



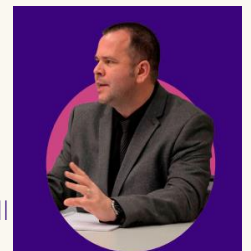
Issue 4

Friday 29th September

Mayfield expectations

Headteacher's Message

Dear Parents, Carers, Children and Members of the Mayfield
At Mayfield, we teach our children to have high expectations of themselves and each other, in terms of their behaviour, their attitude and their attitude to learning. To provide a common language, we have five shared whole-school 'Expectations' that all children are expected to respect and follow all of the time. These are:



Mr. M. Couper-Barton

	Mayfield Primary School's Expectations	
1.	We will all follow instructions.	
2.	We will all use safe hands and feet.	
3.	We will use kind words.	
4.	We will always tell the truth.	
5.	We will always try our best.	
<i>Here are some of our Rewards in school you may like to earn.</i>		
A smile	Praise	House Points
Stickers	Stamps	Certificates
A note home	A phone call home	Trophies
Class treats	House Team treats	Mayfield Marvel
Mayfield Star	Extra responsibilities	Star of the Week

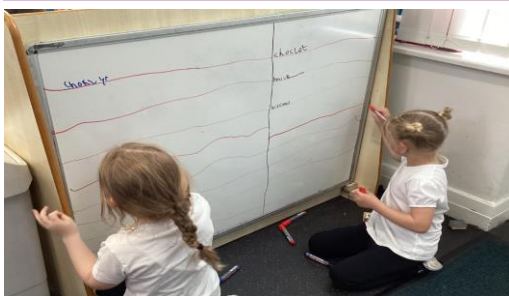
Expectations are then discussed and broken down further in each class, with specific discussion around 'What does it look like in our class / year group?' It's good to hear that lots of children have been discussing expectations and rewards at home.



Mr Couper-Barton (Headteacher)

Mayfield's 'Quote of the Week'

HIGH EXPECTATIONS ARE THE KEY TO EVERYTHING.



Morning Sports Club

(Week beginning: 2.10.23)

Monday: Rounders

Tuesday: Basketball

Wednesday: Hockey

Thursday: Volleyball

Friday: Freddy Fit

FREE places for children in Yr1-6. (8.15am)

Please drop children off at the main entrance.

Mayfield 'Value of the Week'



At Mayfield we encourage our children to 'Reflect'.

Children are taught how to reflect on their learning and look at what they did well, as well as what they could do differently.

They reflect on events from the past and how it informs what we do today.



Learn from yesterday.

Live for today.

Hope for tomorrow.

Mayfield's Mission Statement values					
L	Love of all	L	Lead by example	H	Health and happiness
E	Empathy	I	Inspire, imagine, improve	O	Opportunities and aspirations
A	Appreciation	V	Voice	P	Perseverance, progress, pride
R	Reflect, respect, remember.	E	Everyone matters	E	Every day is a new day
N	Never give up	Learn from yesterday. Live for today. Hope for tomorrow.			

Our Mission Statement and Values

At Mayfield, we are proud of our Mission Statement 'Learn from yesterday. Live for today' Hope for tomorrow'.

You will also hear our children talking about our Mission Values (see poster left).

We have taken the words 'Learn. Live. Hope' and broken them down into qualities that are important in our school and make Mayfield, Mayfield.

Children are encouraged to show these qualities in school, and at home, and earn house points and rewards when they do so.

A very Autumnal curriculum!

So what does happen to the leaves and the trees in Autumn? Reception have been finding out by reading and learning about the story 'The Leaf Thief.' Children have explored outdoor learning spaces and made headbands with items found.



A very sporty Year One!

Year One have been trying really hard to show off their black and white PE kit. Keep going!

Children have enjoyed their fantastic PE sessions, learning all about sending and receiving. Brilliant throwing and catching skills from so many children.



