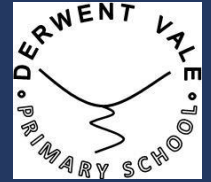
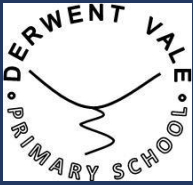


Derwent Vale Primary & Nursery School

Newsletter

26th April 2024



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www.derwentvale.cumbria.sch.uk

Star of the Week

★ Nursery & Reception ★

Orla – for a wonderful dinosaur fact file

★ Year 1/2 ★

Hope – for great independent work in science

★ Year 3/4 ★

Alfie – for fantastic soap and shadow sculptures in art

★ Year 5 ★

Noah – for a brilliant effort in poetry

★ Year 6 ★

Oscar – for a great effort in SATs practice

Highest Attendance this week:

Year 3/4 95.1%

Nursery Applications

We are now accepting applications to our nursery for children who are due to start in September 2024 or January 2025. If you have a child who will turn 3 before September or January or know someone who does, please contact the school office for more information.

Staff Update

We wanted to let you know that we are going to be without Mrs Steel until at least the summer holidays following a long-awaited operation. The staff are working very hard to cover Nursery and Reception and are doing a brilliant job! We are sure that you will join us in sending get well wishes to Mrs Steel and we can't wait to have her back with us.



Life Education Visit

We had a lovely visit from Sarah at Life Education this week who carried out PSHE workshops with all of the children in school. The topics they looked at included feelings, decisions, all about me and it's great to be me. Sarah even brought her friend, Harold the giraffe to help out which went down very well!



Achieving Together

Whole School Attendance

94.6%

Below target

Our Local Authority target is 96%.



Upcoming dates

Tuesday 30th April

Nursery/Reception, Year 5/6 Yoga

Year 3/4 Forest School

Rounders festival – Year 3/4 team

Year 1/2 Multi-Skills after school club

Wednesday 1st May

Year 6 SATs after school club

Monday 6th May

Bank Holiday – school closed

Tuesday 7th May

Nursery/Reception, Year 5/6 Yoga

Year 3/4 Forest School

Year 1/2 Multi-Skills after school club

Wednesday 8th May

Year 1/2 Threlkeld Mining Museum trip

Year 6 SATs after school club

Friday 10th May

Year 1/2 Cricket

Tuesday 14th May

Nursery/Reception, Year 5/6 Yoga

Nursery/Reception



YEAR 5/6 CHURCH VISIT

