

Our Christian Value this week is **Forgiveness**



Dates for the diary

7th March – Oak Team (Green) Non-Uniform Day 25th & 26th March – Parents **Evenings** 10th April – Close @ 2.00pm for Easter break 22nd April – Summer term starts



Come to school – it's really cool! **Be on time** – it helps you shine!



Diamond 9

Our Diamond 9 word this week in class has been 'Collaborative'.



Class 1 Newsletter

Friday 28th February



Reception

We have enjoyed sharing all the activities we did over the half term holiday, and writing about something we enjoyed doing. This term we will be looking at seaside holidays and thinking about how they have changed over time. We painted some pictures of things we love to do at the beach. In Maths we have looked at the composition of numbers. We put 8 stickers on a ladybird and looked at all, the different ways we could make 8, eg 4+4, 7+1, 5+3. We are looking at odd and even numbers and have been counting to see if we have an odd or even number of children in class. In RE we will be learning about the events of Easter. We shared the story 'Guess How Much I Love You' and thought about all the people we love. We wrote a prayer thanking God for all the special people in our life.

Year 1

We had a special delivery in Year 1 this week, Miss Watson's Auntie Susan has crocheted us some snuggle buddies to have in class, along with a range of fiddle toys.

Each day we are choosing 4 children who have demonstrated something to be proud of, to take a turn with the buddies. Before our Half Term break we enjoyed activities linked to National Storytelling week, where we wrote a whole school story. Mr Pratley came to share a story with us in Class.

As a class we wrote 3 books; Our Favourite Stories, Our Inventions and Our How to be Happy Book.



We have started looking at Fact Files in English this week. In Maths we are now working on numbers to 50 and have been practising counting in 10s.

Our termly overviews are now on the website for you to look at. They inform you of all the learning we will be doing until Easter. Reception children have a new homework activity sheet that links with our learning. Please see your yellow homework books. We hope you enjoy the activities!

Attendance Reminder

Our attendance figures across school weren't great last term. We know that children often pick up bugs at this time of year, but we encourage all children to be in school as much as they can. A reminder that holidays are rarely approved in term time, except in exceptional circumstances. Thank you for your support.



Reception Certificate Winners	Year 1 Certificate Winners
Curriculum Awards	Curriculum Awards
Freya – for using her wonderful imagination in her play. Allan – for excellent work finding odd and even numbers.	Oakley – for a great understanding of Fact Families in Maths. Freddie – for showing perseverance even though he has been injured.
Christian Value/Diamond 9 Certificate	Christian Value/Diamond 9 Certificate
Ellie-Mae – for being honest and always telling the truth. Laila – for always playing and learning collaboratively.	Nora – for being a trustworthy member of the class. Samuel – for being a forgiving friend.
Star Writer	Star Writer
Brody – for making such fantastic progress in his writing. Rogan – for excellent independent writing about his half term news.	Rosie - for excellent work unscrambling the sentences and writing them correctly. Oliver – for excellent springtime writing and extending his sentences. Oliver also spelt 'people' in front of the whole school, which made us very proud.

Well done on letting your lights shine so brightly!

