



Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> October 2023

Dear Families,

I do hope that you have all had a lovely two weeks and that your children have managed to settle into their new classes well. Mrs Bull and I have really enjoyed visiting the classes these past few weeks and seeing all the fabulous learning that has been taking place.

### **Sayers Croft**



At the start of the week, twenty of our Year 4 children joined some of the children from William Morris and went off for their first residential trip to Sayers Croft for two nights. The children had a wonderful time over the three days and they enjoyed a variety of activities including pond dipping, shelter building and a very exciting night walk through the woods. It was great to see the children challenging themselves and showing some great resilience. This was particularly evident when the children were split into smaller groups and had to complete a low ropes course and climb the rock

wall. It really was a fun packed three days and the children enjoyed every minute!



### **Uniform Sale**

We held our first second hand uniform sale of the year this week and it was a huge success. These sales will be held once a month so please do keep a look out for the text reminders so that you may come and take advantage of the bargains. If you do have any old uniform at home, which your child may have grown out of, please do send it into the school office so that we can recycle it.

### **End of the Day**

Please may we remind all our families that the gates will close at 3.25 pm at the end of the school day. We do ask that you collect your child/children and then leave the school promptly. Please do also remind your children that bikes and scooters should only be ridden, once the children leave the school. We appreciate your cooperation with this.



## Wow Cards

A huge well done to the following children, who were chosen by their teachers to receive a Wow Card last week due to their fabulous learning and attitudes.

**Einstein:** Saima

**Livingstone:** N'Vayo and Olivia

**Ennis:** Riley and Matthew

**Donaldson:** Sienna

**Palin:** Zainab and Jakub

**Milne:** Lucy and Connor

**Mandela:** Abeeha and Michael

**Pankhurst:** Jimmy and Nana

**Roots:** Zaynab and Muhammad

**Bubl :** Jaydee and Krisha

**Da Vinci:** Amari and Kenan



## Punctuality and Attendance

At Lonesome, we are continuing to monitor the children's attendance and punctuality across the school closely. Good attendance and punctuality is essential to ensure that your child reaches their full potential. Please do make sure that your child is in class by 8.30 am every day. A huge well done to the classes who have achieved 94% attendance and above.

Class	Percentage %
Einstein AM	86%
Einstein PM	82%
Einstein Full Time	89%
Livingstone	92%
Donaldson	99%
Ennis	94%
Wonder	91%
Palin	92%
Lincoln	96%
Milne	92%
Mandela	98%
Pankhurst	100%
Wilberforce	91%
Roots	95%
Da Vinci	90%
Buble	96%
Total	94%

## Phonics and handwriting workshop

If you are a parent of a child in Reception and Year 1, please do come and see how we teach children how to read and learn a little bit more about our new handwriting scheme. This workshop is this coming Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> October at 6.00 pm.

## Cultural Kitchen

Please do come and share a home cooked dish that you and your family enjoy and bring this to school at 2.50 pm on **Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> October 2023**. Then come and taste a whole selection of home cooked food for £3.00 per adult immediately after school.

Ms Revell and Mrs Bull



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