



# Fellgate Primary School

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Dear Children, Parents, Carers and Governors,

This week, in preparation for Anti Bullying Week, our phrase of the week was **"One kind word."** We have celebrated pupils who are consistently kind to others. Kindness encourages kindness. The Anti-Bullying Alliance surveyed young people last year and asked what they wanted Anti-Bullying Week 2021 to focus on. There was an overwhelming response that this week should be about hope. One small act of kindness, brightens someone's day. They in turn are more likely to go on and be kind to someone else. Stop bullying in its tracks and spread kindness. Well done to our stars of the week who make our school a safe and happy place.

**Public Health** continue to recommend that all schools introduce the following measures to reduce the transmission of Covid 19. We implemented all of these measures immediately and continue to do so.

1. All adults to wear face masks in communal areas in schools.
2. All parents and carers to wear face coverings when dropping off or collecting children.
3. PCR tests are recommended for all adults and pupils if they are a close contact of a positive case. If the test is negative, pupils can return to school, however they must stay at home if they go on to develop symptoms and be retested. A close contact means some one who you share a house with.
4. Assemblies, staff and governor meetings to be held virtually.
5. School is to limit visitors to school. Careful consideration will be given to each event.
6. Educational visits and residential visits. Careful consideration will have to be given to each visit as increased use of public transport for long periods increases the chances of transmitting Covid 19.

This week our children made a poppy field as part of our **Remembrance Day** work. Thanks to Miss Wilkinson our History Lead, for leading on this. I am sure we will all agree it is a fitting tribute to honour armed forces who have died in the line of duty.

Next Week...

Monday 15th November: Odd socks day.

There's a serious message behind the fun: let's pull on odd socks to show we're ALL unique and different, and let's be kind to each other and respect each other's individuality.

Throughout the week, each class will take part in activities related to anti-bullying

Friday 19th November: Children in Need.

School Council would like everyone to wear spotty clothes on this day. You can also wear Children in Need merchandise. More information will be provided next week

**Have a great weekend everyone and stay safe! Mrs Tones**

**Get up! Get in ! Get on!**

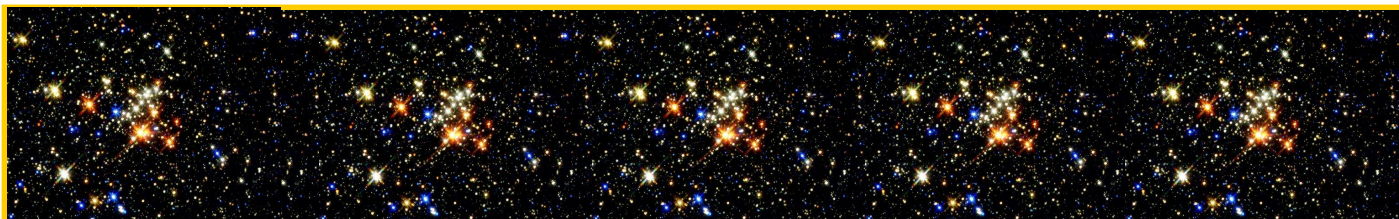
Our attendance target is 96%

Weekly Whole School Attendance Total –91%

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| Lemons-86% | Oranges –<br>100% | Cherries-74%      | Apples-100% | Blueberries—<br>88% | Plums-71% |
| Acorns-91% | Hawthorns-<br>89% | Chestnuts-<br>94% | Willows-92% | Sycamores-<br>99%   | Oaks-95%  |

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## Our Fellgate Stars of the Week are ...

**Lemons: Lucas T** for being a good friend and always being kind. Well done Lucas!!

**Oranges: Frankie M** for his fantastic phonics work this week. Well done Frankie!

**Cherries: Finlay W** as he is always considerate towards his friends and helps friends to tidy or do the right thing!

**Apples: Jasmine K** for fantastic water colour art work this week.

**Blueberries: Jayden R** for asking other people to play with him outside

**Plums: Logan T** for always giving his friends words of encouragement

**Acorns: Catarina S** for always showing a kind and caring attitude to her friends, both through words and actions

**Hawthorns: Clara B** for being kind and thoughtful, she has been really kind to others (including adults) this week

**Chestnuts: Bradley M** for always having a kind word to say about everyone and for always being thoughtful towards others

**Willows: Wesley C** for always having kind words to say to his friends and complimenting others

**Sycamores: Isabelle C** for always being kind and helpful towards her friends in school

**Oaks: Jack W** for always having kind words to say and supporting others in the class

### Our Vision

At Fellgate Primary School, through an ethos of respect, challenge and resilience, we aspire to create an inclusive, safe, vibrant, happy school where each member of the school community - children, parents, carers, staff and governors - feels valued and are encouraged to be the best they can be.

We celebrate individuality, striving for everyone to reach their full potential and “shine” in everything they do.

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