

Week 14 Newsletter 15/12/2016

Behaviour – Traffic Lights

At the Academy we use a traffic light system to warn children if their behaviour is not of the acceptable standard. The aim is for the children to stay in green. For children to display green behaviour; they would be in the right place, at the right time, doing the right thing. The totals below show many children have achieved this each week.

This week **337** out of **339** children have stayed in Green.

Well Done!



Pandas	Frogs	Spiders	Penguins	Lions	Butterflies	Ladybirds	Sharks	Leopards	Meerkats	Panthers	Tigers	Eagles
41/41	24/24	22/22	24/24	26/26	21/21	19/19	19/19	20/20	29/29	32/32	28/28	32/34

Frogs	94.8% 1 late
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Spiders	95.5% 2 lates
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Penguins	99.5% 1 late
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Lions	95.7% 2 lates
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Butterflies	99.4% 1 late
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Ladybirds	98.7% 2 lates
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Attendance and Lates

Whole School:

97.8% 20 Lates

Our attendance target for the year is 96.5%

Year to date is 96%



Sharks	98.7% 0 lates
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Leopards	95.6% 1 late
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Meerkats	100% 1 late
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Panthers	99.2% 1 late
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Tigers	99.1% 4 lates
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Eagles	97.1% 3 lates
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Clubs

Monday

iPad	Mrs Amor
Science	Miss Suthers
Football	Mr Kelly
Rugby	Mrs Hartley
Climbing	Mr Rennardson

Wednesday

Film	Miss England
Football Team Training	Mr Forrest
Cookery	Mrs Garrard
Dance	Miss Newlove

Thursday

Gymnastics	Miss Carter
Craft	Miss Eggleton
Lego	Mrs Hewitt
Loom Band	Miss Wilkinson
Football KS2	Miss Shepherd
Art	Mr Ullah
Wildlife	Miss Jeacock
Change for Life	Mrs Hartley

Upcoming Key Dates

Every Mon 8.45am-9.00am	Stay and Read Years 1 to 3
Every Wed 2.30-3.00pm	Parent Drop in with Mrs Finn & Mrs Leslie
Every Fri 8.45am-9.15am	Phonics Friday for F1 & F2
Tuesday 3rd January	Academy re-opens
Friday 6th January	Leading Learners and Celebration Assembly 9.15 am-9.45am KS2 10.00am-10.30 am KS1
Friday 6th January	Dodgeball Tournament
Friday 27th January	Athletics Championships Y3/4/5/6
Friday 17th February	Close for half-term break
Monday 27th February	Academy re-opens

Stars of the Week!

Pandas - Freyja	Sharks - Jasmine
Frogs - Brooke G	Leopards - Evie
Spiders - Olivia	Meerkats - Vyte
Lions - Kimberley	Tigers - Taylor
Penguins - Rona	Panthers - Ola
Ladybirds - Bethany	Eagles - Ethan
Butterflies - Lola	



On Tuesday, the children performed a magical concert well done to everyone! It was a fantastic way to end the term.

Then, at the end of the week we had an amazing reward watching Puzzling Paul the entertainer and having our Christmas party.



F1 - @EstcourtFS1

Thank you to all our grown ups for all the support this year from donations of cooking ingredients, supporting Phonics Friday and Stay and Play ,to costumes for the Nativity- Happy Holidays!



F2 - @EstcourtFS2



A fun filled week for the Lions and Penguins! We learnt all about the Christingle and even had the opportunity to make our own and send it to Church.

We have also shown our artistic side by creating calendars and cards using prints!

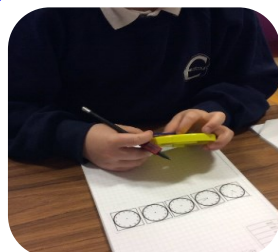
Lions - @EstcourtYear1 Penguins - @EstcourtYr1



Leopards and Sharks have been very busy this week!

We had great fun during the reward trip for all our hard work and excellent behaviour and we thoroughly enjoyed creating a range of cards and calendars by using our Art skills!

Leopards - @EstcourtYear3 Sharks - @EstcourtSharks



The Panthers have been looking at converting analogue to digital time and back again before heading to our amazing trip to Hollywood Bowl!

Then, we had great fun creating our very own calendars and dancing at our Christmas party on Wednesday!

Panthers - @EstcourtYear4

What a wonderful Christmas week in the Eagles! On Tuesday we worked on our enterprise skills and created our own baubles based on the Tudor Rose.

After that, we danced the afternoon away at the Christmas parties followed by a lovely afternoon at church. The readers were an absolute credit to the school- well done Eagles!



Eagles - @EstcourtYear6



We've felt very festive here in Year Two. We have been very creative whilst making some beautiful cards and calendars and did an excellent job.

Also, we had a great time at our reward watching Puzzling Paul . We hope you all have a safe and very happy Christmas!

Ladybirds @EstcourtYear_2 Butterflies - @EstcourtYear2

This week the Meerkats have certainly enjoyed all the festivities. We had amazing fun at the Bowling trip for all our hard work.

Then on Thursday we had a fabulous time in church and it was the best service we've ever had! Great singing done by all! Thank you to all our families for coming.



Meerkats - @EstcourtYear4n5

We have certainly been rocking around our Christmas tree this week.! We created a Tudor Christmas topic page, we compared a Tudor Christmas to our own. We made our own Tudor Rose baubles, Christmas calendars and cards. Well done to all that were rewarded with bowling, it was a splendid morning out.



Tigers -

Celebration!

A huge well done to all the children in the Academy who took part in the Music performance this week! They have all worked extremely hard and loved playing a range of Christmas songs.



Thank you to everyone who came to the Christmas Fayre. We managed to raise £600. Well done!



Also thank you to everyone who donated to our Christmas Jumper Appeal. We will let you know in the New Year exactly how much we raised.



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At Estcourt Primary Academy, the welfare of all our pupils is of great importance to us and we hope that parents are confident about their children's health and safety whilst in our Academy. Thank you for the parent feedback: You said you would like more information on where to find our Safeguarding policies including Anti-Bullying.

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