

## Newsletter No. 16 2025-26 – Friday 30<sup>th</sup> January 2026

### Star of the Week

Well done to our 'Stars' for this week, who all received their certificates in assembly today

**BIRCH CLASS:** Arthur Larvin

**WILLOW CLASS:** Isabella

**SYCAMORE CLASS:** Zak Idris

**LARCH CLASS:** Vivienne Clarke

**CEDAR CLASS:** Reggie Smith

**BEECH CLASS:** Oliver Ellis

**OAK CLASS:** Adhla Zulficar Ali Khan

**REDWOOD CLASS:** Julia Agbaza

**CHESTNUT CLASS:** Aarya Rathnayake

**ROWAN CLASS:** Kashfia Laiba

**MAPLE CLASS:** Noah McMahon



### Young Voices

What a fantastic day we had last Thursday on our annual visit to the Young Voices concert at the O2. The children had been practising very hard and were very excited to be part of a choir of over 8,000 children. We were very lucky to be at the O2 on the day that Young Voices live-streamed a 'Wicked' singalong to schools around the world. As part of this, we were joined live by the lead of the West End production of 'Wicked', Emma Kingston and, if you were lucky enough to be at the evening concert, you will have seen her perform too. If you would like to see this for yourselves (can you spot us?), it can be viewed at:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FV5YvelUSp0>

As always, our children's behaviour and levels of participation were exemplary, especially when compared to that of schools around us. The staff and I were exceptionally proud of the children and we hope you were, too! Thank you to everyone who came along to the concert to support us and to Miss Pender, Mr. Everden, Mrs. Yearling and Mrs. Richardson for accompanying the children and me.

Miss Griggs

### REMINDERS

Next week's MENU will be

**WEEK 2**

Please pre-order by 03/02/26 for **WEEK 3.**

Attendance this week  
(up to & including Thursday)

Birch Class	95.9%	
Willow Class	99.1%	★
Sycamore Class	98.6%	
Larch Class	95.2%	
Cedar Class	97.7%	
Beech Class	98.7%	
Oak Class	95.5%	
Redwood Class	98.0%	
Chestnut Class	98.6%	
Rowan Class	95.9%	
Maple Class	96.7%	
WHOLE SCHOOL	97.3%	

Check Email and Bookbags  
for...

- \* Year 5 – Yr 6 Residential Visit (sent today)
- \* Parent Teacher Consultation appointments



## 'At Home' evenings

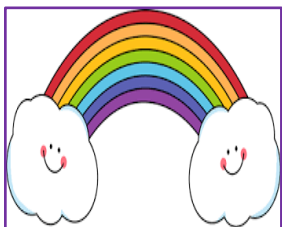
Unfortunately, over the past few weeks, staff have raised concerns that classroom items and children's books are being damaged during 'At Home' evenings, particularly when children and pre-school siblings are not kept under the direct supervision of their parent/carer. As a result, we are making a change to how you can view your child's work during these sessions. From now on, children's Maths, English and Topic books will be available on their table for you to look at and should be left on the table when you have finished. We ask that both children and parents do not access trays of books and we would also ask that children (both Myland pupils and any pre-school siblings) are kept under the direct supervision of their parent/carer for the whole time you are attending an 'At Home' session. Thank you for your co-operation.

Please remember to make an appointment to see your child's classteacher on **either Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> or Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> February** via the appointment system on Arbor. Please be aware that the appointment system closes at **midday on Friday 6<sup>th</sup> February** and appointments will not be available after this date.

Please be aware that there will be no newsletter next Friday, as some members of staff and I are all attending training for the English Hub.

### 'FREE TUCK FRIDAY'

WELL DONE to **WILLOW CLASS** who will have **Free Tuck** on **Friday 6<sup>th</sup> February**



Mrs. Richardson presents her 'Rainbow Award' each week in Friday's Star of the Week assembly. This is given to a child who has made a significant contribution when working in a group with Mrs. Richardson. Well done this week to **ORLA** in Rowan Class.

## ROCKER OF THE WEEK

Each week, Mrs. Carter chooses our 'Rocker of the Week' – this is a pupil who has made significant improvement over the course of the week in any aspect of their times tables knowledge. Well done to **CODY** in **REDWOOD CLASS**.

Photo to follow next week

## VIP Table



Each week, one child from each class is chosen by Miss Griggs for their kindness, good manners and sensible

attitude. Well done this week to:

Birch Class	Mazie
Willow Class	Ayansh
Sycamore Class	Martha
Larch Class	Amber
Cedar Class	Ethan
Beech Class	Bradley
Oak Class	Theresa
Redwood Class	Shylah-Shae
Chestnut Class	James
Rowan Class	Keira
Maple Class	Grace
Windmills	Leia

## Diary Dates

**Thurs 5<sup>th</sup> Feb** – Yrs 3/4 Shared Learning 2.15 p.m.

**Fri 6<sup>th</sup> Feb** – Appointment system for Parent Teacher Consultations **CLOSES**

**Wk beg Mon 9<sup>th</sup> Feb** – No 'At Home' this week

**Tues 10<sup>th</sup> Feb/Wed 11<sup>th</sup> Feb** – Parent Teacher Consultations

**Fri 13<sup>th</sup> Feb** – **NON PUPIL DAY**  
**Mon 16<sup>th</sup> – Fri 20<sup>th</sup> Feb** – **HALF TERM**

**Mon 23<sup>rd</sup> Feb** – Children return to school



Miss Pender and Mrs. Richardson are currently planning activities for Children's Mental Health Week, which takes place during the week beginning 9<sup>th</sup> February. Further details will follow, but children are welcome to join in with our 'Come As Yourself Day' on Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> February.

# Come as yourself day!

THIS IS YOUR PLACE.  
SO DRESS AS YOURSELF  
THIS CHILDREN'S  
MENTAL HEALTH WEEK

Place2Be's  
CHILDREN'S  
MENTAL HEALTH  
WEEK  
9-15  
FEB  
2026

Thursday 12th February

Wear an outfit which makes you feel most comfortable,  
confident, and like you truly belong.  
Cozy clothes, cultural dress, favourite colours, or  
something totally unique!  
Celebrate what makes you, you.

# Young Voices 2026

