



UPDATE FOR PARENTS

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Thought for the week



'I found that among its other benefits, giving liberates the soul of the giver'

Maya Angelou



Thank you for all the generous donations for our harvest festival. They will be donated to the Watford foodbank and will be a great help in these difficult times.



Congratulations to Nora, who won our pumpkin raffle!

Art work of the week



This week's art work drawn by Yasmin in Year 5 Elm.

Ofsted inspection

I would like to express my heartfelt gratitude to you all. Your unwavering support, kind gifts, and well wishes during our recent Ofsted inspection have meant a great deal to us.

You will not be surprised to hear that your children did a marvellous job representing our school, and the inspectors commented on their 'infectious enthusiasm for learning.'

Although the process was more gruelling than we had hoped, we expect to be able to feed back to Ofsted on our experience.

We will continue to strive for excellence in all that we do and to provide the best possible education for your exceptional children.

We will, of course, write to you once the report has been published.

Thank you once again for your invaluable support and the positive role you play in our school's journey.

With best wishes,

Christina Singh



This week we wished farewell and good luck to Jemma Teer who is relocating to Northern England. Jemma has been a valued member of our school staff for over 14 years and we will all miss her!

We are delighted to welcome Vaishali Phatak to our school who will work as an Administration Assistant in the school office alongside Mrs. Baxter.



Stars of the week Friday 20th October



Class	Nominee	Reason
Holly	Himansh	<i>For making a fantastic effort to edit your story in a familiar place. Well done Himansh, you have had a brilliant first half term in Year 3.</i>
Willow	Sarah	<i>For excellent work in all subjects including your story writing in English and your column addition in Maths. Well done, Sarah. We are so very proud of the progress you have made this half term.</i>
Oak	Ileas	<i>For showing enthusiasm and excellent historical skill in our final lesson on the Shang Dynasty.</i>
Juniper	Aya	<i>For showing kindness when she brought in a selection of bookmarks from home to share with her classmates who didn't have one. It's saved Mrs. Thompson's post it notes for a while!</i>
Elm	James	<i>For shining in his learning this week, particularly in french. His enthusiasm is contagious.</i>
Beech	Sophia	<i>For her perseverance in her reading comprehension work and coming out the other side as a winner.</i>
Rowan	Filip	<i>For showing dedication and commitment to writing his Traction Man diary entry.</i>
Poplar	Casper	<i>For displaying excellent hockey skills and sportsmanship in this week's P.E. lessons. Well done, Casper!</i>