

FRIDAY UPDATE



The Avenue Infant School

Responsibility Perseverance Confidence Kindness Respect

Friday 9th October 2026

Autumn Term Week 6

As the weather is cooling, can we please remind parents / carers to ensure children have a warm coat with them. Please ensure all items are named so lost items can be returned.

Shortly, you will receive a link to book a parents evening appointment for the 20th or 21st October (Blossom Room appointments will be during the day on Wed 21st October). Please book at your earliest convenience to secure a time slot that works for you.

A reminder that we have parent governor vacancy at present. If you are interested / would like to find out more about the role, please pop into the office where we can explain a little more and answer any questions.

Have a lovely weekend everyone.

CLASS ACCOLADES

Cherry Class – for working hard in the Science teddy bear umbrella investigation.

Each class was awarded 2 class ticks. Well done everyone.

SPECIAL AWARDS

In celebration assembly today we said well done to the following children, who received **Special Awards** and special Headteacher's Award sticker:

Zofia (Beech class) – for being a super role model, always trying her best and being a superstar in Phonics too!

Ni'Kyras (Hazel class) – for working hard to complete her learning journey.

Teddy (Maple class) – for trying so hard with his learning recently.

Isla (Cherry class) – for always following the Golden Rules and being a role model for how to listen and participate in class.

Class Attendance Award

Cherry Class - 98.3%

Beech Class - 93.3%

Hazel Class - 92.7%

Willow Class - 90.9%

Maple class- 89.8%

Oak class- 88.9%

BB Bear will visit the class with the highest attendance.



Emails/letters to look out for:
Year 2 learning newsletter
Parent Governor election

Values tokens this week
209

What's on next week (Autumn 1 Week 7)

Monday - 8.30am Rock Steady Club

Tuesday - Year 2 P.E.- Please NOTE, change of date for this week only

Wednesday - Flu immunisations

Thursday -

Friday - Year 1 P.E.

Regular Readers Raffle winner

Arielle (Maple)

Well done for reading four or more times at home last week.

As part of our commitment to safeguarding, we provide information about online safety and wellbeing. This information will also be shared on our Facebook page.



Talking to a child about their wellbeing can feel daunting, but adults don't need to be specialists to make a meaningful difference. This guide explores how warm, trusting relationships and a safe environment can help children feel able to share their worries, alongside practical considerations such as choosing an appropriate place and making conversations feel less intense.

The guide also explains how to approach confidentiality honestly, respond calmly when a child discloses something concerning and involve them appropriately in what happens next. With practical conversation starters and reminders about seeking safeguarding and personal support, it offers adults clear, reassuring guidance for listening carefully and helping children feel heard.

