

Roseberry Primary and Nursery School

Newsletter: 19th July 2021



This newsletter is a special one as it celebrates our **Achievers of the Year**. All of our pupils have done a remarkable job this year and I would like to say thank you to each and every one of them for all of their hard work and determination. Thank you also to parents and carers for all of their support this year, it has really made a difference to us all.

Achievers of the YEAR

Ladybirds Nursery— Mia for being amazing in every way. She is always kind to all of her friends and always makes us smile. Mia is always one of the first to give a helping hand and always tries her best.

Robins Nursery— Rosie T never giving up no matter what challenge she is given and always completing it with a smile on her face. She has grown in confidence over the year which is lovely to see.

Katie S overcoming her worry about coming into Nursery and making amazing progress in all areas. Katie has impressed us with her attitude and resilience and it has been a pleasure to see her thrive in nursery. She now comes in with a huge smile on her face and tries her best with everything she does.

Reception— Hannah B for always trying her best, being motivated to succeed and making fantastic progress over the year. Hannah has worked really hard to learn how to write in sentences independently. We are very proud of her success.

Year 1 Blackbirds— Honey for her continued efforts and hard work in everything she does. She has demonstrated really good progress in all areas of the curriculum. Honey's behaviour has been exemplary and she has been a fantastic role model in our class.

Year 1 Owls— Lola T for her amazing attitude to school and her love of learning. Lola always tries her best no matter how challenging the task. She listens well in class and is always eager to share her ideas with her peers. Lola has a wonderful imagination which she has brought to life in her writing this year. She consistently produces fantastic pieces of work, both in school and at home during remote learning. Lola has grown in confidence during her time in Year 1 and her enthusiasm has been infectious. Well done for all of your hard work, Lola.

Year 2— Charlie C for always trying his best with every task he is faced with. He has gained amazing confidence this year and is eager to improve his work. He listens really carefully during our lessons and is keen to share his ideas with the class. It has been a pleasure to have Charlie in my class this year and to see him blossom into a lovely young man. I will miss your enthusiasm and infectious energy next year.

Year 3 / 4 Eagles (Y3) — Erin M for a fantastic first year in KS2. Erin is extremely hard working and tries her best in every subject. She has achieved well across the board this year, including remembering and applying information learned during periods of remote learning. She always works and plays well with others and is able to show a mature attitude to problem solving, both in work and socially.

Achievers of the Year continued



Year 3/4 Eagles (Y4) — **Tristan** a phenomenal year of progress! Tristan has made good progress academically, but beyond that he has made fantastic progress in his social and emotional learning. We are so proud of him for all of his hard work in this area. Tristan works really hard in every subject, including remote learning, and has adapted well to the many abrupt changes we have had to deal with this year. We are very proud of him and hope that he is just as proud of himself.

Year 3/4 Falcons (Y3) - **Louie** for being a superstar! No matter the subject, Louie always works to the best of his ability. His love for learning is infectious. He contributes confidently in whole class discussions, is always on task and is able to ask for help when needed. Louie has made phenomenal progress, particularly in Maths, even scoring full marks on his arithmetic test. Amazing! During this unpredictable year, Louie has taken the abrupt changes in his stride, dealing with new situations with a smile on his face. Well done for a fantastic year.

Year 3/4 Falcons (Y4) **Ethan T** for standing out for the incredible progress he has made this year in all areas. Ethan has shown a more positive outlook on school life: tackling unfamiliar situations with maturity, taking a lead role in discussions and dealing with playground fallouts with respect for others. Academically, he has made great progress across the board. We are very proud of you.

Year 5— **Chloe**. She is a well-rounded individual who is kind, caring and understanding. Her communication skills are fantastic which means she leads a group well. She always uses her initiative to do helpful things. Her concentration never falters and she's always eager to engage in any lesson. She throws herself into any challenge and always looks to solve problems. You've simply been outstanding, Chloe!

Year 6— **Paige**. I cannot believe how much you have matured this year. I am so proud of the effort you have put into Year 6. You have shown such dedication to learning and developed an amazing, positive attitude to school. I have been impressed with how much you have joined in with class discussions and particularly enjoyed your ideas around our class books. Your manners are exemplary and you have proven yourself to be a valuable friend who people look to for comfort and support. This is one of the best qualities someone can have. Well done to you!

