



Dame Dorothy Primary School Weekly Newsletter



18th - 22nd November

Star of the Week

Year 1	Drew
Year 2	Kiera
Year 3	Alyssa-Mae
Year 4	Emily
Year 5	Abdullah
Year 6	Alfie

Weekly Attendance League Table						
☺ = 100% class attendance ☻ = best class attendance (not 100%)						
R	Y1	Y2	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6
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Remember to check out our Facebook page



House Group Winners	Best Class Attendance	Whole School Attendance
Red & Yellow	Reception 95.5%	87.7%

Books for school: The school has signed up for a scheme to receive over 100 new books but we will need your help. The Sun newspaper is offering the chance for readers to collect tokens to pass on to schools between now and February and hopefully we will have enough to claim the new books. You can send your tokens into school via the office. Many thanks.

Hand washing: There have been several schools affected by a sickness bug in the city this week but fortunately we appear to have been largely unaffected so far. We are reminding children to wash their hands thoroughly and regularly to minimise the chance of infection and we would appreciate if you could reinforce this message with them too.

Christmas Fayre: Our Christmas Fayre is only two weeks away. We are looking forward to seeing you all from 2:30pm on the 6th December. Any donations to our fayre will be gratefully received.



Nasal Spray: The school nurses will be in school on Tuesday 26th November in the afternoon to give the immunisations to the children that return their form to the school office.

The Safeguarding designated people are; Mr Williamson, Mrs Pearson and Mrs Burdon. The Anti-Bullying Coordinators for the school are; Mrs Burdon and Mrs Pearson.



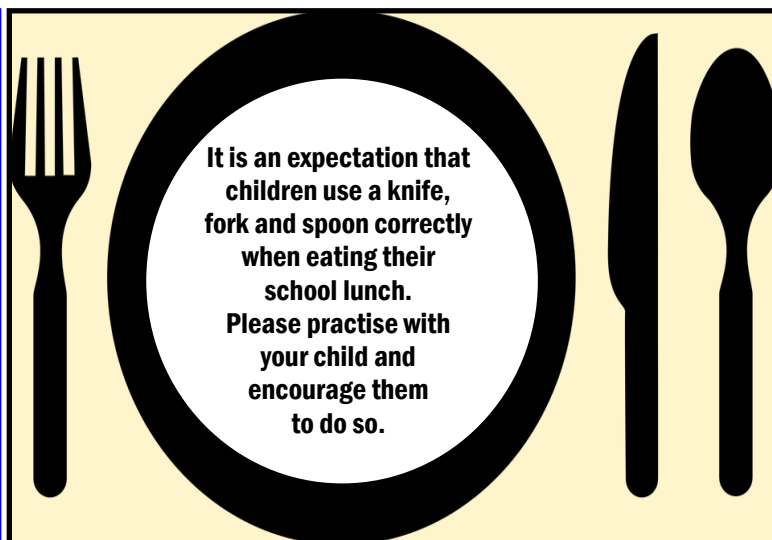
Mental Health and Well-Being Champion - Miss Baker.



Safeguarding Governor - Mrs Roberts.



Swimming: Good luck to our elite swimming squad who are competing in the cluster gala at Monkwearmouth against our neighbouring schools. Despite being smaller than some of the schools close by we always do very well indeed and I am sure our star swimmers will be amazing once again.



Christmas:



We know parents like to know as early as possible the up and coming dates for Christmas events so we are sharing the dates we have in the diary so far. As always we will do our very best to stick to the advertised dates but there may be occasions when changes have to be made.

- **Friday 6th December 2:30pm Christmas Fayre**
- **Monday 9th December 10am Tesco Carol singing**
- **Wednesday 11th December 4pm Carol Concert (Ticket only)**
- **Thursday 12th December 9.15am KS1 Christmas Nativity**
- **Thursday 12th December Christmas Lunch Day / Christmas Jumper Day**
- **Friday 13th December 9:20am EYFS Christmas Performance**
- **Monday 16th December Stay and play 9am (Nursery) 1pm (Reception)**
- **Monday 16th December Christmas Disco 4pm**
- **Tuesday 17th December Panto 10am (EYFS & KS1)**
- **Tuesday 17th December 1:20pm Y3&4 Christmas Party**
- **Wednesday 18th December Panto 10am KS2—Y3-6)**
- **Wednesday 18th December 1:20pm Y1&2 Christmas Party**
- **Thursday 19th December 9:30am EYFS Christmas Party**
- **Thursday 19th December 1:20pm Y5&6 Christmas Party**
- **Friday 20th December 1.30pm School closes**

Please note changes to party dates.