

Newsletter

Pupil premium/free school meal form

Thank you to all parents/carers who have returned the completed pupil premium/free school meal form. We hope the £5 Love2shop voucher/s came into use during the Christmas break!

There are still a number of forms we have not received – which means we still have vouchers to hand out!

Please come along to the school between 9.15am – 9.45am on Monday 14th January to complete the form and receive the £5 voucher.

Attendance reminder from Janet

Welcome back to the new term. I was disappointed that all classes' attendance was below 90% this week. The pupils who have been absent this week have missed out on Design and Technology week. Please ensure that your child is only absent from School if they are very unwell. There should be no holidays taken during term time. Thank you.

PE & Swimming Kit reminder

Please can we remind parents/carers that pupils need to bring their PE Kit on the two set days weekly and their Swimming kit on the set day. The School PE kit consists of a black/navy t-shirt and black/navy track suit bottoms – all plain and no logos. The Swim kit is a one piece swimming costume for girls and swimming trunks for boys. Please also ensure they have a towel and a swimming hat. Please support your child by preparing their PE / swim Kit on the night before they have these lessons as there are still a large number of children forgetting to bring in their Kit on a weekly basis.

Important dates:

Last day of term: Friday 15th February

Half Term Break: Monday 18th to Friday 22nd February

Pupil return to School: Monday 25th February

Friday 11th January 2019

Consultation on the proposal that Solebay Primary Academy should continue to operate a nursery class

Due to an administrative error dating back to before September 2014, there is a need to consult with stakeholders - including parents/carers - as to whether Solebay should continue to operate a nursery class from September 2019 onwards. We are very keen to do so - we believe it is absolutely in the best interests of children to attend a high quality nursery class and then move through into reception. Further information is available on the school web site. The consultation closes at 9am on Friday 8 February 2019.

Tea/coffee morning

You are invited to come along to our tea/coffee morning on Friday 18th January from 9am to 10am. We look forward to seeing you there!

Design and Technology Week (D&T Week)

This week has been D&T week at Solebay. Children across the school have been baking bread, designing pop up cards and designing cards with a sliding mechanism. For example Year 2 have designed and made a healthy wrap to encourage children to eat healthily. They loved the taste of all the colourful vegetables! All classes have thoroughly enjoyed D&T week and have been showcasing their creative skills.



STAR PUPILS:

w/c 17th Dec 2018

Nursey Red

Amirah - For joining in more at carpet times.

Tayyar - For writing his name independently.

Reception Red

Salman - Excellence - For learning the script for our winter production and being such a good reader!

Khadija - Excellence - For learning the script for our winter production and being such an amazing reader.

1 Red

Safwan - For always being a kind and helpful member of the class. Safwan demonstrated the value integrity!

Finlay - For showing excellence when singing. Finlay sang with great expression during our production! Well done Finlay!

Poppy - Poppy used a loud and clear voice to speak to the audience during our production. Poppy demonstrated the value of excellence. Well done Poppy!!

Annie - For showing excellence when carrying out our science experiment on greenhouse gases. Annie made a good prediction using the correct scientific language. Well done Annie!

2 Red

Kaiser - Kaiser has been trying really hard in all lessons.

Isabella - Isabella tried and worked really hard in her performance in the Winter Concert.

2 Blue

Isabelle - For brilliant narration during the Christmas performance.

A'ziah - For always smiling and being positive around school.

3 Red

Orson - For showing excellence in all subjects, particularly Geography and Writing.

Jihad - For writing a fantastic book review of The Little Vampire.

4 Red

Mia - Excellent role model for her peers.

Jesse - Excellent role model for his peers.

4 Blue

Intisaar - Intisaar has worked very hard to always do the right thing even when no one is looking. Intisaar has achieved the value of integrity.

Joel - Joel has worked very hard this week to improve his behaviour, as a result he has achieved the value of community.

5 Red

Al-Ameen - Al-Ameen is awarded star pupil for his eagerness and positive attitude towards learning. Al-Ameen is keen to learn and is always willing to learn beyond the classroom.

Ella - Ella has really tried hard in her reading this week. She has been participating during class discussions and is applying the skills she has learnt into her independent work.

5 Blue

Ilyas - Community - For helping others and always trying his best.

Saul - Integrity - For always staying on task when working independently.

6 Red

Adriana - Integrity - Adrianna is a pleasure to have in the classroom, she consistently does the right thing and makes excellent contributions during class discussions, well done.

Shardae - Integrity - When struggling with a maths topic Shardae took it upon herself to ask for extra work and worked incredibly hard all week, she can now find percentages of a number easily. Well done!

Nehan - For Excellence. Nehan enjoyed the Science topic on space so much that he and his mum worked on a project on Astronomy, which he shared with his class.

6 Blue

Riya - For improved behaviour and concentration in class. As a result, Riya is showing a higher level of excellence.

Kia - Kia has been working hard with her maths recently. She has been resilient with her learning and has not given up when learning has been difficult.

Oishi - For being a great school council member, and leading by example. She has shown an increased level of excellence in everything she does.

Abdul Aziz - Abdul Aziz has shown more integrity, as a result the level and quality of his work has improved substantially.