Photographs from school over the last couple of weeks.



The children in our **Ladybird Nursery** went on an adventure to the school pond. They had a picnic and then had a look to see what they could find in the pond. They saw a frog, a newt, a water boatman and a pond skater. They also said goodbye to Little Pop, the snail they have been looking after for the past few weeks. They found him a nice place to live where he can eat lots of leaves and play with his snail friends.



Children in our **Robins Nursery** were isolating but joined us from home on our non-uniform day to celebrate the success of the England football team.



Here are **Year 1 Owls** enjoying ice lollies on the field.

Children in **Year 2** enjoyed PE on the field. The children put all of our previous taught skills on kicking and passing together to play kick rounders. They thoroughly enjoyed playing this game and even chose to play again in their extra break time. They demonstrated excellent striking, fielding and team work.



Year 3/4 Falcons celebrated the end of a great year with a movie, popcorn and doughnuts.



Year 5 practiced their culinary skills by making curry and rice in the cookery room.



Year 6 made tomato pasta with peppers, onions and mushrooms and then enjoyed eating in the quad.



This week we say a fond farewell to our fantastic Year 6 pupils. They had a fun afternoon in the park to celebrate the end of their time at Roseberry.

We hope they will take lots of happy memories with them and that they have created some friendships that will last a lifetime.

Goodbye, Year 6. We know you have a bright future ahead of you.

Important dates for your diary

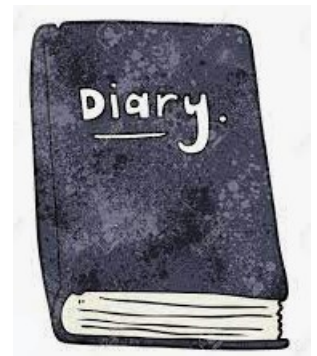
Pupils return to school on Thursday 2nd September.

Half term is the week beginning 25th October.

Pupils return on Monday 1st November.

Christmas holidays start on Friday 17th December.

Pupils return on Wednesday 5th January.



PE Kits

Pupils should continue to wear PE kit on the days they have PE. Please make sure this is proper school PE kit and not just a day where children wear their own clothes.

A reminder that no earrings should be worn in school by any pupils.

Start and finish times

I will be in touch in August to let parents know what we decide about start and finish times and gate entry.

Results from our parental survey

59 responses	Strongly agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly disagree	Don't know
My child is happy at Roseberry.	55.9%	42.4%		1.7%	
The school keeps my child safe.	71.2%	25.4%	1.7%		1.7%
The school informs me about my child's progress.	47.5%	47.5%	5.1%		
My child makes good progress at Roseberry.	40.7%	54.2%		1.7%	3.4%
My child is taught well at Roseberry.	57.6%	37.3%	1.7%		3.4%
The school helps me to support my child's learning.	54.2%	39%	3.4%		3.4%
The school helps my child to have a healthy lifestyle.	40.7%	57.6%	1.7%		
Roseberry makes sure my child is well prepared for the future.	25.4%	52.5%	1.7%		20.3%
The school meets my child's particular needs.	39%	52.5%	3.4%	1.7%	3.4%
The school deals effectively with unacceptable behaviour.	27.1%	47.5%	3.4%	3.4%	18.6%
The school takes account of my suggestions or concerns.	37.3%	50.8%		1.7%	10.2%
The school is led and managed effectively.	61%	35.6%	1.7%		1.7%
Overall, I am happy with my child's experience at Roseberry.	62.7%	35.6%		1.7%	
Would you recommend this school to another parent?	Yes: 94.9%		No: 3.4%		Don't know: 1.7%

Parents' Forum

Following the positive results of our survey, myself and Miss Dodds will be setting up a Parents' Forum in the Autumn term. This will help us to take further account of parents' views and improve existing communication. We would love it if lots of parents can join in. Ideally, I would like at least one parent from each year group to become a Parent Ambassador. Look out for more details of this next term.

On behalf of everyone at Roseberry, I would like to wish you all a lovely summer. Stay safe and happy and we will see you all in September.

Mrs Dunn