### **Attendance for Week 1**

### 5th September 2018 — 7th September 2018

#### Congratulations to Puffin class with attendance of 100%

For more attendance information, please visit: http://www.samandsammie.com/

Group	Presents	Authorised Absences	Unauthorised Absences	% Attend
Puffin	99	0	0	100
Falcon	150	0	2	98.7
Swan	110	2	0	98.2
Goldfinch	158	4	0	97.5
Blackbird	148	0	4	97.4
Magpie	169	4	1	97.1
Eagle	162	0	6	96.4
Robin	170	10	0	94.4
Skylark	164	8	2	94.3
Jackdaw	146	2	8	93.6
Kestrel	162	5	10	91.7
Jay	140	6	10	90.1
Raven	144	0	18	88.9
Hawk	134	2	20	85.9
Totals	2056	43	81	94.3

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Diary for Week Beginning Monday 17th September

After School Clubs (3:15-4:20pm)

Monday Y3/4 Hockey

Y5/6 Football Club

KS1 Gardening Club

Tuesday KS1 Multiskills

Wednesday KS1 & KS2 Dance Fitness Mash Up!

Thursday Y5/6 Hockey Club

Y3/4 Computing Club

Friday KS1 & KS2 Pop Star Club

**Dates for your diary** 

Friday 21st September Jeans for Genes Day

Wednesday 26th September Year 1 Squirrel Wood Trip

Thursday 27th September Year 4 Eureka School trip

Friday 28th September Macmillan Coffee Afternoon & Cake sale

Thursday 4th October School Photos

Tuesday 9th October Jackdaw Ewden Water School trip

Thursday 11th October Jay Ewden Water School trip

Wednesday 24th October KS1 and Foundation Stage Monster Ball

16:00-17:00

Thursday 25th October KS2 Monster Ball 16:00-17:30

Friday 26<sup>th</sup> October Harvest Festival

Friday 26<sup>th</sup> October School closes for Half Term

Monday 5<sup>th</sup> November 2018 Training Day – School closed

Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> November 2018 School opens after Half Term

Friday 21<sup>st</sup> December 2018 School closes for Autumn Term (Christmas

Holidays)

# **Learner Of the Week**

Freya Blythe- Hartley Connor Edwards	Puffin	For showing confidence and being a kind friend when learning together.  For approaching new learning with confidence and enthusiasm.	
Levi Middleton Poppy Ackerman- Fenelly	Swan	For magic moments in number recognition.  For a caring attitude with new friends.	
Aiden Cooke	Blackbird	For a positive can do attitude to everything and showing determination to achieve his best.	
Zac Davis	Goldfinch	For learning together at home; for reading his books every night.	
Katelin Dyson	Robin	For asking questions to deepen her understanding of place value.	
Teegan Davies and Lewis Walker	Skylark	For learning together and showing good partner skills in Maths.	
Belle Harrison	Jackdaw	For using excellent expanding noun phrases and similes in her writing.	
Spencer Mclaren	Jay	For learning together and being a super learning partner.	
Sean Mukundwa	Raven	For a magic moment during writing where he contributed a great deal towards a whole class vocabulary list.	
Harvey Hornung	Magpie	For learning together during Reciprocal Reading sessions.	
Sehar Haroon	Eagle	For a fantastic piece of emotive writing about WW2.	
Layton Kimber	Kestrel	For risk taking when using star words and sentences in Maths.	
Louis Chadwick	Falcon	For a brilliant start Year 6 by aiming high in his maths	
Ruby Goforth	Hawk	For her mature approach to the start of Year 6.	

#### **School Nurse Letters**

Please can Reception and Year 6 parents remember to return the school nursing forms as soon as possible as these need to be sent on.

#### Year 5 Eden Camp

The Year 5's had a fantastic time learning all about World War 2 at Eden camp on the 12th September. We got to experience what it was like during a blackout and the Blitz and discovered interesting information ranging from rationing and evacuations to Land Girls and U-boats. The children said that they had a fantastic time and it sparked many questions, which will help us to delve deeper into our topic for this half term.

### **Bikes at School**



Your children's safety is our number one priority and to help us keep them safe we ask you make sure that if your child brings their bike to school they leave it in the bike rack at the front of school and under no circumstances must children ride their bikes on school grounds. This is to ensure the safety of our children and parents as the playground gets quite busy before and after school. Also, as a safety precaution bike helmets must be worn by children when they are riding their bikes on the ways to and from school.

## **Data Collection Sheets**

Mallard Primary School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare and safety of all our pupils. We are in the process of sending out Data Collection sheets to ensure we have up to date contact details for our pupils. Please ensure these are filled out and returned to school promptly. Thank you for your cooperation.

# **Mobile Phones**

Could parents please refrain from using their mobile phones whilst on school grounds especially when collecting your children after school.

#### Classroom doors open at 08:40

Classroom doors open at 08:40am and we expect children to promptly enter their classrooms and begin the daily activities as soon as the doors open. The doors close at 08:55 and any children arriving after this time will need to sign in at the office.



### **Breakfast Club**

Breakfast club starts at 8am and we welcome all children from our Reception classes to Year 6. For only £1 a day your child can have some cereals, toast and some juice and then enjoy some games with their friends. The doors open at the office at 08:00 and close promptly at 08:10 so please ensure you arrive on time. Payment is to be made at the main office when signing your child in.

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