

# The Tynings News



Respect Ambition Determination Adventure

Friday 8th February 2019

Dear Parents/ carers,



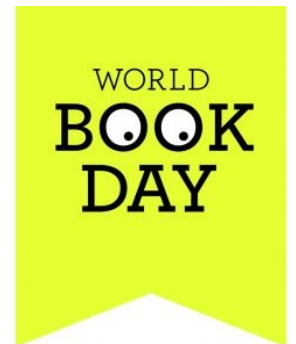
It's been another fantastic week at school. I can't believe next week is the final week of term! Many thanks to all parents/carers who attended our 'How we teach Mathematics at The Tynings' workshop this morning. We are looking forward to repeating the session again at 6pm tonight. Don't worry if you are unable to attend; handouts from the workshop are available at [www.thetynings.co.uk/mathematics/](http://www.thetynings.co.uk/mathematics/)

Our next Parent Forum meeting is on Thursday 14th Feb at 3:30 in the school hall. Childcare will be available. The agenda will be published on Monday; please contact the school office by 3pm on Wednesday 13th Feb if you wish to attend. I hope you are finding these meetings as useful as I am. The forum meetings are having a real impact on how we do things at The Tynings!

*Mrs A Berger, Acting Headteacher*

## World Book Day

**Thursday 7th March** is World Book Day. Our planned activity is to share a story by the fire, in pyjamas, with chocolate milk and a biscuit! This will take place in the afternoon and members of staff will choose books that they would like to share with mixed age groups. Children will be introduced to the selected books next week during assembly, so that they can choose which one they would like to listen to. Please can children bring a pair of pyjamas to school on Thursday 7th March; the children will change into them after lunch ready for their story!



## Chinese New Year

EYFS have started thinking about Chinese New Year this week. Their adventurous activity (as part of the Year of Adventure) was performing a special dragon dance! Year 1 have also been performing a Chinese dragon dance and have enjoyed tasting noodles.



## ICT

We are happy to share, that we have been awarded a STEM grant from the National Grid Hinkley Connection Project Education Fund Programme.

We will be using the grant money to buy a "Crumble Class Kit" to support KS2's learning in Computing!



## Road Safety

The MOMO Theatre Company came into school last week to deliver an assembly. They were fabulous and gave a very clear message about road safety and encouraging walking to school.



## HOUSE POINTS: RUNNING TOTAL

Rodway:	4199	HP
Eastleigh:	4302	HP
Page:	4393	HP
Teewell:	4423	HP 1st place, well done!

## ATTENDANCE: LAST WEEK

Total attendance for the week: 95.3%

Best class attendance: Deer 100%, well done!

Best house attendance: Page 96.1%

Unfortunately, whole school attendance stayed in amber last week. There were 3 amber classes and 6 red, with only 5 green. It really does affect children's learning, if they miss schooling, so please let's try and have all green classes next week.

## Learner of the Week and Team Tynings Awards

**Congratulations to the following children who received the Learner of the Week certificate today:**

Hedgehogs—Fletcher, Squirrels—Joshua, Owls—Jakiydah, Rabbits—Matthew, Deer—Riley W, Foxes—Skye, Badgers—Dawson, Bats—Oliver, Kingfishers—Korbin, Woodpeckers—Adam, Otters—Jayton, Pine Martens—Ben, Falcons—Lily, Kestrels—Callum.

**Congratulations to the following children who received the Team Tynings award today:**

Hedgehogs—Nevaeh, Squirrels—Lana, Owls—Ronnie, Rabbits—Duncan, Deer—Milly A, Foxes—Amy, Badgers—Alexcia, Bats—Nathan, Kingfishers—Alex, Woodpeckers—Sebbie, Otters—Anjali, Pine Martens—Eva, Falcons—Enzo, Kestrels—Ella.

## Do you have a child in Year 2?

There will be a SATs meeting for all Year 2 parents and carers on Tuesday 12th February at 3:30pm. It will be a great opportunity to find out all about the KS1 SATs. Childcare will be available.



## Medicines

Please be aware that children are not allowed to have any medicines/tablets in their bags, even throat sweets. This is for the safety of all the children.



## DATES COMING UP - you can find all of these dates and more on the school calendar (on the school website)

- Monday 11th February: EYFS end of topic performance 3.00 pm
- Tuesday 12th February: Bikeability for Falcons
- Tuesday 12th February: Year 2 SATS meeting 3.30 pm
- Wednesday 13th February: Non-uniform day (come dressed as an animal or in animal colours)
- Thursday 14th February: Bikeability for Kestrels
- Thursday 14th February: Parent Forum 3.30 pm
- Friday 15th February: Last day of Term 3
- Monday 25th February: Start of Term 4