



DISCOVERY ACADEMY NEWS

Friday 21st May

The children will be entering the Royal Mail Hero stamp design competition so we have decided that on the last day of half term all the children can come to school dressed as a Hero of their choice.

This could be Batman, Superman etc or maybe a Fireman, Policeman or even a “Principal”



New Teacher for September

This week we have been holding interviews for a new teacher for September. We are pleased to announce that we have recruited Mr Nathan Roberts. We look forward to welcoming him to the Discovery teaching team.

CHILD OF THE WEEK – Friday 7th May 2021

Each week the teachers celebrate the achievements of all children but give special recognition to some children to receive the Child of the Week award.

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| Nursery | Ethan | For improving: Ethan showed a good level of concentration in PE. He followed the instructions to stride, jump and land safely off objects. |
| | Florence B | For inspiring: Florence became a fantastic and convincing giant during drama this week. she stomped across the floor and used a booming voice! |
| Reception | Jack | For improving: Jack worked really hard on drawing animals we see on a farm. He even remembered to put the snout on the pig! |
| | Tommy | For inspiring: Tommy read the class a story and has inspired his classmates to read to each other. |
| Year 1 | Kaya | For Caring: Kaya has worked hard this week, showing us her caring, kind nature. She has been playing beautifully during break and lunch times with her friends and showed great concern when a friend fell and hurt themselves during the game. |
| | Nieve | For Improving: Nieve has worked so hard on her writing stamina and is now showing us she can complete her work and that it is of a great quality. She has written her own innovated version of the Queen's Knickers this week, completing her tasks and using her vocabulary to upskill her work. Well done Nieve! |
| Year 2 | WHOLE CLASS | For Achieving: The whole of Year 2 have been 'on fire' in English this week. They have written amazing stories that has 'blown my mind!' Everything they have learnt in the build-up has been applied and I could not be more proud of them! A MASSIVE FIREWORK from me! |
| Year 3 | WHOLE CLASS | For Inspiring and Achieving: Year 3 have worked incredibly hard writing their own stories. The vocabulary they have used has been amazing, they have all written a FULL story and have really improved their writing stamina. Keep it up. We are so proud of you all! |
| Year 4 | Connor | For Improving: You have made great improvements with your handwriting this week. You are taking real care in joining your letters as well as thinking about how best to present your work on a page. Well done Connor! |

The children receive their certificates from their class teacher either in person or via email and it is shared with the whole school through our virtual online assemblies.

WELLBEING STARS – Friday 7th May 2021

Each week we work on developing skills regarding mental health and wellbeing with the children. This certificate celebrates those who have shown a great understanding in this week's focus for their class.

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| Nursery | Ruby | Ruby has worked hard in all our school values this week. Ruby has looked after the plants, shared the dressing up clothes and inspired us with her story telling of Jack and the Beanstalk. Well done Ruby. |
| Reception | Isabella | For being very caring and considerate to her classmates. |
| Year 1 | Maisie M | Maisie has had a rough time of it this week with a couple of nasty falls. She hasn't let this get to her though and has shown us that she has great 'bounce back ability' keep smiling Maisie! |
| Year 2 | WHOLE CLASS | For being supportive of each other during shared reading of each other's stories. It was lovely to see! |
| Year 3 | Noah | Noah has been a great partner this week, really showing our school value of caring. |
| Year 4 | Eddie | You have used your humour to make others feel better and help to calm a situation. We are so impressed with the way that you remain level-headed while at the same time thinking how you can support your classmates. Well done Eddie! |

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