



As I'm sure you are aware, cases of Covid are still present in our school and are now scattered across nearly every year group but we are hopeful that we are 'reaching the peak'. Thank you again to all those who are testing their children everyday for 7 days whenever we have requested it as it really is the best way to catch infections early before they spread too far. That being said, while we understand and share parental concern, we are not permitted to authorise any pupils being absent 'just in case' they catch Covid and we are already going above and beyond the measures suggested by Public Health England in an effort to bring the current outbreak to an end. We are not alone with the current challenges and primary schools across the county are facing similar levels of infection, if not worse. Thankfully, as has been seen nationally, all the people who have tested positive in the last two weeks have experienced much milder illness than earlier on in the pandemic. Thank you as ever for your support and understanding.

Diary Dates:

Week beginning 31 January—
Balance Bike training for Reception/Y1
pupils who have booked it.

Tuesday 15th (3.30-7.30pm) and Wednesday 16th (3.30-5.30pm) February—Parents' Evenings (please note these dates are a slight change from those originally advertised)

'Value Bands' for demonstrating compassion have been awarded to...

Reception—Amber

Year 1— Everly

Year 2— Maisy

Year 3— Alfie T

Year 4— Aston

Year 5— Kaylee

Year 6— **Liybah**

Well done to all of you!



Reception— **Evie** for great effort with her learning this week

Year 1— **Jacob** for great use of phonics when writing

Year 2— **Rose** for excellent effort when writing a diary entry

Year 3— **Romane** for determination when multiplying

Year 4— **Libby** for writing an excellent character description

Year 5— **Maisie** for effective atmospheric writing

Year 6— **Azalea** for great multiplying and dividing

Well done everyone!

The Year 3 and 4 children who took part in Bikeability Level 1 training today have had a great time learning about cycling safely. We are looking forward to the Reception and Year One balance bike training which will take place at the beginning of next week!

Thank you if you have already made a contribution for our exciting 'Cirque de Steeple' day for World Book Day on 28

February. We are all really looking forward to an amazing day!

Behaviour Awards

Reception— Oakley

Year 1— Karla

Year 2— Tallulah

Year 3— Alishba

Year 4— Arabella

Year 5— Pippa

Year 6— Charlie

Well done to all of you!



