



### LAST WEEK'S ATTENDANCE

Our School Target is 97%

**LAST WEEK: 97.4%**

Nursery (Seahorses)	-93.6%
Reception (Turtles)	-99.6%
Year 1 (Jellyfish)	-94.6%
Year 2 (Puffins)	-99.3%
Year 3 (Sharks)	-93.9%
Year 4 (Penguins)	-99.1%

**Well Done Turtles**

### STARS OF THE WEEK

**Thomas Handyside  
Olivia Million  
Niall Baxter  
Bas Webber  
Eden Handyside  
Scarlett Arries  
Noah Baxter**

### 2019 SCHOOL DIARY

Tuesday 15th October	2.30pm -Parents' Session—preventing winter illnesses
Wednesday 16th October	Y2 trip to Alnwick Castle
Thursday 17th October	9am- Harvest Assembly
<b>***NEW***</b> Monday 21st October	2.15pm—Online Safety Session for Parents
Tuesday 22nd October	4pm and 5.15pm PTA Halloween Discos
Thursday 24th October	Deadline day for entries to Pumpkin Competition
<b>***NEW***</b> Thursday 24th October	9am—Year 2 Puffins Class Assembly
Friday 25th October	Parents to classroom to look at books
Friday 25th October	Non uniform day in aid of EdUKaid
Friday 25th October	3.15pm—School Closes for Half Term
Tuesday 5th November	School reopens for Autumn Half Term 2
<b>***NEW***</b> Wednesday 6th November	3.15pm Final Robinwood Meeting for Y4 Parents
Mon 11th—Weds 13th November	Y4 Robinwood Residential

### FREE PARENTS' SESSION: HELPING TO PREVENT WINTER ILLNESSES

Parents are invited to come along to meet Jane, our school nurse, at 2.15pm on Tuesday 15th October to discuss ways that we can prevent children getting winter illnesses which can often spread quickly in a school and lead to low attendance. No need to sign up, just come to the school office.!

### HARVEST ASSEMBLY AND FOOD BANK THURSDAY

Thanks to everyone who has already donated food items that we will donate to Amble Food Bank after our Harvest Assembly on Thursday at 9am. Please keep these coming! Parents are invited to come and join us for assembly at which each class will do a short performance of a song or poem.

### KEEPING CHILDREN SAFE ONLINE - PARENTS' SESSION MONDAY 21st OCTOBER

Mr Heeley will be running a session for parents giving advice about some of the risks that children face when going online, how we address these in school and how parents can help reduce these risks at home. The session will run from 2.15pm and will end before the end of the school day. **PLEASE LET US KNOW AT THE SCHOOL OFFICE IF YOU'D LIKE TO BOOK A PLACE.**

### PTA HALLOWEEN DISCOS



Our next PTA events are the Halloween Discos to be held on Tuesday 22nd October. These are to be held from 4pm to 5pm for children in Nursery, Reception and Y1 followed by 5.15pm-6.15pm for children in Y2-Y4. **There will be no Lego Club, Book Club or KS1 Football Club on this evening.** Look out for posters around school for more details.

### SUMDOG COMPETITION

Well done to all of the children who took part in the Sumdog competition this week. We had some great results with Isla (Y3) coming 5th overall in the county for the number of correct answers. Using Sumdog is really helping support children with their maths fluency.

### WORD OF THE WEEK CHALLENGE

Our favourite words chosen this week are: Y1—method (Emma M), Y2- mangle (Nina B) Y3- dispel (Jonah M), Y4-attempt (Felicity).

We ask the children to find a new word every week and learn it's meaning—they're really enjoying doing this and are showing an increased interest in vocabulary.

### SWIMMING—NEXT WEEK

Swimming lessons next week are for **Year 2 on Thursday and Year 4 on Friday**. Please ensure children come to school with their swimming kit and contribution.

### SCHOOL SAFEGUARDING INFORMATION

Our school Safeguarding/Child Protection Policy can be found on the school website or at the school office. Our Designated Safeguarding Leads are Mr Heeley and Miss Lightley. If you are in any way concerned about the safety or wellbeing of a child please get in touch with one of them immediately through the school office.

### DAILY GOLDEN MILE

Our children are really enjoying completing their daily 'Golden Mile' activity. We've been really impressed to see some of them pushing themselves to improve how many laps they can do each day. In total this half term children in Y1-Y4 have run or walked nearly 830 miles. Many children are also choosing to walk or run at playtimes too. At this rate we're going to have some very fit children in our school!

### PUNCTUALITY CHALLENGE

So far this half term we have counted **25 LATES**. Our target this half term is **LESS THAN 40 LATES**. **If we achieve this the children earn a treat this half term.**