Dogs

Thank you so much for your co-operation in not bringing dogs onto the school grounds. We really appreciate the support of our school community, although will continue to monitor.



No dogs
Except guide dogs and assistance dogs

Bikes in the school grounds

We are delighted that so many children and families have decided to find alternative ways to travel to school, such as cycling and using scooters that can be pushed along (and not electric scooters).

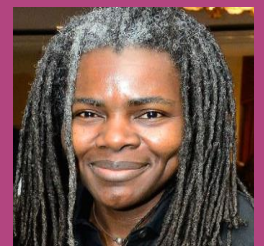
In order to keep everyone safe, please can we make sure however, that children and families do not cycle in the school grounds? Thank you.



Musician of the Month

As you know, we are fully involved in the national 'Musician of the Month' programme, which helps to broaden children's awareness of musicians and genres. Last month, children learnt about Bob Marley and his music.

This month will focus on Tracey Chapman, and children will be familiarised with the song 'Fast Cars'.



Black History Month

Black History Month is celebrated annually across the world and takes place throughout October in the UK. This year's national theme is 'Saluting Our Sisters' and aims to highlight pioneering black women. To recognise and promote this, classes at Mayfield will spend some time looking into a significant historical figure and find out what difference they have made, over the next few weeks.



A few of this week's Mayfield Magic Moments



Top left

Alfie loved being a mascot at Manchester City's recent Champions League game!!!

Top right

Nursery have made some wonderful models using household items.

Bottom left

Classes have started to produce artwork for our 'Take One Picture' exhibition.

Bottom right

Wonderful Yr1 Geographers learning all about the countries in the United Kingdom.



This week's special award winners!



Mayfield's 'Superstars of the Week'

Congratulations to the following winners who have demonstrated outstanding behaviour choices or shown a superb attitude to learning or for a special achievement.



Nursery BB: Harris English & Parker Ogden
 Reception LA: Lara Lafferty & David
 Reception PS: Amalea Lewis Duffy & Rio Edwards

Year One SC Brodie Ogden & Musa Yarwar
 Year One WO George Payne & Lola Biram
 Year Two HS Rose Connor & Rosie Reynolds
 Year Two RL Harry Hampson & Kayden Ullah

Year Three ER Alexander Igboke & Summer-Leigh Brooks
 Year Three ET Emanuel Pereira & Nathan Sobotek
 Year Four JS: Layla Guilfoyle & Savannah Jackson
 Year Five JH: Darcie-Rae Richards & Kael Coyle
 Year Six HD: Olivia Mayemba & Macy-Leanne James



Mr
Choudhury's
winner

Hunter Entwistle



Mrs
Schofield's
winner

Ahmad Zeshan



PE Award winners



	PE award winners	Team Spirit Award winners
Nursery BB	Alara Idiguk	Amayah-Rea Smith
Reception LA	Lucy Nwaubaozor	Teddy Cook
Reception PS	Jax Cunningham	Amalea Lewis-Duffy
Year One SC	Lottie Gregg	Reuben Lawton
Year One WO	Kaiden Royle	Max Davidson
Year Two HS	Atlanta Bevan	Elizabeth Connor
Year Two RL	Charlotte Mason	Frankie Taylor
Year Three ER	Teddie-James Nolan	Octavia Duffy
Year Three ET	Keyan Rezai	Jaden Simpson
Year Four JS	Layla Guilfoyle	Erik Izsepi
Year Five JH	Wealth Omoruyi	Abigail Robb
Year Six HD	Ahmad Zeshan	Ella Heffron

House Team Winners of the Week

1 st place	Granite Green
2 nd place	Vulcan Yellows
3 rd place	Kingston Red
4 th place	Waverley Blue



