

Over the last 3 weeks we have been working on the 'new' Hollybush Code and thinking about how we should behave in and around school.



THE HOLLYBUSH CODE



We are respectful of ourselves and others.

We take responsibility for our choices and actions.

We are enthusiastic and persevere in our learning.

We are courageous and resilient learners who take risks and never give up.

We work collaboratively and positively with others.



Trackit Lights

In September we introduced a new reward system to help children from Y1 to Y6 with making good choices in their learning and behaviour. Green Trackit Light points are designed to promote and celebrate behaviour and attitudes that are in line with the Hollybush code. Children can be awarded green Trackit Lights, which are worth 3 points; for exceptional behaviour or exceptional attitudes children can earn a 'super star' award worth 10 points.

Daily class winners receive certificates and recognition in class. Weekly winners have a reward on Monday afternoon playing and exploring in the new Foundation Stage playground.

Trackit Light Green Points

Children earn points for...

- Making good choices
- Teamwork
- Good listening
- Good manners
- Persevering
- Positive attitude
- Communicating with others
- Being courageous
- Kind words or actions
- Respecting our environment

Dates for your Diary.

Tuesday 26th September - French Day

Friday 29th September - Hollybush Open Day / Coffee Morning

Friday 6th October - Global Assembly Y4 – Black History Month

Tuesday 10th October - Yr.6 SATs Parents Briefing @ 3pm

Friday 13th October - Harvest Assembly

Mon 16th to Fri 20th October - Yr.6 Residential to Lineham Farm

Wed 18th to Fri 20th October- Yr.4 Residential to Kingswood

Wed 18th to Fri 20th October - DT Topic Days

Friday 20th October - Break up for half term

Monday 30th October - Training Day

If you have any concerns or questions, please do not hesitate to come and see us.



Hollybush News



Date - 22nd September 2017

A few words from Mrs Robertson

As part of the September training day all the adults in school spent time thinking about what makes a 'successful Hollybush child'. As a result, we now have an updated and 'new' Hollybush Code which we (adults and children) are all working on together. We'll be learning about and celebrating the different strands of the code over the coming weeks. The Trackit Lights system ties our 'new' Hollybush Code and our behaviour expectations together consistently across school. This week there has been an amazing 2000 points given for children making good choices and over 1500 points for uniform and punctuality. As you will see from the newsletter we have also had a brilliant start to the term with high attendance across school, AND we continue to focus on, and celebrate punctuality as we want every child to have the best possible start to each school day. This means that it is important that children arrive at school **before** 8.55a.m. so they are ready to enter class on time at the start of the day. Thank you



ATTENDANCE CHAMPIONS

	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
FS / KS1	1DN 98.9%	RYB 98.7%	RKM/RLR/2NC 98.6%
KS2	6BC 100%	6JV 98.8%	5SP 98.7%

Overall school attendance for the week

98% 😊

Headteacher awards



- 1JL - Kayla Barrow
- 1MB - Alexis Stevenson
- 1DN - Kai Turner
- 2EP - Isabella McCarthy
- 2NC – Maisie Robinson
- 3SP – Diana Solny
- 3KB – Joshua Dagless
- 4KG –Frankie Carroll
- 4MP –Evie Hastings
- 5SP –Nenah Duanda
- 5KC – Robyn Carter
- 6ED –Luke Clough
- 6BC –Emily Solny
- 6JV –Emma Miller

Attendance

As you can see last week attendance was amazing! Every class in school had an attendance of over 95%!! Well done to all of you who came every day. I hope it remains high.

Punctuality is just as important as attending.

Being on time is a good thing!

- Gets the day off to a good start with everyone in a positive frame of mind.
- Helps your child make the most of their learning and sets positive patterns for the future.
- Helps children develop a sense of responsibility both for themselves and for others
- Helps your child make and keep friends.
- Improves self-confidence.