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***We will aspire to great things, shine our light and reach our God given potential.***

*‘let your light shine.’ (Matthew 5:16)*

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7th February 2025

**Collective Worship**

This week we looked at tolerance in the British Values and how we can be tolerant of each other and linked this to respect in our 3Rs. The children have now looked at all the British Values and how they link to our school values.

**Hall Door**

This will be open again next week. We are hoping that we will have news about the park gate after the half term break. Thank you for your continued understanding.

**Parents Evening**

Our second parents evening will be held on the 3rd & 4th March. The office is currently setting this up on Arbor and they will email you when it is available to book. If you cannot attend on either of those dates, please speak to your child’s class teacher to arrange an alternative time.

**Important Dates**

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| **W/C 10th February 2025** | **W/C 24th February** | **W/c 3rd March** |
| **13th- Peregrine Class Assembly@9am**  **13th House of Maple Event**  **14th Last Day** | **24th – Return To School** | **4th & 5th Parents Evenings**  **5th – Curlew Class Assembly@9am**  **6th World Book Day** |

**Letters sent this week-**

-Online Safety

- Queries regarding the Kingswood Residential

- Sheffield Giants American football

**Special Mentions**

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| **Year** | **Learning Award** | **Value Award** | **Reading Award** |
| **F2** | **Kingfishers-** Albie, for being a kind and helpful member of our class. Albie is always trying his best in all aspects of his learning. | **Kingfishers-** Evie, for always being respectful towards others and being a positive, smiley member of the class! | **Kingfishers-**  Alfie, for becoming a more fluent reader! |
| **Y1** | **Skylarks-** Jacob - Learning - for doing some lovely independent dinosaur facts in provision. He is such a keen learner. | **Skylarks-** Cody - Value- Cody is always respectful and kind to his friends. | **Skylarks-** Oliver - Reader - for becoming more confident in reading. The Nightingales team are really impressed too! |
| **Y1/2** | **Nightingale-**  Edith (Y1) for being an excellent role model in English lessons. This week we have learnt how to perform poetry and Edith is a natural and confident performer. | **Nightingale-**  Ollie (Y1)for always being a fantastic role model of the 3R's. Ollie is respectful, kind and considerate member of Nightingales. | **Nightingale-** Rory (Y1)for fabulous participation in phonics and reading practice this week. He has truly been a super reader! |
| **Y2** | **Puffins-**for the fantastic quality of her writing | **Puffins-** for his hard-working attitude, takes pride in doing well | **Puffins-** Julia - for her enthusiasm about books and great attitude in lessons |
| **Y3** | **Swift-** Tilly R for her hard work and fantastic ideas in English.  **Swallow-** Saoirse - her amazing, detailed story plan in English, well done  **Housemartins-** Freddy - learning award for full marks in post assessment and improving attitude to learning | **Swift-** Alfie O for working hard and showing resilience in all areas of his learning.  **Swallow-** Oscar - being a fantastic role model and always being respectful, well done  **Housemartins-** Cody - school value award for impeccable respect and responsibility | **Swift-** Stanley H for showing enthusiasm in reading for pleasure.  **Swallow-** reading - being enthusiastic about reading and creating his own illustrations based on a book well done  **Housemartins-** Teddy - reading champion for his expression during reading fluency and engagement with reading in class |
| **Y4** | **Avocets-** Jazz, for her amazing mastery of yoga in our PE lessons.  **Curlews-** Harrison, for always wanting to improve his work and always working super hard in every single lesson! Well Done!  **Oystercatchers-** Travis C - being more resilient and working harder during lessons. | **Avocets-** Callum, for always pushing through when he finds his learning difficult, especially in art.  **Curlews-** Kai, for his amazing resilience in all of his swimming lessons! Keep it up!  **Oystercatchers-** Decima M- writing a fantastic character analysis in English. | **Avocets-** Daniel, star reader - for his confident reading out loud during whole class reading sessions.  **Curlews-** Loti, for her improvement in answering retrieval questions in reading practice. Keep up the amazing work!  **Oystercatchers-**Joey H - impressing us with his reading answers. |
| **Y5** | **Kestrel-** Georgia- an absolute superstar this week with her fantastic reading work and challenging herself in maths!  **Merlin-** Isla for her amazing use of the text in reading practice when looking for evidence for her inference questions.  **Peregrines-** Charlie S for his fantastic piece of writing that was presented beautifully | **Kestrel-** Millie- always following our school rules, helping others and being a great role model.  **Merlin-** Charlie for always being responsible in class and going really into depth in PSHE lessons.  **Peregrines-** Nixon L for showing resilience when tackling maths challenges | **Kestrel-** Daisy G- working really hard to develop her answers and use the text to help her understanding  **Merlin-** Junior for showing a fantastic attitude to independent reading time and really diving into his new reading book.  **Peregrines-** Jenson M for his enthusiasm and love of books that he has been sharing with the class |
| **Y6** | **Kites-** Lexi G- learning award - for wonderful, cohesive informal letter.  **Eagles-** Isabel- For being responsible in group work and sharing her ideas.  **Sparrowhawks-** Connie S - Star Learner - for her fabulous informal letter from the perspective of a character. | **Kites-** Layla S - values award - resilience in extra maths work and the progress she had made due to it.  **Eagles-** Vinny For showing a great amount of responsibility when completing his monitoring role.  **Sparrowhawks-** Holly P - Value Award - for her resilience in her writing. | **Kites-** Jessica H- reading champion - for all her hard work in after school booster sessions  **Eagles-** Sienna- For working really hard in our after-school reading sessions.  **Sparrowhawks-** Eliza K - Reading Champion - for her reading fluency and comprehension skills. |

**Attendance**

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| **Class** | **Weekly Attendance Figure** | | |
| **F2 - Kingfisher** | **89.23%** | | |
| **F2/Y1 – Skylark** | **89.6%** | | |
| **Y1/Y2 - Nightingale** | **88.93%** | | |
| **Y2 – Puffin** | **96.21%** | | |
| **Y3** | **House Martin** | **Swift** | **Swallow** |
| **91.3%** | **93.33%** | **95.83%** |
| **Y4** | **Avocet** | **Oystercatcher** | **Curlew** |
| **90%** | **100%** | **97.59%** |
| **Y5** | **Merlin** | **Kestrel** | **Peregrine** |
| **92.81%** | **94%** | **90%** |
| **Y6** | **Sparrowhawk** | **Eagle** | **Kite** |
| **94.78%** | **99.57%** | **94.17%** |

Have a lovely weekend.

Yours faithfully,

Mr Adam Minor

There is neither Jew nor Gentile, neither slave nor free, nor is there male and female, for you are all one in Christ Jesus. (Galatians 3:28)