



Dear Parents/Carers,



With the last week upon us before Christmas we would like to wish you all a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

School finishes on Friday 21st December at 2.00pm, there will be no late club available, please can you make sure that you pick your child up on time. We return to school on;

- ◆ Tuesday 8th January 2019 for Reception ,Years 1,2,3,4,5 & 6
- ◆ Wednesday 9th January 2019 for Nursery

Turtle Class



Miss Gilbert will leaving Tweeddale Primary School at the end of this term to take up a new position in a local school.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank Miss Gilbert for all her hard work in the past 5 years that she has been working here. Miss Gilbert has been a valued member of the team who will be missed very much. I have no doubt she will be an outstanding asset to her new school.

Turtle class will be taught by a new teacher, Ms Dhillon, from January 2019.

Christmas Carol Concerts



We would like to thank all the parents who came to the carol concerts, we really appreciate you all having to come out in the evening to hear the children sing, but I think you would all agree that the children sounded fantastic. We would also like to say a very big thank you to Mr King for teaching the children and Mr Gallop for playing the organ.

School Shoes

We are experiencing more and more children coming into school without school shoes. Please can you ensure that your child comes to school with plain black shoes and not black or colourful trainers. All uniform requirements can be found on our School Uniform policy which can be found on the school website under file downloads.

Word of Week



Years 2-6.....Nativity

Foundation Stage and Year 1..... Christmas

Dates for your diary



DECEMBER 2018

Wednesday 19th December Christmas Dinner Day
Thursday 20th December Class Parties
Friday 21st December Break up at 2pm - No late club today

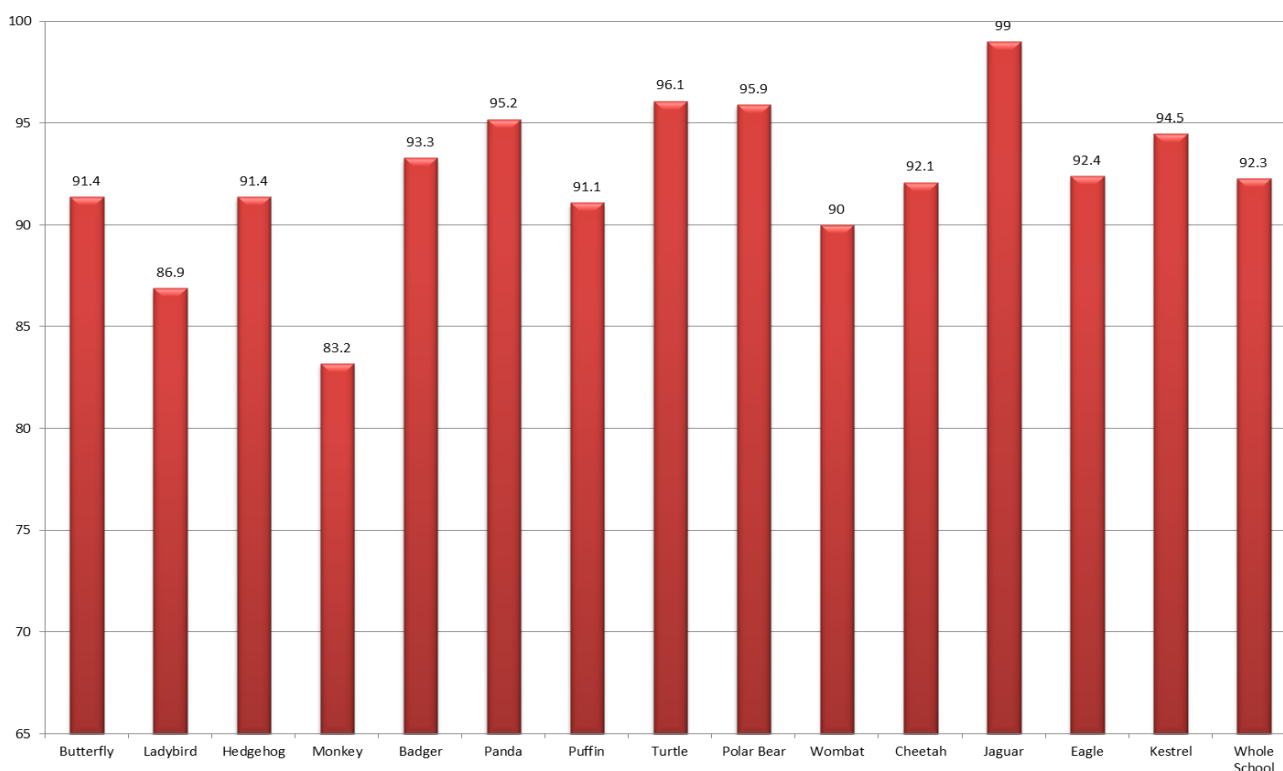
JANUARY 2019

Monday 7th January INSET Day
Tuesday 8th January Back to school for Reception– Year 6
Wednesday 9th January.....Nursery back to school
Wednesday 9th January..... Year 6 trip to The Natural History Museum
Thursday 10th January..... Prospective parent viewing for Reception at 3.30pm
Tuesday 22nd January.....Year 2 trip to The Tower of London

*Future dates are available on our website
calendar*

Weekly attendance for week ending Friday 7th December 2018

Our weekly target is 96.5%. This week our overall attendance was 92.3%



Head Teachers Award



Tymon	Year 3	For making healthy sandwiches
Ola	Year 3	For getting 15/15 in her spelling test five times
Angel	Year 2	For getting 40/40 in her times tables test
Brandon	Year 5	For fantastic work on climate for geography
Stewart	Year 5	For consistently good homework about the Tudors
Tianna	Year 5	For making 2 musical instruments at home
Moesha	Year 5	For writing a wonderful Tudor poem
Alfie	Year 5	For making a model of a Tudor house
Leana	Year 5	For making a Tudor house puzzle
Robert	Year 1	Taking pride in his work and completing a puzzle
Eliel	Year 4	For writing an outstanding Pokemon story
Jane	Year 5	For trying hard and succeeding to do a handstand
Angelika	Year 3	For writing the recipe for a birthday cake
Hayley	Year 2	For spelling all the words on the year 1 and year 2 list correctly
Amelia	Year 4	For fabulous maths work in class achieving 12/12