



Monday 15<sup>th</sup> April 2024

Dear Families,

We hope that you have had a lovely Easter break. We are looking forward to welcoming the children back to school tomorrow.

### BeDifferent Book Borrow

The first Book Borrow will take place on Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> April. This will continue to take place in the Key Stage 1 playground at 8.25 am. Please do continue to choose a book with your child and encourage them to read with you at home.



### The Big Walk and Wheel Event

Our JTA's did a fabulous job of encouraging the children to choose healthier ways to travel to school. They enjoyed being on the gate each morning to celebrate those who were walking, wheeling, scooting and cycling to school.

The JTA's enjoyed talking to the children about this challenge during assemblies. Thank you to those who spent time designing and/or making a Federated Mascot that we can share across our schools to celebrate the alternative and sustainable choices in our daily lives. Please look out for the next Bulletin where the winning mascot will be chosen.



### WINNER'S WEDNESDAY



The classes, that have achieved 94% or above attendance on the Friday, have now enjoyed the first round of the alternating certificate and BeDifferent pencil reward. The six classes with the highest attendance percentage on the Friday that have enjoyed the in-class **Pizza Party** so far have been Rowling Class, Potter Class, Kingsley Class, Attenborough Class and Farah Class – well done to Potter class who have won this treat twice!



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**Congratulations** to all of our Homework Heroes, who completed fabulous homework last half term! We are very proud of you for your effort, hard work and achievement.

<b>Beckham</b>	<b>Armstrong</b>	<b>Kingsley</b>
Frazer	Ace	Teodor
<b>Mozart</b>	<b>Potter</b>	<b>Farah</b>
Nicollas	Larisa	Nathaniel
<b>Presley</b>	<b>Rowling</b>	<b>Attenborough</b>
Marvin	Andrei	Freddie



The BeDifferent performance group of gymnasts were invited to take part in the DMA Acro Competition in Coulsdon on Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> March. There were three categories: infants, juniors and seniors with almost a hundred children competing from seven gyms/schools. The children competed solo and as a pair in rounds up until the last round of six finalists.



**Congratulations** to the BeDifferent performance group gymnasts who achieved these positions. Everyone who took part did an amazing job and we are very proud of them!

<b>Infants</b>	<b>Juniors</b>	<b>Seniors</b>
Solos 2 <sup>nd</sup> place	Solos 3 <sup>rd</sup> and 6 <sup>th</sup> place	Solos 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 3 <sup>rd</sup> and 4 <sup>th</sup> place
Duets 3 <sup>rd</sup> and 4 <sup>th</sup> place	Duets 3 <sup>rd</sup> , 4 <sup>th</sup> , 5 <sup>th</sup> and 6 <sup>th</sup> place	Duets 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 4 <sup>th</sup> , 5 <sup>th</sup> and 6 <sup>th</sup> place

**Attendance**

Punctuality and attendance continue to be an area of focus. Please may we also take this opportunity to remind you that school starts for the children at 8.30 am. Those children who arrive to school after this time are missing out on planned Early Morning Work that sets them up for the day.



**A HUGE** congratulations to our Mrs Bull, who completed the Paris Marathon during the Easter holiday. She has worked tirelessly to has raised almost £4,000 for Cancer Research.

<b>Class</b>	<b>Percentage %</b>
Holmes AM	80%
Holmes PM	95%
Holmes Full Time	88%
Beckham	92%
Armstrong	93%
Kingsley	98%
Potter	97%
Mozart	90%
Farah	96%
Rowling	94%
Presley	88%
Attenborough	88%
Gates	98%

prepare for the event and

**Mrs Bull and Miss Akhtar**