



## Latest News:

Monday 14<sup>th</sup> September 2020

### Well done!

Our first week back went better than we could have imagined, due to both extensive planning and preparation, and also the commitment and support from parents.

As we have seen from the media, we can't be complacent but will try to support where we can and regularly review the risks.

### Reading/Spelling

We have a system in place for managing reading books (see letter from Mrs. Stainsby), but will have to completely review our system for managing spelling. More in a couple of weeks.

### Nene Valley Award Winners

#### EYFS/KEY STAGE 1

Robins	
Wrens	
Puffins	Josh
Cuckoos	Oscar
Nightingales	Rafah

#### KEY STAGE 2

Skylarks	Bohan
Swallows	Lukas
Swifts	Avilasha
Doves	Alex
Owls	Jesse
Ravens	Amelia

Well done to all of this week's award winners for a fabulous effort!

### Drop off/pick up windows

Unfortunately, these will continue for the foreseeable future; certainly until govt. guidance changes. Huge thanks for the efforts from parents to manage these. If it helps:

- Older children (Y 5/6) can walk home alone if parents let us know (email or letter);
- Y5/6 can walk round to other gates if parents are waiting for siblings (again, let us know).

### Dates for your Diary

#### Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> September

Closing Date to Request 'Flu Vaccination

#### Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> October

Individual School Photographs

#### 26<sup>th</sup>-30<sup>th</sup> October

Half Term

#### Saturday 31<sup>st</sup> October

Closing Date for Secondary School 2021 applications

#### Friday 27<sup>th</sup> November

'Flu Vaccinations in School – all year groups

#### Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> December

Last Day of Autumn Term

### ATTENDANCE

Robins	-
Wrens	-
Puffins	95.93%
Cuckoos	95.07%
Nightingales	96.67%
Skylarks	97.26%
Swallows	95.40%
Swifts	100.0%
Doves	93.92%
Owls	100.0%
Ravens	100.0%

**School 96.86%**

**Ravens get the award as they were here all week – great start!**

### Reminders:

- If children arrive on bikes or scooters, you will need to take them home again. We cannot keep bubbles separate at the parking areas.
- Limit equipment coming into school to the absolutely essential. If rucksacks etc. are not needed (half empty) please don't send them.