

# Willow Class Newsletter – 14th February 2020



**KNAYTON**  
C of E ACADEMY

## STAR OF THE WEEK

Freddie!

For being a wonderful little star! Freddie has worked so hard in phonics and reading this week!

## Our Learning this week

What a great week in Willow Class! The children have loved writing about everything this week - cowboys, super heroes and special people! We have looked at which people are special to us and why, the children have had lovely discussions about this and have showed curiosity in each other's lives and interests. We have also learnt about internet safety and the importance of telling a grown up if something is different or makes them feel confused or sad on a tablet/computer programme or online.

In phonics, the children have learnt new sounds - er and ure. They decorated flowers with 'er' words before writing a sentence underneath. In maths, we began exploring 8. The children are becoming so confident in addition and subtraction! We used pipe cleaners, beads and octopus legs in our learning.

It is our last balance bike session this week, we have thoroughly enjoyed the lessons and the children have shown wonderful progress from the first week. Superstars!

## School Dates

February

Friday 14th - School breaks up

Monday 24th - School Re-opens

## Homework

Please read at home and practise your phase 3 flashcards at home during half term. We have now finished introducing phase 3 so children are aware of all the sounds on their soundmat.

Have a lovely break! ☺

## Reminders

- Please keep us updated on your learning and adventures at home, we love to see what you have been up to over half term!
- Please double check any clothing labels that may have fallen off or washed out ready for next half term.

Designated Safeguarding Lead – Miss R Globe – Head of School  
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