



# Mersey Drive Newsletter

14<sup>th</sup> May 2021

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## Enjoying Learning and Aiming High!

On Monday 10<sup>th</sup> May, Y3 and Y4 were very lucky to have had the opportunity to participate in Forest School with Outdoor Learning Specialists, CommuniTree. The Curriculum Days were based on their current history themes: Stone Age to Iron Age (Y3) and Anglo-Saxon Britain (Y4). The sessions aimed at helping the children to gain a deeper understanding of what life was like in the past through activities such as fire lighting, shelter building, jewellery making and campfire cooking. A fabulous time was had by all!





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| Rigby Bear Attendance Award winners | <b>Awarded weekly to the class with best attendance</b>  |  |
|                                     | <b>Last week</b><br><b>Here Everyday Ready On time</b><br><b>Year 1</b><br>       | <b>This week</b><br><b>Here Everyday Ready On time</b><br><b>Year 3 &amp; Year 4</b><br><br> |
| VIP's                               | <b>Pupils who have been noticed for their excellent behaviour at lunchtimes</b>  |  |
|                                     | <b>This week</b><br><b>FSU- Gracie</b><br><b>Y1-Louie Y2- Zeinab</b><br><b>Y3- Charlotte Y4- Olivia</b><br><b>Y5-Lilly Y6- Willow</b><br><b>Provision – Oliver</b> |  |
| Team of the Week                    | <b>Pupils are awarded team points for aiming high and making good choices in school</b>  |  |
|                                     | <b>Last week</b><br><b>Yellow</b>  | <b>This week</b><br><b>Yellow</b>  |

## Attendance Matters

**Reporting your child absent:** Please note that if your child is absent from school, you must phone school in the morning, select option 1 and leave us a message. This should be the child's name and the reason why they are absent. If the absence goes beyond one day, you must phone school each morning to report that your child will not be attending school again. Failure to contact school in the morning of each day of absence will mean that your child's absence will be marked as unauthorised. Thank you for your cooperation with this.

## Parent's Consultations

We would like to say **thank you** to everyone who attended the parent's consultations this week via Zoom. It was great opportunity to celebrate all the children's hard work in school. Thank you once again, to our Mersey Drive family! If you missed the parent's consultations and would still like an appointment please contact the school office.



## School Reports

Your child's interim progress report has been sent out today. If you have not received yours, please contact the school office immediately.

