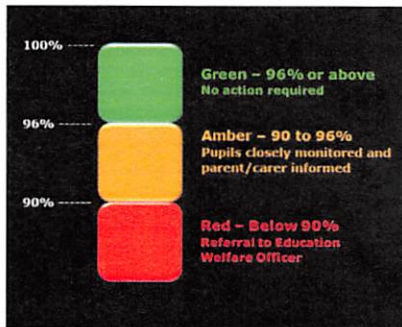


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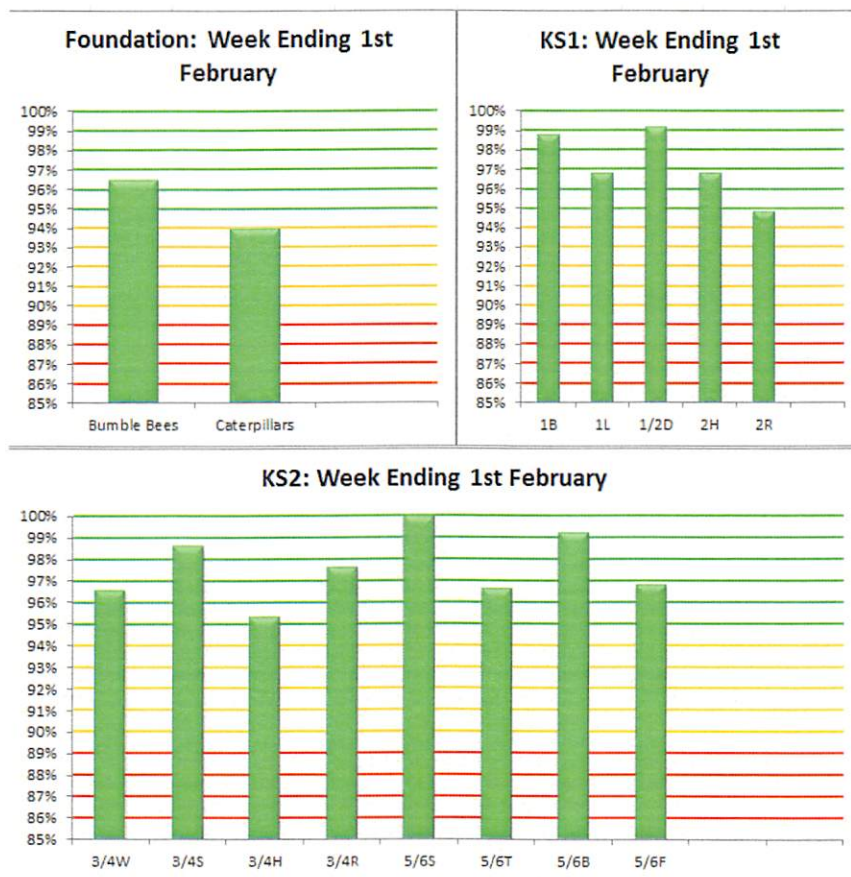
WHOLE SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

UPDATE: WE AIM FOR 96.5%

**OUR CURRENT ATTENDANCE IS
96.8%**

Check here to see whether your child's class is currently red, amber or green using our traffic light monitoring system. Please remember that the doors open at 8.45am and registers are taken by 9.00am.

Thank you all for your continued support in our aim to get children **Here On Time** and in school regularly.



CLUBS AND AFTER SCHOOL ACTIVITIES:

Monday: Tennis KS1 & KS2 3.20-4.20pm
Yoga Y1-6 3.20-4.20pm 14th Jan-11th Feb

Tuesday: Cheerleading 3.20-4.20pm
Dodgeball Y4/5 3.20-4.00pm

Wednesday: Martial Arts Y1-6 3.20-4.30pm
Skipping Y1-2 3.20-4.15pm
Skipping Y3-6 3.20-4.15pm

Friday: Dodgeball KS1 3.20-4.30pm

UPCOMING KEY DATES:

Friday 15th February End of Term 3.20pm
Monday 25th February Pupils return for new term
Thursday 7th March Y5/6 Horrible Histories, Grimsby Auditorium
Monday 11th March Earthbound Misfits in school all week.
Friday 15th March Comic Relief Day – Non Uniform Day
Monday 25th March Book Fair in school for one week
Tuesday 26th March School Photographer 9am – Class Photos
Friday 3rd May Y4 Swimming (Weekly) Info to follow
Monday 13th May Y6 SATs Week
June Y5 Bikeability – Dates/Info to follow

Celebration Assembly Super Stars:



General Messages:

Artsmark Award: We are delighted and proud to let you know that Wybers Wood Academy has received a Silver Award for our Arts provision in the academy. In their feedback the Arts Council England said *'The school ensures an appropriate quality curriculum with sufficient time for arts subjects through their two-year rolling curriculum and the expertise of music, dance, drama and art specialists on staff. Pupil voice has been well developed through Year 6's delivery of the annual arts festival and lunch time clubs.*

Pupil Absences: If your child is ill and will not be attending school, please remember to notify us before 9am. We always ring home if we haven't heard from parents/carers to check the reason for the absence and to ensure the child is safe. If we are unable to contact parents/carers, we do sometimes make a home visit to ensure there are no safeguarding concerns.

Key Stage 1 News

This week in KS1 has been a very creative one! We have been working hard on our Art competition and our Dance competition. In Art we have been thinking about specific months and what that month makes us think of. We have then been making paintings from these ideas for a whole school calendar.

Next week we are performing our interpretative dance routines that we have all been working very hard on. It is going to be an exciting week! Please could we remind you that children need to read at least 3 times a week – this will then get them a raffle ticket!

Foundation Stage News

We have been extending our vocabulary and problem solving skills involving capacity this week. We have had great fun in the water tray considering terms such as 'half full' and 'empty'.

In Literacy we are working very hard at 'having a go' and using our phonic knowledge to write sentences independently. We have written about our favourite part of the Lincoln Castle trip and enjoyed sharing photographs of the day!

We also have our own classroom castle which is home to our pet dragons and we have been enjoying role-play situations with these. Roar!!!

Year 3 & 4 News

On Monday Lower Key Stage 2 were extremely fortunate to meet Peter J Murray who is an author of the Mokee Joe books. The children were engrossed by his presentation. They thoroughly enjoyed learning all about Pete's life and how he created the characters for his books, as well as how the ideas came to life for his stories. It was a lovely experience for the children and the teachers enjoyed themselves too. The children have definitely been inspired by him. Pete was very impressed by the children's behaviour, so well done to all of Lower Key Stage 2!

Next Monday the children will take part in another school competition. This time they will be showcasing their dancing skills as a class. The children have been working hard creating a dance that encapsulates our topic of Flow. We look forward to seeing the different dances which the children have created.

Please continue to read at home, learn your spellings and times tables. Well done for another lovely week.

Year 5 & 6 News

There has been lots of technical drawing in Maths for Year 6 this week as both classes have been working on angles, shapes and coordinates. In Year 5, however, the focus has been on fractions.

Year 6 sent three teams to a Dodgeball tournament and came away with an array of awards: two teams got through to the semi-finals and one team came first! What a brilliant display of sporting behaviour and prowess!

Elsewhere in the world of Primary School Sports, the year six football team beat Lacey Acres with an incredible score of 9-0.

Finally, the atmosphere has reached new heights with the Performance Dance competition scheduled for Monday afternoon. Snowy Owls are performing the Haka; Tawny Owls are off on holiday; Badgers are recreating a volcano eruption and Foxes are off to outer Space!