



Issue 19

Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> February

Supporting learning

### Headteacher's Message

Dear Parents, Carers, Children and Members of the Mayfield Community,  
At Mayfield, we follow the principles of educationalist, Professor Barak Rosenshine, when supporting children's learning and their ability to know and remember more. These principles are:

- (1). We review previous learning at the start of lessons.
- (2). We present new learning in small steps.
- (3). We ask lots of effective questions.
- (4). We provide lots of examples.
- (5). We help children practice lots of their own examples.
- (6). We check children's understanding.

- (7). We aim for children to feel success, as well as have challenge needed.
- (8). We scaffold and support learning.
- (9). We encourage independent practice.
- (10). We have weekly and monthly reviews of learning.

These principles are used in each year group and across the curriculum.

Mr Couper-Barton (Headteacher)



Mr. M. Couper-Barton



### Mayfield's 'Quote of the Week'



### Morning Sports Club



(Week beginning: 5.2.24)

- Monday: Volleyball
- Tuesday: Gymnastics
- Wednesday: Basketball
- Thursday: Tag Rugby
- Friday: Games

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 talk to our children about the value 'Pride'.

We want children to feel proud of themselves and of others. It is important that all children get to feel a sense of pride, and the buzz it can create inside.





## Nursery's parents' workshop

This week, the Nursery team hosted a communication and language workshop for our parents and carers. The team delivered a presentation about effective strategies to support communication and language. We then explored games and activities that utilise these strategies.



## Fab footballers!

Congratulations to our amazing football players who competed so brilliantly at a tournament this week. We are really proud.



## Fishkeeper Fry Club update

Fishkeeper Fry club have some exciting news to share today - our first live fish have arrived! We now have 5 cherry shrimp in our aquarium!



## Attendance and Punctuality

We are VERY privileged in Y4 this week! We are not only the attendance champions, but also the punctuality champions for the week! Well done Y4! Kevin has been making himself at home and has even been involved in our science lessons!



## Year Three's Story Quilts

After learning about the artist Faith Ringgold, Year Three have now been creating and designing their own Story Quilts.



# Mayfield's Message Board

## Children's Mental Health Week

Next week is Children's Mental Health Week. This year's theme is "My Voice Matters" and children will be encouraged to talk about their feelings and their worries. In school there will be a special assembly dedicated to making our voices heard and activities in class throughout the week.

We are also going to donate to Tog Mind, a local charity providing mental health and well-being services. Please feel to join us by donating £1.00 per family. Simply hand in to your child's class teacher.



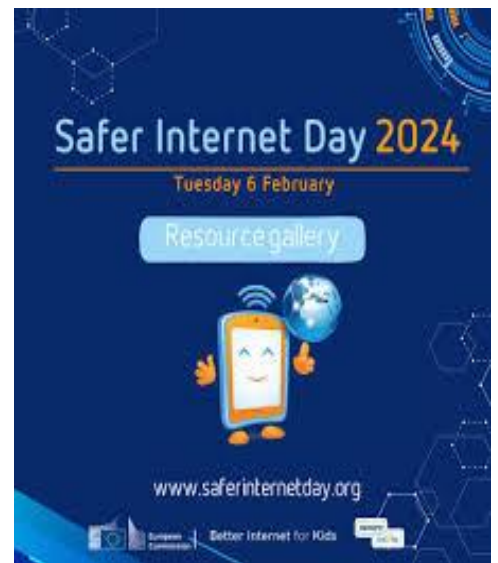
## Earrings

Earrings should NOT be worn for PE. Please take them out on PE days or bring in plasters to cover them.

Also, children may only wear stud earrings to school. Hoops are not permitted.

## Safer Internet Day

Our Tech Titans have been busy organising some fabulous activities for Safer Internet Day on Tuesday 6th of February 2024, with learning based around the theme 'Inspiring change? Making a difference, managing influence and navigating change online'. Children will take part in a live online lesson. We are looking forward to the UK's biggest celebration of online safety.



## A few of this week's Mayfield Magic Moments



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Top right

Bottom left

Bottom right

Our Year Three Mayfield Marvels are looking proud. Who else will be next?

Year Two Mayfield Marvels enjoy 'leading by example' in our school.

Children try their best in our school and wear their Mayfield Marvel badges with pride.

Our Tech Titans have enjoyed organising next week's Safer Internet Day.

