

The Last Week's Attendance %		School YTD
RAF	99.0	1 st
RNW	95.9	
1SD	95.3	
1JK	91.3	
2SG	98.5	2 nd
2RT	98.2	3 rd
3SM	96.2	
3SP	96.1	
Target	100%	94.9%



MILLBROOK PARK
CHURCH OF ENGLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL

Monday 15th January 2018

RESPECT

KINDNESS

COURAGE

RESILIENCE



Dear Families,

We have started to look at our school value of RESPECT this term. We explained RESPECT as acting in a way that *shows we care* (for people, nature and things). We talked about all of the opportunities to show respect/care every day. We have decided that each day we are going to try and leave 'caring footsteps' behind us wherever we go. Some of the things we will try to show RESPECT by doing are:

- Listening to others – not talking over people
- Looking after school resources – indoors and out
- Putting rubbish in the bin – respecting for the environment
- Respecting each other's opinions and points of view

Children will receive a 'Values at Home' Sheet with the new Values Trophy Challenge on it soon.

Yours, Nicola Dudley

Hot Chocolate Fridays

Every Friday for this half term (starting Friday 19th January) we are going to be selling hot chocolate drinks to enjoy at home-time. This is partly to raise funds for enrichment activities for the children in school and also to add a bit of cheer in the cold weather.

The cost will be:

50p for a hot chocolate
£1 for cream and sprinkles on top
£1.50 if you want a biscuit to go with it.



Sherpa Information

Please read this important message from John Geers, the manager of Sherpa Kids.

To all parents/carers,

Attendance at afterschool club is by booking only. You cannot simply tell the school or your child that they are going to Sherpa Kids without first having your booking accepted by us. Unexpected/un-booked attendees mean that we cannot guarantee that our staffing levels are sufficient to meet the Ofsted regulations and run the club in a safe and organised way.

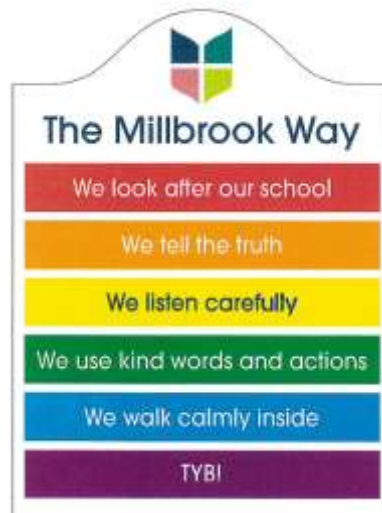
We are usually able to be flexible and accommodate casual/ad'hoc attendance but we must know in advance how many children will be attending so that we can ensure that we have sufficient staff and resources (such as food) to meet the needs of the group

To be clear...if your child comes to a Sherpa Kids session without the booking having been accepted directly by us we will not be able to take them.

To make a booking at Sherpa Kids please call or text 07803887610 or email john.geers@sherpakids.co.uk. You must receive an acceptance of your booking request before your child can attend. For last minute bookings please always make contact by phone.

The Millbrook Way - School Rules signs

Look out for the new outdoor and indoor signs which remind the children of our main school rules. 'TYB' began as our sports day chant in the first year of the school and has become a slogan for the Millbrook Way. TYB = **T**ry **Y**our **B**est.



Medical Tracker

Please see the letter attached regarding medical tracker, a new medical system that will be going live today.

Fire Engine Visit for Year 1

We have been contacted by the Mill Hill fire station to offer a special visit to school (a talk and a climb on the engine) for Year 1 pupils on 18th January. This came about because one of our Y1 pupils went to the station on Christmas Day and gave the team some Christmas treats and they were touched by the pupil's thoughtfulness – as am I!



Nativity DVD's

The nativity DVD's that were ordered and paid for in December will be available by the 26th of January.

Clubs dates Spring term

Chess – Mon 8th Jan – 26th Mar
Dance – Tue 9th Jan – 27th Mar
Recorder – Tue 9th Jan – 6th Mar
Football – Tue 9th Jan – 27th Mar
Drama – Thu 11th Jan – 29th Mar
Cooking – Thu 11th Jan – 29th Mar
Tag Rugby – Fri 12th Jan – 23rd Mar

Dates for your dairy

January

Wed 17 th	Parents maths workshop Reception – 8.40am
Thu 18 th	Governors meeting – 6pm
Tue 23 rd	Parents maths workshop – KS1 – (Y1 & Y2) 8.40am
Wed 24 th	Parents maths workshop – KS2 – (Y3) 8.40am
Tue 30 th	Parent RWI Training Nursery – 8.40am

February

Mon 5 th	Share Our Learning Day – SOLD – 3.10pm
Fri 9 th	Last day of half term
Mon 19 th	First day back after half term
Thu 22 nd	Governors meeting 6pm

March

Thu 1 st & Fri 2 nd March	Bikeability Year 3
Thu 15 th	Parents Consultation evening
Mon 26 th	Bishop Rob - Easter assembly
Thu 29 th	Last day of term

May

May 3 rd & 4 th	Reception only – Vision & hearing testing – in school
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June

Jun 15 th	Reception only – Vision & hearing recalls – in school
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Star Awards





Term Dates 2017 -2018

Spring Term 2018 (57 days)

First Half Wednesday 3rd January – Friday 9th February

Half Term Holiday Monday 12th February – Friday 16th February

Second Half Monday 19th February – Thursday 29th March

School Holiday Friday 30th March – Friday 13th April

Summer Term 2018 (63 days)

First Half Monday 16th April – Friday 25th May

Half Term Monday 28th May – Friday 1st June

Second Half Tuesday 5th June – Friday 20th July

NB *May bank holiday Monday 7th May*

Spring bank holiday Monday 28th May

Monday 29th October

Monday 7th January

Monday 22nd July

Tuesday 23rd July

School Day: 8.40am to 3.05pm Reception & 3.10pm for all other year groups

Gates Open: 8.30am, Gates Close 3.15pm