

Derwent Vale Primary & Nursery School

Newsletter

20th September 2024



★ Star of the Week ★

Nursery & Reception

Tommy – for a brilliant effort in everything this week

Year 1/2

Charlie – for great work in literacy

Year 3/4

Ethan – for fantastic presentation in all his work

Year 5/6

Noah – for amazing scientific enquiry skills

Highest Attendance this week:

Year 1/2 100%

Swimming

Year 3/4 will be going to daily swimming lessons between Monday 23rd and Friday 27th September.

Year 5/6 will be going swimming every day the following week, Monday 30th September – Friday 4th October.

Please could children bring their swimwear and a towel into school every day. They will be getting changed at the pool. Thank you.

Harvest Foodbank Appeal

Please support the appeal by bringing one of the items on the poster into school by next Friday. Thank you



Governor Vacancies

We currently have some vacancies for new governors to join our governing body. You do not need to have had any experience in schools or as a governor and you would be well supported by our current governors. If you are interested or know anyone who would be, please contact the school office for more information. Thank you.

Nursery Applications

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

Year 1 Gardening Club



Achieving Together

Whole School Attendance

95.1%

Below target

Our Local Authority target is 96%.

Year 5/6 REACT Science Show

Year 5/6 will be going to a Science and Engineering show at Lakes College on the afternoon of Wednesday 25th September. They will be back at school by the end of the day and don't need to take anything additional with them. Thank you.

Upcoming dates

Monday 23rd – Friday 27th September

Year 3/4 Swimming every day

Wednesday 25th September

Year 5/6 REACT Science Show

Thursday 26th September

Year 1/2, Year 3/4 Gymnastics

Year 3/4 Gymnastics After School Club

Monday 30th September – Friday 4th October

Year 5/6 Swimming every day

Thursday 3rd October

Year 1/2, Year 3/4 Gymnastics

Year 3/4 Gymnastics After School Club

Monday 7th – Thursday 10th October

Year 5 Bikeability training

Monday 7th October

Nursery/Reception, Year 1/2 Cricket

