



# BEARWOOD NEWS

Friday 12<sup>th</sup> January 2024

Dear Families

Our children have been engaged in their learning, and have enjoyed some exciting lessons. Do be sure to check the school website to find photographs of the children's learning.

Because the quality of the teaching at Bearwood has reached such a high level, we have handed over the continued progress in practice over to the teachers - they are taking charge of ongoing development. This is an exciting time in the school's journey. Teachers have been working in their teams to explore and plan how they can even further develop the learning of all the children in their phase.

Class assemblies will be taking place on Thursdays from next week. From now until the end of the school year, every class will have an opportunity to present an assembly to parents. The first class to present will be Pine Marten Class. All of the class assemblies are recorded on the calendar on the school website.

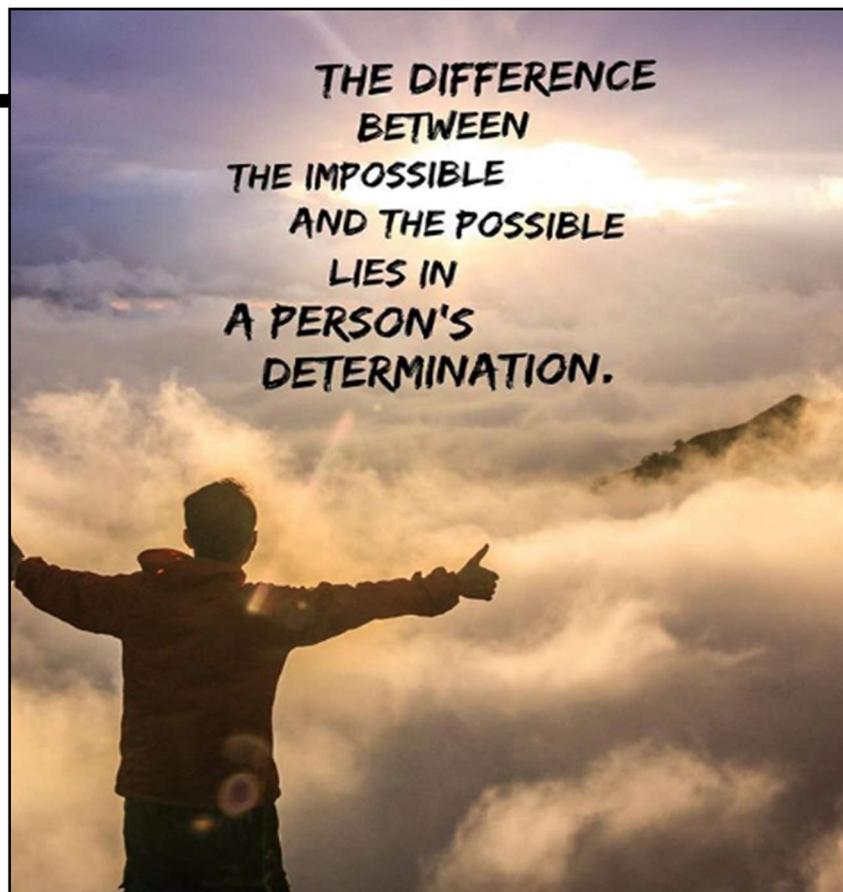
Best wishes

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Value for the term –

Determination



# Office Notices

## Growth Mindset Awards

Rabbit – Remy  
Otter – Shravan  
Beaver – Isabella  
Red Kite – Connie  
Fox - Lottie  
Dormouse – Aidan  
Red Squirrel – Riley  
Hedgehog – Jayden  
Pine Marten – Burak

## Sports Star Awards

Rabbit – Louie  
Otter – Oviya  
Beaver –.Evangaline  
Red Kite – Dylan  
Fox - Zac  
Dormouse – Ella  
Red Squirrel – Leo  
Hedgehog – Alfie  
Pine Marten – Mustafa



### This week's winners of TTRS 'Battle of the Bands'

*LKS2 Winners – Fox Class - 787 Points*

*UKS2 Winners – Pine Marten Class – 153 Points*

## Mrs Haden's Performer of the Week!

Summer-Rose set herself the challenge to learn how to play a section of a song she enjoys singing. She rose to the challenge and played this week in our music assembly.

**Well done, Summer-Rose. You should be proud of yourself!**



# IMPORTANT

## dates to remember

- Wed 17<sup>th</sup> January – 9am Year 1 Parents' Phonics Workshop
- Thurs 18<sup>th</sup> January – 9am – Pine Marten Class Assembly
- Thurs 25<sup>th</sup> January – 9am – Hedgehog Class Assembly
- Fri 26<sup>th</sup> January – 9am – Prospective Parents' Tour
- Tues 30<sup>th</sup> January – Year 5+6 Trip to RAF Museum.
- Thurs 1<sup>st</sup> February – 9am – Red Squirrel Class Assembly
- Thurs 1<sup>st</sup> February – Year 1+2 Windsor Castle
- Tues 6<sup>th</sup> February – Safer Internet Day – Parents' Workshop – 9am+5pm
- Thurs 8<sup>th</sup> February – 9am – Dormouse Class Assembly
- Mon 12<sup>th</sup> February to Fri 16<sup>th</sup> February – Spring Half Term
- Mon 19<sup>th</sup> February – Children Return
- Fri 23<sup>rd</sup> February – 9am – Prospective Parents Tour
- Thurs 29<sup>th</sup> February – 9am – Fox Class Assembly
- Mon 4<sup>th</sup> March – 3:30-6pm – Parents' Evening
- Wed 6<sup>th</sup> March – 4 to 6:30pm – Parents' Evening
- Thurs 7<sup>th</sup> March – World Book Day
- W/C 11<sup>th</sup> March – Science Week
- Wed 20<sup>th</sup> March – 5pm – Year 6 Parents' Meeting on SATs and residential
- Thurs 21<sup>st</sup> March – Jewish Passover Assembly
- Fri 22<sup>nd</sup> March – 9am – Prospective Parents Tour
- Tues 26<sup>th</sup> March – 9:30am – LKS2 production to parents
- Wed 27<sup>th</sup> March – 2pm – LKS2 production to parents



**Please do not park  
on the zig zags  
outside the school**

### Parking Reminder

Please ensure that you **DO NOT** park on the Zig Zag lines. This is to ensure the safety of our Bearwood families.

Please do have a look at our website for information of where you can park and walk:

[https://www.bearwood-pri.wokingham.sch.uk/web/travelling\\_to\\_school/608271](https://www.bearwood-pri.wokingham.sch.uk/web/travelling_to_school/608271)

## Weekly Updates!

For pictures and information on what each class has been doing this week or enrichment activities that have taken place please click on the year group below or visit the school gallery.

EYFS

KS1

LKS2

UKS2

Gallery



School success starts  
with attendance

## Weekly Attendance

RJ Koda –80%

RM Orsa –96.6%

Rabbit –91.7%

Otter –96.9%

Beaver –100% 🏆 Winners

Red Kite –94.1%

Dormouse – 98.9%

Fox –96%

Red Squirrel –90.8%

Hedgehog –98.1%

Pine Marten –91.9%



Please ensure you call or email each day your child is absent.

We spend a lot of time calling parents that have not called in to report an absence. Please ensure you report an absence before 9am.