## Derwent Vale Primary & Nursery School Newsletter



9<sup>th</sup> February 2024



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www.derwentvale.cumbria.sch.uk

### Star of the Week



### Nursery & Reception

Bradley - for being very kind and helpful



Year 1/2



Paige - for great independent work in Maths



Year 3/4



Ellie - for brilliant subtracting fractions from mixed numbers





Libby - for a fantastic performance of The Boy, The Mole, The Fox and The Horse





Jensen P - for an impressive art installation

**Highest Attendance this week:** Year 3/4 93.1%







### **Nursery Applications**

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

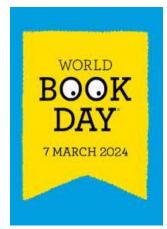
# **Achieving Together**

Whole School Attendance

92.8%

**Below target** 

Our Local Authority target is 96%.



On Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March, we will be celebrating World Book Day and all things reading related in school. Children are welcome to come to school in non-uniform or dressed as a character from a book. They can also bring in their favourite book to share with their class. We will be taking part in various reading themed activities during the day and can't wait to celebrate how much we love reading at Derwent Vale!

### **Upcoming dates**

Monday 19th February

8.45am School re-opens after half term

Year 3/4 Football

**Tuesday 20th February** 

Year 1/2, 3/4 Yoga

Monday 26th February

Year 3/4 Football

Year 5/6 Rum Story trip

**Tuesday 27th February** 

Year 1/2, 3/4 Yoga

Tuesday 5th March

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Wednesday 6th March

Year 1/2 team – Multi-skills competition

Thursday 7th March

World Book Dav

Monday 11th March

Year 1/2 visit to Workington Library

Year 3/4 Football





# **Derwent Vale**

### Valentines Disco

























A huge thank you to the parent fundraisers, Mrs Simpson, school councillors & Year 5/6 children who organised the Valentines discos. The children had a wonderful time!

# Year 5/6