Dates for your Diary

Dates	Events
3.10.23	Tag Rugby at Waterhead Academy (Details to be confirmed)
6.10.23	Cross-country event
16.10.23	Photograph Day (Individual and siblings) Full uniform please.
17.10.23	Yr2 Information Evening (Parents / carers, and children) 3.30-4.15pm (At least one family member per child please).
19.10.23	'Take One Picture' Art Exhibition in the Small Hall
20.10.23	End of Half-term One
30.10.23	Inset Day (Children not in school)
31.10.23	Start of Half-term Two
2.11.23	Early Help Parental Nurture Workshops begin (Info to follow)
6.11.23*	Parents' / Carers' Evening (NBB, RLA, Yr1SC, Yr2RL, Yr3ET, Yr4JS, Yr6HD) 3.30-6.30pm
9.11.23*	Parents' / Carers' Evening (NBB, RPS, Yr1WO, Yr2HS, Yr3ER, Yr5JH) 3.30-6.30pm
13.11.23*	Mayfield 'Open Evening' (new parents / carers, community, etc).
14.12.23	Pantomime at Queen Elizabeth Hall
15.12.23	Christmas Fair
21.12.23	Amazing Stephen performance (EYFS)
22.12.23	End of Half-term Two
8.1.24	Start of Half-term Three
16.2.24	End of Half-term Three
26.2.24	Start of Half-term Four
28.3.24	End of Half-term Four
15.4.24	Start of Half-term Five
6.5.24	May Day (Children not in school)
24.5.24	End of Half-term Five
3.6.24	Start of Half-term Six
18.7.24	End of Half-term Six
19.7.24	Inset Day (Children not in school)

*New events

Attendance and Punctuality (from Tues-Fri this week)



97% and above	Excellent
91% to 95%	Heading in the right direction but some improvement needed
	Attendance is slipping: to be closely monitored
90% or below	Poor
	(High numbers of children are persistently absent)

	Attendance	Punctuality
Overall	95.9%	98.6%
Nursery BB	94.2%	99.4%
Reception LA	93.5%	98.7%
Reception PS	95.5%	98.0%
Year One SC	97.3%	95.4%
Year One WO	94.6%	98.9%
Year Two HS	96.9%	99.3%
Year Two RL	99.6%	100%
Year Three ER	95.4%	97.5%
Year Three ET	97.5%	100%
Year Four JS	95.0%	98.2%
Year Five JH	92.8%	98.4%
Year Six HD	98.2%	98.2%



Headteacher's Special Award for 'Learning Behaviour of the Week'

This week's 'Learning behaviour of the Week' is:

'I can keep going even though I find something tricky'.

Next week's 'Learning Behaviour of the Week' is:

'I have been noticed by an adult that is not my teacher, making the right choices in school.'



Nursery BB	Mariam Hujaifa
Reception LA	Charlie Mayall
Reception PS	Alfie Coyne Hewitt
Year One SC	Trevell Kerwin
Year One WO	Violet Cunniffe
Year Two HS	Isla Binns
Year Two RL	Samantha Ajiwe
Year Three ER	Chidubem Shittabey
Year Three ET	Layla Perrin
Year Four JS	Zachary Lawton
Year Five JH	Amelia Reed
Year Six HD	Kayden Gibson



This week's certificate





Headteacher's Award:
'Learning Behaviour of the Week'

Congratulations to:
for keeping going when I found something tricky.
I am really proud of you!

Signed: *Mr Couper-Barton* Date: Friday 29th September 2022

Next week's certificate





Headteacher's Award:
'Learning Behaviour of the Week'

Congratulations to:
for being noticed by an adult that is not my teacher,
making the right choices in school.
I am really proud of you!

Signed: *Mr Couper-Barton* Date: Friday 6th October 2023



Please see our brand-new Facebook account and our X (Twitter) account for more photos of our fantastic children. Keep sending them in to show we are 'Proud to be Purple'.

Apologies that we cannot show all the photos sent into us within this newsletter! Thank you.

Thank you for taking the time to read this week's newsletter. Mr Couper-Barton (Headteacher) Please visit @MayfieldOldham and Facebook for further information and news.

