

MERE GREEN PRIMARY SCHOOL

'Making a difference'

Deputy Headteacher Update

As we wrap up another productive week at school, we want to keep you informed about the exciting events and important updates.

Our first math workshop for Year 6 parents took place this Tuesday. A heartfelt thank you to those who participated and provided excellent feedback. We're delighted that the session served its purpose, offering you valuable insights into our math teaching approach at Mere Green. Please take a moment to check out the Spring Term dates document so you are aware when your child's workshop will go take place.

During this week's assembly, we explored the concept of diversity. The children delved into the significance of the term and discussed why it holds importance for us. We highlighted various ways in which diversity is celebrated throughout the school by acknowledging our individual uniqueness, recognising differences, and respecting others' experiences that may differ from our own.

We used this opportunity to officially launch our new library books which focus on diversity to the children. We are awaiting a new graphic to feature these books in the libraries and encourage children to explore these additions during their weekly library sessions.

The children are delighted that our table tennis table is now set up on the KS2 playground and we hope this brings much joy and enrichment to our lunchtime sessions. A rota is in place to ensure all year groups have access throughout the week. Additional games/recourses are being purchased through the PTA to enrich our lunchtime offer further for all children.

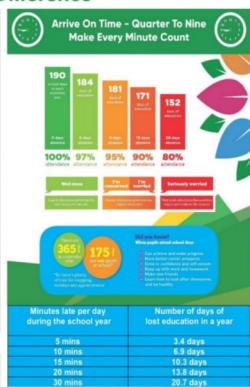
We appreciate your ongoing support and involvement in your child's education. Thank you for being a valued part of our Mere Green community.

Lucia Thornton
Deputy Headteacher



Making A Difference

Class	Attendance 06/09/23- 26/01/24	This Week's Attendance
RBM	★ 97% ★	92%
RD	94%	90%
1J	95%	92%
1M	★ 97% ★	★ 100% ★
2S	96%	96%
2W	95%	98%
3B	96%	98%
3D	94%	98%
4H	93%	96%
4S	96%	96%
5P	96%	96%
5S	95%	95%
6H	95%	93%
6HQ	95%	97%
6L	95%	97%
Whole School Attendance (YTD)		95.1%



Chinese New Year

In the final week of this half term, we will be celebrating Chinese New Year in school. We are looking for parents/carers who celebrate this special event to come and talk to the children about their traditions. Please message Miss Thornton on class dojo if you can help.

MAD Award

Congratulations to this week's MAD nominees:



These children have been nominated by their class teacher for 'Making A Difference', this is either through demonstrating our school values or school rules.

Key Dates





Year 5 & 6 Basketball—Tuesday 30th January

Year 3 Ingestre Hall Residential—29th January—2nd February

National Storytelling Week—Monday 29th January - Friday 2nd February

Year 2 Art Day— Friday 2nd February


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