

# 19th April 2024 – weekly bulletin

# Working Together for Excellent Attendance.

Well done to Sycamore class and Oak class who both had the best attendance this week at 97%!



Everyone took part in den building on Tuesday this week. The classes spent the day working in teams to build their own shelters. Everyone worked beautifully together, and communicated their thoughts and opinions clearly. Take a look at some of the amazing shelters that were built!



Some families have not contributed towards den building costs. If you are able to contribute to ensure enrichment activities like Den Building can continue, please do so on ParentPay.

## Absence from school due to illness

Moving forwards, please can families make a **phone call each day** to notify Mrs Lee / School that they will be absent. **This can be followed up with an email.** This is an important part of the safeguarding procedure and will allow us to ask any supplementary questions that may impact on other members of the school community. For example, some illnesses are important to know for anyone who is pregnant or vulnerable themselves. **Please make this call by 9:30am.** 

It is an important part of the commitment to safeguarding to ensure that we are speaking to families about absences and that we have the chance to check in and see if our families need anything.

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### Sycamore Swimming

Thank you for the payments received towards swimming costs. If you have not yet paid, please do so on ParentPay. You may pay weekly or monthly if you wish to spread the cost, or the full amount if preferred. Thank you.

#### **Ordering school meals**

There have been some days this week where a meal has not been ordered for a child. This means a meal is not prepared for that child, and so the meals that have been ordered have to be reduced slightly to provide a meal for the child without a meal. Please make sure you order meals in advance, or provide a packed lunch from home.

#### **Reminders:**

Bag2School bags were sent home this week. Please return bags on Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> April by 9am. Please contact the school office if you need additional bags – we have lots of spares!

Bikeability letters were sent to Year 6 parents this week. Please complete and return the bike/helmet checklist and the consent forms as soon as possible.

Have a lovely weekend!

Mrs Zoe Ellis Executive Headteacher