

17th November, 2023

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## Our Vision Statement

Setting sail on life's journey, with an anchor to keep us safe and sails to let us fly with God to calm the storms along the way.  
Luke Chapter 8 verses 22-25

## Readathon Week

This week the children have taken part in a Readathon and they have been busy collecting sponsorship money and working towards their reading target. This term our value is compassion and by taking part in Readathon we can help pay for books and storyteller to visit children in Treliske Hospital. Thank you for your support with this worthwhile charity!

**READ TO RECHARGE**  
Reading is vital for wellbeing - offering entertainment, escape and a much-needed screen break!

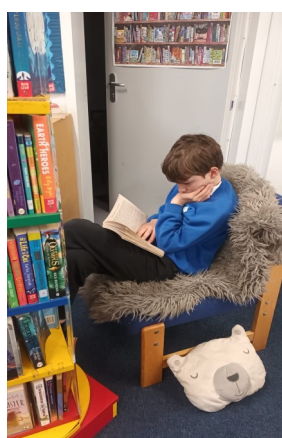
**READ TO CONNECT**  
Readathon is a great way to share experiences and reach goals, whether in school or at home.

**READ TO KEEP UP**  
Research has shown that reading for pleasure helps you to be more successful.

**READ TO HELP OTHERS**  
Reading and raising money to buy books for children in hospital feels great!

**Read for Good** [readforgood.org](http://readforgood.org)

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## Attendance Counts

Your child's attendance in school is so important and we are very proud of our good attendance rates—thankyou for your support with this.

**This week's attendance:**

**Rose: 97.4%**

**Tamarisk: 98.5%**

**Socoo: 95.4%**

School average: 96,4%



## Stars of the week



**Rose Class :** Merryn for a conscientious, positive attitude to learning and a calm compassionate and patient attitude to her friendships.

**Tamarisk Class :** Flynn for trying his very best in all subjects particularly his writing.

**Socoo Class :** Riley for perseverance with handwriting leading to amazing progress.

## Socoa Class Golf Lesson

As part of our PE provision we are pleased to offer golf lessons for Socoa Class on a Friday with a Golf Coach. The children had a wonderful time in their first session learning the basics to enable them to gain a greater understanding of this new sport.



### Important Dates for Diary

**Monday 20th November**—Lan tern making work shops in school

**Tuesday 21st November**— After school Basketball @ Mullion 4 – 5pm **PARENTS TO TRANSPORT this week if child is attending.**

**Wednesday 22 November**— Re booked Measuring Service for Reception and Year 6

**Wednesday 6th Dec**— School Christmas Dinner and Bags4School collection

**Wed 7th & Thurs 8th Dec**— Year 6 Christmas Camp with Coverack at Carnyorth

**Sun 10th Dec**—Christingle Service for families at St Grade Church 3pm

**Tuesday 12th Dec** - Christmas Performance 2pm & 6 pm

**Tuesday 19th Dec**— End of term

### Once a Week, Take a Peek

We have had a few cases of head lice reported. Please can you ensure you are checking your child's hair regularly to help us stop the spread of head lice.

Please can you ensure your childs hair is tied up at school. Thank you.

