



## Newsletter 07.06.24

Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope you all had a lovely half term and a well-deserved rest. It has been lovely to see everyone back to school again. We have had a good week in school with the children, who have seemed very happy and excited to be back. They have been delighted to see their friends in their classes and teachers have told me that they have been keen to get back to their classrooms and learning.

### **D-Day**

To celebrate the 80<sup>th</sup> anniversary of D-Day, children across school reflected on the significance of this historic day and the bravery of those involved. On Thursday afternoon, Cover Class visited the church to explore the fantastic D-Day exhibition that was on display and read through some of the experiences from the locals of Masham. Therefore, we would like to say a big thank you to St Mary's Church for creating such a fantastic exhibition and inviting school to come and visit. Reverend Jane was also in school for her fortnightly collective worship and she conducted a lovely worship of reflecting on this historic and important day.

### **Multiplication Tables Check**

On Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> June, the Year 4 children will be taking part in the Multiplication Tables Check. This is something that all Year 4 children across the country have to take part in and it is to check their multiplication and division knowledge. If you have any questions about this please contact myself and I will be more than happy to discuss this further. The best preparation for this check is for children to practice their multiplication tables on Times Table Rockstars.

### **Church Visits**

I am happy to share with you that the children will be visiting the church throughout this half term as part of our collective worship timetable. Reverend Jane will be leading a collective worship for each class once a half term so that the pupils of Masham Primary are building on the community links with the church. Therefore, I would like to say a huge thank you to Reverend Jane for continuing to build on the links between the church and school.

### **Parent Forum Presentation**

The next parent forum is on Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> June at 5pm.

### **Weekly safeguarding update - Attendance**

It's really important that your child goes to school regularly because it helps them learn, stay healthy, and grow overall. Please click the link below, which has a video and some helpful tips that lay out what you, as a parent, need to do and how schools and local authorities can team up to make sure your child attends regularly:

<https://ssslearning.co.uk/parentsandguardians/why-keep-child-safe-online>

Mr Boyle, Head of School



## Dates for your diary

**Blue text indicates occasions where parents and carers are warmly welcomed to attend.**

Wednesday	10.07.24	KS2	Summer Performance at 1.30pm in the Town Hall
Thursday	11.07.24	Ks2	Summer Performance at 6pm in the Town Hall
Tuesday	16.07.24	All	Sports Day Afternoon (Weather Dependent)
Thursday	18.07.24	All	Alternative Sports Morning
Thursday	18.07.24	Year 6	Leavers celebration
Friday	19.07.24	All	Leavers Service 1.15pm @ St Mary's Church
Friday	19.07.24	All	School closes for summer @ 2pm

Other trips, visits and exciting activities will be added as the year goes on.

## Attendance

		Attendance Percentage	Days missed over a school year
Swinney -	99.03%		
Laver -	96.02%	100%	0 days
		95%	10 days
Burn -	97.22%	90%	20 days
		85%	30 days
Cover -	92.50%	80%	40 days

Well done to Year 2 for 100% attendance this week



# Superstars of the Week

- Swinney - **Herbie** – for super use of stem sentences to explain his thinking in maths  
**Jacob** – for showing courage to develop his balancing & jumping skills
- Laver - **Alex** – for exemplary behaviour & giving careful consideration to class discussion  
**Levi** – for wonderful contributions in class discussions and sensible behaviour when following important instructions
- Burn - **Lyla** – for always being so enthusiastic in her learning  
**Corey** – for always being extremely kind and thoughtful and supportive of classmates
- Cover - **Henry C** – for super attitude & maturity all week  
**Martha B, Poppy, Martha A & Sofia** – for showing courage in starting a new class & super attitude

Masham Writer of the Week

**Iliza**

## Dojo Class Winners

- Swinney - **Isaac**
- Laver - **Alex**
- Burn - **Ben**
- Cover - **Ellie**