



LAST WEEK'S ATTENDANCE

Our School Target is 97%

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Nursery (Seahorses)	- 94.7%
Reception (Turtles)	- 93.4%
Year 1 (Jellyfish)	- 94.6%
Year 2 (Puffins)	- 97.6%
Year 3 (Sharks)	- 93.9%
Year 4 (Penguins)	- 95.0%

Well Done Puffins!

STARS OF THE WEEK

Charlie Nealon
Lilly Brown
Callum Berney
Sofia Anderson
Skylar-Jay Cowie
Hallie Stewart
Ted Purvis

2019 SCHOOL DIARY

Mon 11th—Weds 13th November	Y4 Robinwood Residential
Tuesday 12th November	Y1 Hula Hooping Festival-Ashington
Wednesday 13th November	Y3 Tag Rugby Festival-Alnwick
Friday 15th November	Children in Need Day (Bright Clothes)
Tuesday 26th November	Y4 Beamish Visit
Weds 27th November	KS1/KS2 to Dovecote Centre to see 'The Snow Queen'
Thursday 28th November	9am—Year 4 Class Assembly
Friday 29th November	Non Uniform Day (Bring a Bottle)
Monday 2nd December	Book Bus Coming 3pm PTA Christmas Market
NEW Wednesday 4th December	3.15pm Christmas Craft Evening
NEW Thursday 5th December	9am—Christingle Assembly
NEW Monday 9th December	9.30am & 2pm Early Years & Y1 Christmas Performances
NEW Tuesday 10th December	9.30am Early Years & Y1 Christmas Performance
NEW Monday 16th December	2pm—Y2,3 & 4 Christmas Performance
NEW Tuesday 17th December	9.30am -Y2,3 & 4 Christmas Performance
NEW Wednesday 18th December	1.30pm -Christmas Service at St Cuthbert's Church
NEW Thursday 19th December	CHRISTMAS JUMPER DAY Christmas Dinner
NEW Friday 20th December	PARTY DAY SCHOOL CLOSSES AT 2pm



CHILDREN IN NEED

It's Children in Need day on Friday 15th November. We'll keep our fundraising simple and today we've sent home the usual box of smarties that we hope the children will enjoy eating before refilling the box with coins. We'll also invite the children to come to school in bright clothes that day to help raise a little more for this great cause.

EXCITING NEWS! CHRISTMAS MARKET

This week, we have put out information about our plans for a Christmas Market style Christmas Fair. Our PTA have been busy planning this event that will be held mainly in the school car park and grounds and include a range of different stalls as well as some rides and other entertainment. We hope that this will be another good fundraiser for us. We are hoping to run a large Teddy Tombola as well as a stall where bottles of many different types can be won.

HOW CAN YOU HELP?

We'd really appreciate donations of unwanted soft toys in good condition and any other possible tombola or raffle prizes. We are also going to hold a non-uniform day on Friday 29th November in return for bring a bottle of something to school for our Christmas Market. Any other offers of help should be directed to Mrs Dellbridge in the office. Look out for posters around school for more details.

ATTENDANCE AWARDS

At the end of last half term, all of our nursery children who achieved over 97% attendance were rewarded with a Teeny Ty toy which they really seemed to love. We hope that this will help improve nursery attendance which is typically lower than the rest of the school. The children have a chance to win one of these toys each half term for good attendance. This week we also drew our In To Win winners. All children with 100% attendance and no more than 1 late mark in each half term are entered into the draw for a trip to Spurreli for ice cream. This time the lucky winners are: Amelia Rose Macnamara-Charlton, Archie Wilson, Billy Langmaid, Sophie Ross, Annie Falkous, and Conner Roberts.

WORD OF THE WEEK CHALLENGE

Word of the Week challenge will continue again this half term. We've been really impressed with the new words that the children are finding out about and have seen an increase in their interest in finding out more about words that they do not know in their reading! Also look out for the READING BOOKMARKS that are coming home with the children -these have got lots of questions on that will help parents when listening to the children read.

SWIMMING—NEXT WEEK

Swimming lessons next week are for **Year 1 on Thursday and Year 3 on Friday**. Please ensure children come to school with their swimming kit and contribution.

PUNCTUALITY CHALLENGE

Our target this half term is **LESS THAN 35 LATES**. Unfortunately we missed our target last half term. So far this term we have 6 lates.