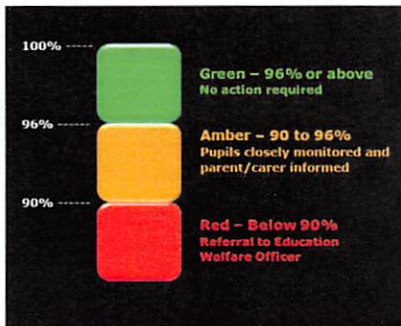


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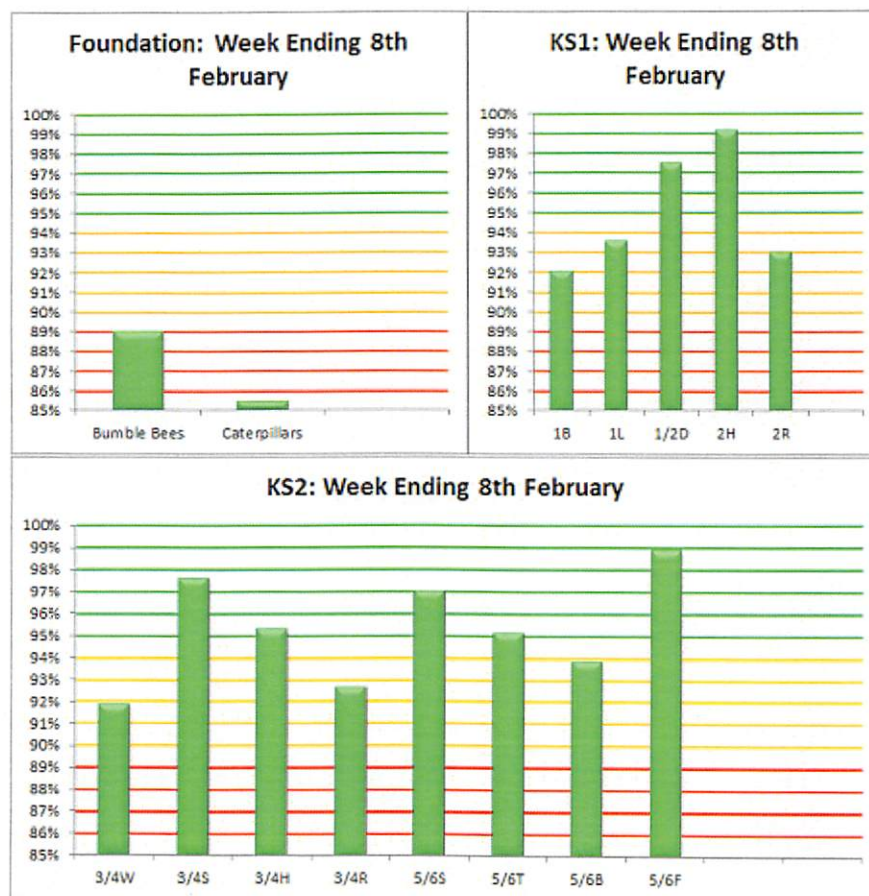


**WHOLE SCHOOL ATTENDANCE  
 UPDATE: WE AIM FOR 96.5%**

**OUR CURRENT ATTENDANCE IS  
 96.7%**

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 4<sup>th</sup> Mar-1<sup>st</sup> Apr
- 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 15<sup>th</sup> February End of Term 3.20pm
- Monday 25<sup>th</sup> February Pupils return for new term
- Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March Y5/6 Horrible Histories, Grimsby Auditorium
- Monday 11<sup>th</sup> March Earthbound Misfits in school all week.
- Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March Comic Relief Day – Non Uniform Day
- Monday 25<sup>th</sup> March Book Fair in school for one week
- Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> March School Photographer 9am – Class Photos
- Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> May Y4 Swimming (Weekly) Info to follow
- Monday 13<sup>th</sup> May Y6 SATs Week
- June Y5 Bikeability – Dates/Info to follow

## Celebration Assembly Super Stars:

Caysie

Miley

Jack

Ella

Amelia

Jackson

Liberty

Gabrielle

Rhianna

Drew

Alfie

Keira

Thomas

Sadie

Evelyn

Lucy

### **General Messages:**

LKS2 Science Workshop: Thank you to Mr Bee and some of our old pupils from JWA who worked with our children this week. The children's knowledge of water pollution is vastly improved and we are so proud to receive this feedback: *'the year 3/4 students were fantastic! The pupils were keen, inquisitive, and showed fantastic resilience with the experiments, alongside being polite and courteous at all times. Your pupils were a credit to the school and we loved working with them.'* Well done children!

Parking: We continue to receive complaints from other parents and our neighbours regarding parent/carers' parking around the academy. Please, think before you stop; who are you putting in danger or inconveniencing by restricting their access? If there was ever an emergency and an ambulance or fire engine needed access, how would you feel if your parking had prevented the emergency services from doing their job. The consequences could be disastrous! Please park at the shops and walk through the cutting.

### Key Stage 1 News

What a fabulous end to half term we have had. Year 2 have been working hard on the SATs papers from last year. The progress they are making is fabulous to see.

Year 2 took part in music workshops on Thursday, in preparation for the singing festival on Tuesday 12th March at the Grimsby Auditorium. They sang the songs they are learning about space and learnt about Carrie, Cosmo, Zog and Zebedee! We will send more details out about the performance after half term and how you can purchase tickets.

Next term, our Topic in Key Stage 1 will be Dinosaur Planet, so start learning those tricky Dinosaur names.

Have a great half term.

### Foundation Stage News

This week in Early Years we have been enjoying doing something extra special! We have loved learning how to make biscuits by weighing, mixing and baking them. We then very carefully designed and decorated them ourselves to give them to someone we love for Valentine's Day! We hope you enjoyed them!

We have been learning about the gingerbread man in Literacy this week which has included making bridges, creating gingerbread men out of craft materials, writing our own speech bubbles for the characters in the story and even seeing and smelling some real ginger to see what it is really like. Ask us if we liked the smell, we found it so interesting!

### Year 3 & 4 News

We have had a fantastic final week in Year 3 and 4!

Breaking News! In Literacy, we have all been working hard as news reporters; trying to uncover the case of a boatswain whistle, which was found on our school playground. The children have created their own newspaper reports and have written up their own stories.

This week all children in KS2 participated in the Intra Dance Competition! The competition itself was a great success with all classes showing off their performance dances to the rest of the school. Each of our dances related to our topic, 'Go with the Flow'

Have a lovely break and we will see you all after half-term.

### Year 5 & 6 News

It has been a very busy time as we build towards the end of the half term. Over the past week, fifteen of our boys represented the school in a table tennis tournament in Hull. It has been an exceptionally successful period for the school with regards to table tennis as this has come on the back of the successful team who finished in the top 12 schools nationally.

A big well done to the boys and Mr Wrigley. In the classroom, the Year 6 pupils have been busy working hard on their balanced arguments and the Year 5 pupils have been enjoying the challenge of using the four operations within fractions.