

REASIDE NEWSLETTER

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MESSAGE FROM MRS CARRIER

The last two weeks have flown by at school! We marked World Mental Health Day as well as Black History month. Thank you for donating so kindly to Young Minds, we were able to raise £92.49.

I am delighted to let you know of a new link that we have made with a brand-new residential care home for the elderly, which you may be aware of on Rubery Lane. Over the coming weeks, small groups of children will be visiting The Oaks to take part in activities with the residents such as reading to them, joining in their Halloween party and singing carols at Christmas.

We hope you'll agree that this is a wonderful opportunity for inter-generational working that will provide benefits to both our children and the residents of The Oaks.



The Oaks



As part of our link with The Oaks Residential Care Home, we are supporting with their harvest festival collection. If you have any dried goods or unused toiletries, they would be very gratefully received by The Oaks. Please bring in any donations to school and we will pass them on.



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

16th & 17th October Parents evening

20th October 5B class assembly

20th October 'Show racism the red card day' wear red.

27th October - End of term

8th & 9th November Reaside open day (2pm-3pm)

6th November - Children back to school

17th November - Children in need

Please see Reaside academy 23/24 parent's plan

CONGRATULATIONS!!

Congratulations to our newly appointed Head Boy - Klay, our Head Girl - Angel and our Deputies - Trey and Abigail.

Our prefects are: Harleigh, Jorja, Amelia, Daisy, Helen & Megan.

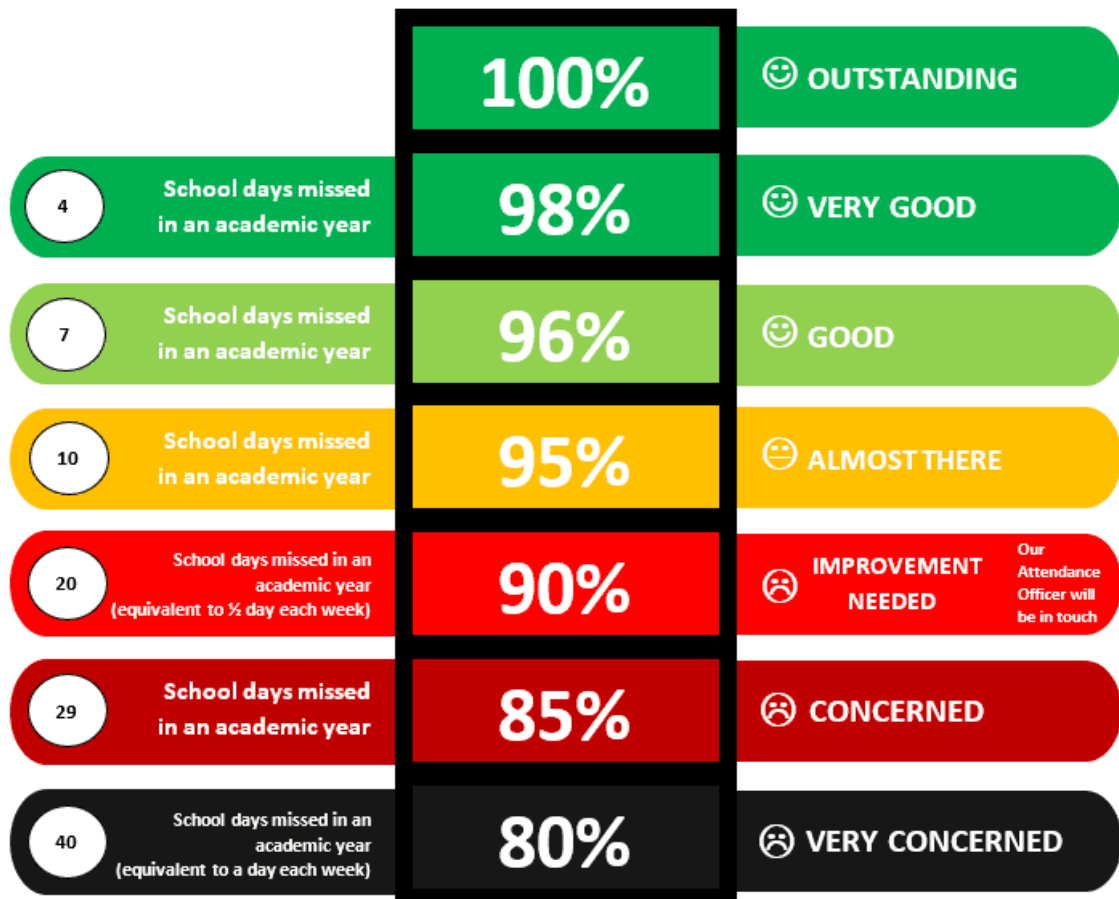
BREAKFAST CLUB

A reminder that our breakfast club runs every day from 8am. This is completely free! If you would like your child to attend, please add your child to the waiting list at the school office as breakfast club is now full.



ATTENDANCE MATTERS

Attendance Ladder



Our school attendance target is 96%.

Best classes attendance this week: 6K with an amazing 97%!

Whole school attendance figure year to date: 94.1%



Class attendance:

3B – 96%
4J – 94%
5B – 92%
6K – 97%

3S – 90%
4OL – 96%
5C – 94%
6W – 94%





As part of their RE learning about Hinduism, the children in year 3 have been looking at how Hindu children feel a sense of 'belonging' to their faith, and how celebrating Diwali brings them this. We have already learnt about how Hindus celebrate Diwali and the things that they do – lighting candles, making special food, celebrating with family. This week the children have made their own Rangoli patterns using coloured rice, as are made by Hindus outside of their front doors 'to welcome the Goddess Lakshmi to bring them good health and wealth for the year ahead' – Savannah and Kacey, Year 3.



This week year 4 did a litter pick around the school grounds. They're very excited about looking after their local environment!



Year 5 studied 'Growth Mindset' for World Mental Health Day!

We created 'growth mindset' statements that the children have been encouraged to remind themselves of when things get challenging, to build their resilience.



This week in Year 6!

It has been another busy week in Year 6.

We have continued reading our thriller novel – The London Eye Mystery – this week writing in the roles of Gloria and Faith.

We have been revising and extending our knowledge of fractions, decimals and percentages and the relationships between them.

We've continued with our science topic and have created the three main types of circuits: simple, series and parallel.

Can you tell which one is which?

