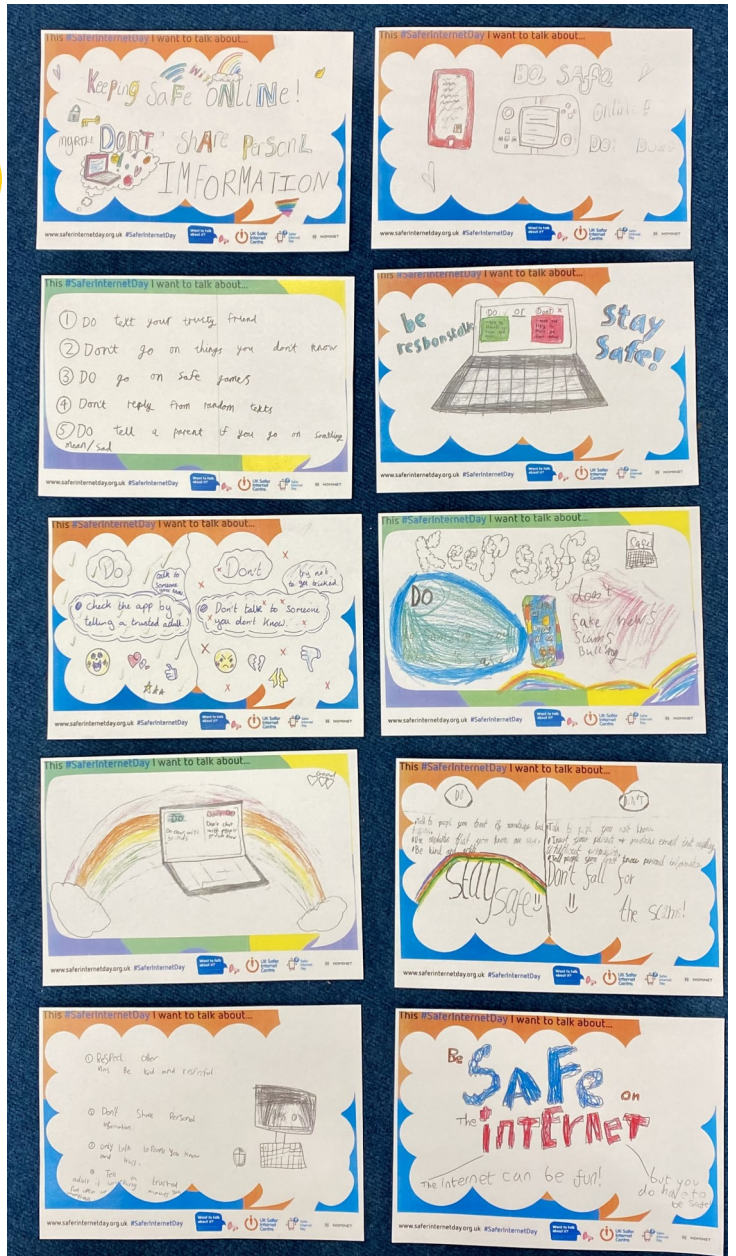
**THANKYOU** to the children who have been following our school values and wearing the correct uniform in school.

3/4s  
have been busy...

Mr. Smith gave us some paper and told us to design a poster to explain how to be safe on the internet and express how important it is.



Sonny & Benjamin—3/4s



We designed what we would like our Egyptian Death Masks to look like if we were an Egyptian Pharaoh.

We did a rough version and then a larger finalized version.

## Year 5 & 6 Hilltop Residential

The best bit was high ropes, where you went onto a very high platform and jumped off! It was scary.

The wobbly log was fun too, you had to surf on a log held in the air by chains. The trick was to stay as still as possible so it didn't

The big zip line was the best.  
The food was super yummy,  
we had a roast on the first day  
and pizza the next day. The  
beds were really comfy too. -  
Oaklyn 6H



We went on the zip line and it  
was really high, but I like heights!  
There was a games room and we  
got to play pool - Jack 5N



One of my favourite things was going on the zip line. The first time I went on my front and it was really fun, I felt like I was flying!

I had a lot of fun on the assault course too, the instructor told us the water was a swamp full with alligators, but we knew it was really just water with food colouring. - Elyssa 5W

## Reading

Please ensure you are reading with your child at least 3 times a week. It is important that this is recorded in their Reading Records to ensure your child receives a housepoint.

They will also have the chance to earn a reading certificate at the end of the half term if they get their housepoints every week!

World Book Day - children are invited to come to school dressed as a book character or a book inspired outfit.

Children will receive a book token to exchange in a local bookshop for a World Book Day book!

