

# **Belton Update**

### 19<sup>th</sup> March 2021

We have been back for two weeks now and it has been wonderful to see the children back in the classroom, learning with their friends. We have noticed that they have in the main settled in well but are quite tired and are building up their stamina for a full day at school. Please keep reading with your children every day as this really helps. Bug club is still available so please keep going with those books and Mathletics, Readiwriter and Rockstars. We will be reviewing our homework policy next term to build on the successes of lockdown. We will also be starting ELSA (emotional literacy support) after Easter with Miss Snowdon. Please talk to the teacher at parents evening if you feel your child may benefit. There is a list and teachers will also communicate with you if they feel it may help your child.

There will hopefully be an Easter egg hunt for each bubble next week, organized by FOBS, dependent if we get the eggs in time. If not, we will have to do it after Easter but thank you to Mrs. Styles and FOBS for organizing during this tricky time.

Comic Relief has been great fun, although I realise how little red I have in my wardrobe! Look out for the jokes on WEDUC! Please continue to donate on the Just Giving page - link in on WEDUC.

Please do not use the class email addresses to communicate with teachers. All communication about your child needs to go through the office email. If it is about something you don't want to write down, please email the office and the staff member will ring you back. Homework etc. still can go through the class emails or google classroom.

Also I know it is really tricky (we as staff find this hard too) but unless it is an emergency if you need to talk to the class teacher at drop off or pick up please send an email to the school office rather than talk to them on the playground. It is so hard I know but this is where they have found lots of transmission to take place, as well as between adults waiting for the children to come out. I have also given the staff the same message as we all are guilty of it!

We look forward to welcoming Miss Johnston next week in Lions. She will be part of our support staff until the end of next term.

# \*SANTA RUN IF YOU HAVE ANYMORE MONEY TO BRING IN PLEASE COULD WE HAVE IT BEFORE THE EASTER HOLIDAYS

Parking - Please be careful where you park on Sadlers Wells. I have had a complaint from a local resident that they have been unable to get out of their driveway.

#### Week one dinners next week!

## Parents Evenings week beginning 12th April

The parents evening forms are now in the form section of WEDUC. We are offering either a google classroom appointment or a telephone appointment. I can see lots of you have already responded. Those who haven't please do so as soon as possible so you can get the most convenient time.

Breakfast club next term - forms are now on WEDUC to be filled in.



### **Certificates this week**

Tigers

Stars of the week

Oscar for his amazing efforts with his reading

Fynn for being a kind and caring friend to everyone

### Owls

Libby - Mindset - enjoying learning about the possessive apostrophe

Megan - Star - All round hard worker - puts so much effort into everything she does Finley - Handwriting - continuing to try hard Charlie - mathematician - missing number problems

**Bug Clubber - Otis** 

Mathletics silver Caitlin Lyle

Mathletics bronze Harry Freya Lyle Caitlin

Housepoints -Harry 75 Braxton 100

#### Lions

Mindset Henry - Asking amazing questions. Handwriting - Maddy Maths - Evie - Asking for help and having confidence when she knew what she was doing Star - Peyton - for being a great friend

Readiwriter - Ivy

TTRS - No moving up but well done to Ivy, Jessica, Michael and Ava.

## Sea Otters

Star of the week: Archie - for continuous effort in all areas.

Mindset Champion: Alice - she let her imagination go when creating stories this week.

Handwriting: Bethany





Mathematician: Violet - for super answers in problem solving. Mathletics: Bronze - Cara + Violet Readiwriter: Cara - bronze Times Table Rockstar: Sally - Rock Star Bug Clubber of the week - Olivia Book Mark Challenge winners – Isla and Bella. I hope you enjoy your new books!

# Dates for your diary

Parents evenings week beginning 12<sup>th</sup> April (2 weeks) We break up next Friday, 26<sup>th</sup> March for the Easter holidays Term starts for Summer term 12<sup>th</sup> April