



The Nar Valley Federation of Church Academies

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Dear Parents and Carers

I hope you have all had a lovely Easter break and were able to have some time to relax and spend quality time with loved ones. As we have been fortunate enough to experience some beautiful warm and sunny weather, our playing field is now dry so children do not require a change of footwear to play on the field during playtimes. Please do still send your child to school with a coat every day, as our weather can be very changeable.

Well done to this week's Shining light winners



Congratulations to:
Emilia for receiving the Good Samaritan Award for being kind to others.



Our week in class

Hedgehogs:

This week we have enjoyed reading 'We're going on a bear hunt' and making our own binoculars. We have also been making our own maps of the school.

Squirrels

This week we have enjoyed learning facts about Queen Elizabeth I. In Maths we have enjoyed learning how to measure objects. In PSHE we have really enjoyed being able to have some quiet time to sit and reflect.

Foxes: This week we have enjoyed learning facts about Queen Elizabeth I.

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Otters:

We have enjoyed learning about handball in PE. In Design and Technology, we have enjoyed trying to complete our wooden bridges. In ICT we have loved programming microbits.



Huge well done to some of our children from Foxes who were chosen to have their work published in 'The Adventures of...' in a competition by the Young Writers'



Weekly attendance Award

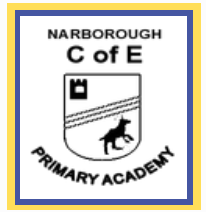
Class	%
Hedgehogs	94.8%
Squirrels	97.7%
Foxes	94.1%
Otters	96.2%
Whole School	95.7%

Huge well done to Squirrels this week & Otters for achieving 96% too.



Freddie the Teddy has had a great time with or Hedgehogs and is off to Squirrels this week.





AWARDS

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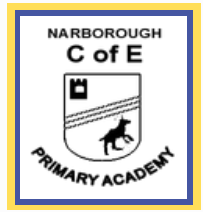
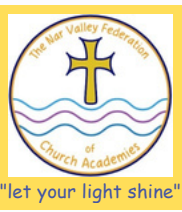
Hedgehogs Class

Award	Goes to...	For.....
Reader of the week	Joyce	Trying really hard in phonics this week
Writer of the week	Chester	Great independent writing and applying his phonics
Mathematician of the week	Cody	Super recall of composition of numbers
Shining Light	Kobey	Settling in so well to our class and being kind to others
Reads at home	Well done to Chester	for 50 reads



Squirrels Class

Award	Goes to...	For.....
Reader of the week	Lilly	fantastic contributions to discussion in Reading Comprehension.
Writer of the week	Brodee	writing to communicate his feelings.
Mathematician of the week	Edward	successfully estimating if an object is more or less than a metre.
Shining Light	Kyron	having a positive, happy attitude.
Reads at home	Raphael Josh R Brodee Emma	25 reads 25 reads 100 reads 200 reads



AWARDS



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Reader of the week	Ethan	fantastic effort when reading out loud with expression.
Writer of the week 	Athea	a very emotive and powerful persuasive letter about the rainforest.
Mathematician of the week 	Oliver F	fully engaging in mastering number and suggesting a way to help us all remember 8×7 .
Shining Light 	Harrison	trying his best everyday and doing it with a very contagious smile!
Tackling Tables	Well done to	Arthur, Ethan, Oliver B, Jaxson, Joey, Pavitha, Reggie and Thea.
Reads at home 	Well done to	Oliver B for 200 reads, Thea for 100 reads and Ronnie for 100 reads.



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Reader of the week	James	super effort in reading sessions this week.
Writer of the week	Poppy	accurately justifying whether language is formal or informal.
Mathematician of the week	Isla	for adding mixed numbers accurately.
Shining Light	Khloe P	for taking responsibility for her learning and asking questions to further her understanding.
Tackling Tables	Well done to	none this week
Reads at home	Well done to	Bella, Debora and Chloe for achieving 100 reads at home. Emilia and Bow for achieving 200 reads at home.