**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 (1): Noah Quinn & Paige Mannerson  
 Nursery BB: Alissa Ullah & Mariam Hujaiifa  
 Reception LA: Sofia Rocha & Rio Edwards  
 Reception PS: Eden Capper & Zana Ayongo

Year One LH: Emma Shaw & Trevell Kerwin  
 Year One WO: Brody Woolfe & Isla Butler  
 Year Two HS: Leo Berry & Jacob O'Neill-Loynes  
 Year Two SC: Kayden Ullah & Harper Entwistle

Year Three ER: Megan Rands & Logan-James Woolfe  
 Year Three ET: Cheyenne Stott & Poppy Threadgale  
 Year Four JS: Robyn Schofield & Erik Izsepi  
 Year Five JH: Abigail Robb & Finley Poole  
 Year Six HD: Jaden Swales & Isabel Davies

Mr  
Choudhury's  
winner

Charlie Hill

Mrs  
Schofield's  
winner

Kayson-Lewis  
Newton-Pilgrim

**PE Award winners**

	PE award winners	Team Spirit Award winners
Nursery BB (1)	River McGrath Kennedy	Kara Shaw
Nursery BB	Louis Frankland	Penny Shearer
Reception LA	Eden Capper	Katie-Esme Wild
Reception PS	Shirley-Marie Williams	Joshua Rose
Year One LH	Lamaya Kerwin	Isla Jones
Year One WO	Violet Cunniffe	Eleanor Tabner
Year Two HS	Scarlett Hall	Aaron Walker
Year Two SC	Frankie Taylor	Evie Morley
Year Three ER	Hazel Tracey	Matthew Nkhunje
Year Three ET	Lewis Wright	Lea Worthington
Year Four JS	Zahra Awais	Ruby Knott
Year Five JH	Carson Crossley	Olivia Goodwin
Year Six HD	Kevin Izsepi	Lacey McMillan

## House Team Winners of the Week

1 <sup>st</sup> place	Waverley Blue
2 <sup>nd</sup> place	Kingston Red
3 <sup>rd</sup> place	Granite Green
4 <sup>th</sup> place	Vulcan Yellow

