

22nd September 2025

Dear Families,

It has been lovely to welcome the children back to school. They have settled really well into their routines and become familiar with the learning expectations of their class. Well done to our Reception and Nursery children who started school last week. They have settled beautifully and have been eager to be in school and embrace newer routines.

Home Learning

Please make sure that your children are accessing the Google Classroom each week to complete any home learning that has been set for them by their class teacher. The children's Google Classroom login details can be found in their reading record diaries. Please do encourage your child to complete their weekly Mathletics tasks, as this will determine who the winning class will be each week!



Celebrating achievement

It has been lovely to see the number of children who have achieved an 'ask me what I have achieved today' sticker. Please do ask your children about their achievements, when you see them wearing a sticker at home time.

Our Year 1 children enjoyed a wonderful Kings and Queens High Tea dress up afternoon last week. They enjoyed making crowns and then eating sandwiches and scones. They looked fabulous in their outfits that were fit for Kings and Queens! What a wonderful way for them to engage in their project theme 'I love London'.

















Bedtime Reading Challenge

Children in Reception and Year 1 will be invited to attend the Bedtime Story session with their class teacher on Thursday 25th September at 5.30 pm. This will then kick start their 19-day bedtime reading challenge. Please write the name of the book that your child has read on the challenge grid that they will be given. This will need to be given to your child's class teacher after they have completed the 19-day challenge. We look forward to seeing lots of you there!



Friday

School finishes for children at 2.30 pm on a Friday, unless your child has been signed up to attend After School Club. Please make sure that you collect your child on time to avoid being issued with a late charge fee.

Attendance-a revised way to celebrate

Attendance is monitored very closely at William Morris and our attendance target percentage for this academic year is **96%**. Here is the class attendance from last week.

We are pleased with our weekly attendance percentages. Four classes exceed our target of 96% this last week and we look forward to see all classes achieving this target moving forward.

We have yet to celebrate a winning class that have been in school 100% of the week but we are sure it will happen soon. The pizza party of the year. The pizza party now includes an in-class meal filled with treats of pizza, chicken nuggets, garlic bread and more plus a Cadbury's attendance chocolate bar! The children then spend an hour of the afternoon enjoying a mix of activities and board games from home.

Class	Percentage %
Holmes AM	90%
Holmes Full Time	100%
Beckham	94%
Kingsley	98%
Potter	95%
Mozart	92%
Luther King	99%
Rowling	93%
Presley	94%
Monet	98%
Gates	93%

ATTENDANCE MAT

Mrs Bull and Miss Akhtar













