

### Aspire2Be

It was wonderful to welcome Hayley and Eden, NHS Radiographers, into school following Hayley's first visit with us last year. Year 5 were enthused by their passion and energy for their jobs. The session was packed full of discussion and activities that allowed our children to develop and showcase their science knowledge and link their curriculum learning to this exciting career path. It was lovely to hear that some of our children are now interested in this career when they are older.

A big thank to Stuie from Simply- Virtual Global Flying for his time, visiting our Year 5 children. Stuie has generously given up his time, visiting our school three times. We loved hearing all about the many careers in the aviation industry as well as role-playing some of the jobs that we learned about. Stuie really inspired our young people to think about their futures and how their learning today will help them in their journeys later in life.



### Merit Winners

Well done to our winners! As well as having 100% attendance, they have demonstrated strong examples of 'teamwork'!



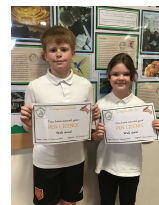
### Star Writer Awards

A big well done to our Star Writers from Year 1 for demonstrating excellence when writing a prediction with super explanations. Another really big WELL DONE to our Star Writers from Year 2 for demonstrating excellence in a fantastic piece of narrative writing, based on a fairytale story with a 'twist'. They proudly showed off their work in assembly, impressing the whole school.



### Pen Licences

Congratulations to our two Year 5 children who have earned their pen licences. They have demonstrated exemplary handwriting across the curriculum. Well done!



## Newsletter

Monday, 3rd  
March

### Reading Raffle Winners

A big well done to our Reading Raffle winners this last half-half term. Keep up the brilliant reading at home and enjoy your prizes.



### Basketball

A huge shout out fantastic players who took part in the Town Basketball Final before the half-term holiday. They were amazing in what proved to be one of the tightest games possible. We are pleased and proud to announce that they came joint first! Magic!



### Reminders for World Book Week 2025

Starting today, we will be taking part in a week-long celebration of reading activities throughout the school to celebrate World Book Day on Thursday 6th March 2025. We have a busy week planned and lots of surprises to look forward to. Dates and events have been communicated via email - please also check our school Facebook page for further information.

**'Share a Story with Me'**- It was lovely to see so many of you this morning for our Reception session. We were over the moon to see everyone sharing a love of reading! The sessions will run from 8.50am to 9.15am. Children will enter school as usual on the morning for the register in their classroom. Please enter school via our school office to meet your child in the school hall. It was lovely to see

<b>Year 1</b>	Tuesday 4th March 2025
<b>Year 2</b>	Wednesday 5th March 2025
<b>Year 3</b>	Thursday 6th March 2025
<b>Year 4</b>	Friday 7th March 2025
<b>Year 6</b>	Monday 10th March 2025

**Year 5 'Stay and Illustrate'** - On Tuesday 4th March, we would like to invite Year 5 parents/carers to join their child for an illustration workshop. Please enter school via our Heron Suite.

<b>Year 5 Mrs Bryson</b>	Tuesday 4th March 2025	<b>1.10pm- 2.10pm</b>
<b>Year 5 Mr Collinson</b>	Tuesday 4th March 2025	<b>2.15pm- 3.15pm</b>

**Book Swap** - Pre-loved – and no longer wanted – books can be brought into school and swapped for another book of your child's choice from **Monday 17th February**.

**Thursday 6th March** - Children can come to school dressed as a book character of their choice.

**'Decorate a Potato' Competition** - Please bring your creation into school by Wednesday 5th March.

### Parental Consultation Evenings - Save the date

This term's consultation evenings will take place on Monday 7th and Wednesday 9th April. Further details will follow soon.