



# Millhouse Primary School

## Newsletter

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A Small School with a Big Heart



### Message from Mrs. Gray:

We had a busy first week back! Children returned to school full of enthusiasm and have made a great start to 2023. Our Y4 and Y5 children particularly enjoyed their first swimming lesson last Thursday and Class 1 had great fun making gingerbread men to inspire their new literacy learning. They told me that they tasted delicious too!

### Y5 visit to Robinwood

Our Y5 children are at Robinwood this week (Monday – Wednesday). I am sure that they will have a fabulous time. Staff will try to post photographs of the activities on Twitter during the visit. If you don't already follow us on Twitter (@Millhouseschool), please do so – teachers regularly post photographs showing the fantastic learning taking place in school. We also have a school Facebook page for you to keep up to date with what is happening.

### Music lessons

We currently have guitar, flute and violin lessons in school. If your child is interested in learning a musical instrument, please contact the school office. If spaces are not available immediately, their name will be added to a waiting list. Currently lessons are charged at £52.50 per term (+ £15 instrument hire if required). They are available at a significantly reduced cost if your child is eligible for Free School Meals.



### Special Mentions Assembly

Special Mentions were awarded on Friday to:

**Class 1 – Esmay and Florence**

**Class 2 – Nyla-Rose and Billy**

**Class 3 – Ted and Lily**

**Class 4 – Noah and Joshua**

**Class 5 – Issabelle and Daniel**

Fabulous effort!



### Attendance

Class 1 achieved the highest attendance in the first week of the spring term with 100%.

Super!



**Remember every school day counts!**

### Late arrivals

We monitor the number of lates carefully and letters will be sent by school to any families where children have been late 5 times. If 10 lates occur, a letter from the Local Authority will be received. Please ensure children arrive before 9 o'clock. There were **4** recorded lates w/c 03/01/23.

### Resourceful Rabbits

This term we are focusing on our Building Learning Power Hero, Resourceful Rabbit. We are awarding certificates to children who have demonstrated initiative in their learning; good questioning and problem-solving skills. In Friday's assembly our Resourceful Rabbits were:

Ellie (Class 1);

Julio (Class 2);

Ivy (Class 3);

Holly F (Class 4);

Arthur (Class 5).