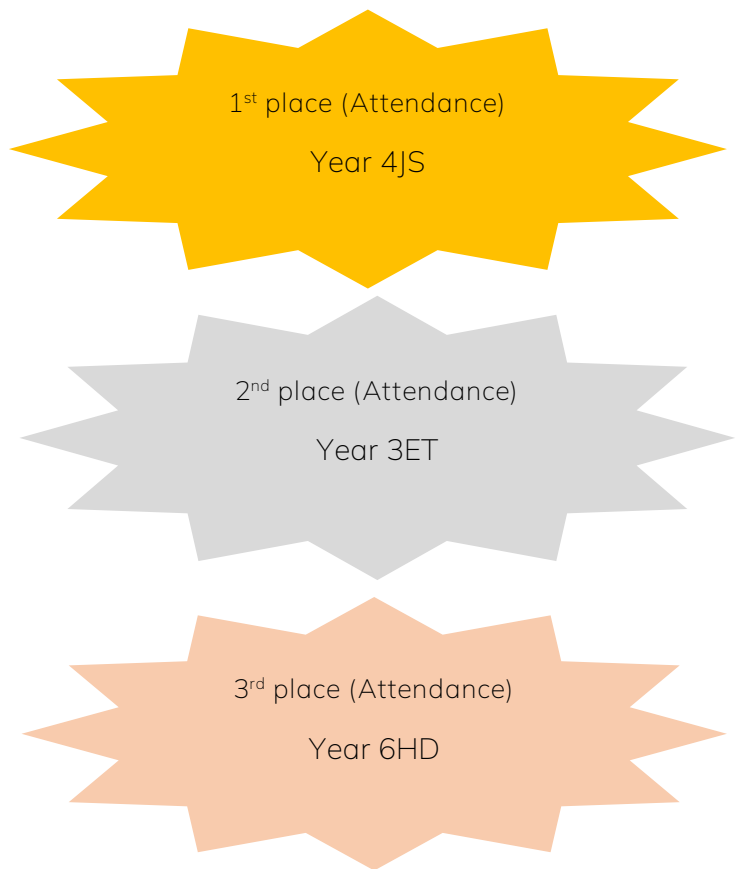


## Dates for your Diary

Dates	Events
5.2.24*	Children's Mental Health Week (Families are encouraged to donate £1.00 per family, if possible, to go towards TOG Mind, a local mental health charity supporting children).
5.2.24*	Year One mosque visit (RE unit)
6.2.24	Safer Internet Day
6.2.24	Multi-skills tournament (Yr2) after-school
6.2.24	Year Four taking part in Oldham Linking Project
7.2.24	Young Voices performance (Manchester) – choir
7.2.24	Chaplain Ford Assembly (KS2)
7.2.24 - 9.2.24	Year Six residential
9.2.24	EYFS Chinese New Year Curriculum Day
9.2.24	German workshop (KS2) Goethe Institute
13.2.24*	Dodgeball Finals (Year Six)
15.2.24	Diversity Day (British Value: Mutual Respect). Info to follow.
16.2.24	End of Half-term Three
26.2.24	Start of Half-term Four
26.2.24	Year Five Anglo-Saxon Curriculum Day
29.2.24	'Play in a Day' (Yr5)
1.3.24	Charity Fundraising Day (Info to follow).
4.3.24 – 8.3.24	Careers Week (Info to follow)
7.3.24	World Book Day (Info to follow)
11.3.24	Chicks arriving in Reception
11.3.24 – 15.3.24	British Science Week (Info to follow)
12.3.24	Year Four taking part in Oldham Linking Project
14.3.23*	Easter Experience at East Oldham Methodist
19.3.24	Football match at Waterhead Academy
20.3.24	Chaplain Ford Assembly (KS2)
26.3.24*	Parents' / Carers' Evening (NBB, RPS, Yr1LH, Yr2SC, Yr3ET, Yr5JH, Yr6HD)
27.3.24*	Parents' / Carers' Evening (NBB, RLA, Yr1WO, Yr2HS, Yr3ER, Yr4JS)
28.3.24	End of Half-term Four
29.3.24	Good Friday (Children not in school)
31.3.24	Easter Sunday
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

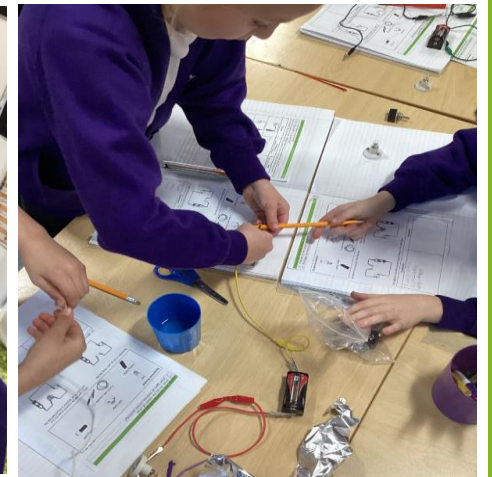
## Attendance and Punctuality (last week)



97% and above	Excellent
	95% to 97%
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	92.5%	97.2%
Nursery BB (1)	94.6%	100%
Nursery BB	87.9%	98.9%
Reception LA	93.9%	95.2%
Reception PS	95.0%	97.6%
Year One LH	93.7%	94.5%
Year One WO	83.2%	99.7%
Year Two HS	92.1%	97.8%
Year Two SC	96.0%	99.2%
Year Three ER	87.2%	98.3%
Year Three ET	97.3%	99.4%
Year Four JS	97.4%	100%
Year Five JH	89.4%	98.2%
Year Six HD	96.4%	98.2%

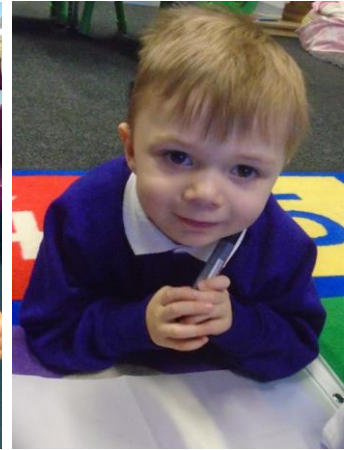




So, what's it like to be a pupil at Mayfield?  



A small number of spaces in EYFS, KS1 & Year 3 remain. Spread the word.  



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

This week's 'Learning Behaviour of the Week'

'I can ask questions to find out more information.'

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

'I treat others the way I wish to be treated.'

Nursery BB (1)	Bay-Leigh Stevens-Blair
Nursery BB	Cason Stevenson
Reception LA	Lucy Nwaubaozor
Reception PS	Rio Edwards
Year One LH	Darcy Dunnington-Barrett
Year One WO	Inayah Waqas
Year Two HS	Purity Oshojikhena
Year Two RL	Harry Hampson
Year Three ER	Jake Kershaw
Year Three ET	Lewis Wright
Year Four JS	Jack Houghton
Year Five JH	Wealth Omoruyi
Year Six HD	Kai Higgins



### This week's certificate



### Next week's certificate



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.

