

## Attenborough Bulletin

Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2021

### Update from Mr Chapman

Life in school remains 'as usual' despite recent increases in local and national COVID transmission rates. Our current regime of prevention measures and regular whole staff testing has so far allowed us to continue unaffected. In the weeks ahead, we will remain vigilant and hope that host nation directive allows us to remain open for face-to-face learning. Thank you for your continued support and care taken to report illness.

In school, we are excited to announce that after the Easter holidays we will hopefully be caring for newly born ducklings. We're currently incubating the eggs and the children have all been keeping a keen eye on ensuring the eggs are kept in safe conditions.

This Friday, we will be awarding the Team Cup to one of our four houses. It's been so encouraging to see the children return from their learning at home with a real commitment to our shared values; be kind, be helpful, listen to others, be honest and share your time and talents to support others.

In the coming days, we will be confirming our arrangements for parent/teacher consultations after Easter. Stay safe and well and enjoy a lovely Easter break.

### Key term dates

**Friday 26<sup>th</sup> March**

Last day of spring term  
1330hrs finish

**Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> April**

First day of the summer term

**Week beginning 19<sup>th</sup> April**

Parent / Teacher Discussions

**Monday 31<sup>st</sup> May- Friday 4<sup>th</sup>**

**June**

Summer half-term holiday

**Friday 25<sup>th</sup> June**

INSET Day – School closed

**Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> July**

Last day of the summer term  
1330hrs finish



### House competitions update

#### TEAM CUP

ROWLING	EINSTEIN	FRANK	THUNBERG
434	436	474	487

#### TEAM READING CUP

ROWLING	EINSTEIN	FRANK	THUNBERG
456	315	428	360

### Reading Success



Congratulations to all readers who have achieved reading merits in the last week. As a school, so far this year we have collectively read **7,205,006** words.



**Follow our exciting learning journey on Twitter:**

@AttenboroughSc1 <https://twitter.com/AttenboroughSc1>



### Merit success last week: Congratulations to...

Katherine Gurung, Dylan Roy and Iris Gallagher for achieving their **Bronze Merit** (10 merits)  
Inoke Baleiwasawasa for achieving his **Gold Merit** (30 merits)  
Paige Alcock for achieving her **Diamond Merit** (40 merits)

### WE CARE - Headteacher Award Winners

Congratulations to the following learners for winning our **WE CARE Headteacher Award...**

#### Friday 19<sup>th</sup> March

Dylan Roy, Sunita Lewis, Connor Gallagher, Amelie Wallace, Zac Cole and Kyle Alcock.

### Kingfisher Awards: For outstanding conduct during break and lunchtimes

Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> March	
Hailey Holden	Ilynn Gurung



This year's whole school attendance as of 18.03.21 = **98.3%**

This term whole school attendance = **99.3%**

Last week's whole school attendance = **99.1%**

**Class High Attendance recognition: Well done to FS1 Paderborn, FS2 Detmold, Year 2 Hameln, Year 3 Dortmund and Years 5/6 Berlin Class for all achieving 100% attendance between 8<sup>th</sup> March and 12<sup>th</sup> March 2021.**

#### Week beginning 8<sup>th</sup> March 2021



FS1 Paderborn  
100%



FS2 Detmold  
100%



Y2 Hameln  
100%



Y3 Dortmund  
100%



Y5/6 Berlin  
100%

#### School Dinners

For those who wish their children to have school dinners after the Easter break, please may we ask that you return your dinner choices to the School no later than Wednesday the 24<sup>th</sup> March.

#### Student Information

Last week the School sent out a form to check we had the most up-to-date information for your child, please can you make sure this is also returned to the school before the end of the School day on Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> March.

Yours sincerely,

Mr. Chapman  
Headteacher