



Fellgate Primary School

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Dear Children, Parents, Carers and Governors,

Our word of the week is **smile!!!** From May 16th to June 16th is National Smile month. Smiling more makes us feel happier as individuals and makes everyone around us happier and smile more. We have been rewarding our pupils who smile more and cheer everyone up. National Smile week gives us chance to think about our smiles and ensure we brush our teeth properly, twice a day for 2 minutes.



This month we are practising **mindfulness** in the classroom. Each class has taken a questionnaire. They will then practise mindfulness activities for 5 minutes each day. They will then take another questionnaire at the end of the month to see if the practise of mindfulness has improved how our children feel. Each day your child will try a different mindfulness technique. We are all different and what works for one will not work for another.

Bikeability Well done to our Year 5 pupils who completed the Level 2 Bikeability course.

We would like to wish Miss Shakesby well as she starts her maternity leave, take care and enjoy every minute. We cannot wait to meet her new baby.

Thank you to our Parents and Carers who came in for a Stay and Play sessions in Acorns and Lemons this week. It was fantastic to have parents and carers back in school and in classrooms after the last 3 years. We will be inviting all classes in before the summer holidays.

Next week some of our pupils will be taking their **Year 6 SATS**. Our Year 6 have worked really really hard to prepare for their tests and we wish them all the best. Year 6 you are an awesome bunch and we have no doubt that each and every one of you will do the best you can. Repeat to yourself " I am prepared, I am relaxed and I am ready ! Have a good weekend and make sure you do something that you enjoy. Good luck everyone —this is your time to shine.

Joke of the week: Why can't you tell an egg a joke ? It will crack up!

Dates for your diary

Wednesday 25th May: Coffee morning

Thursday 26th May: Strawberry Tea in remembrance of Alison Thompson

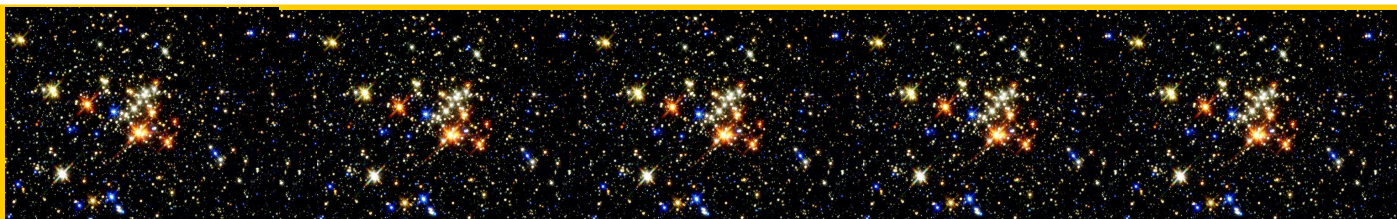
**Friday
22nd
July:
Family
Break-
fast**

Lemons-97%	Oranges – 90%	Cherries- 100%	Apples— 100%	Blueberries— 94%	Plums-100%
Acorns-86%	Hawthorns- 95%	Chestnuts- 92%	Willows-95%	Sycamores- 97%	Oaks-96%

Have a great weekend everyone and stay safe! Mrs Tones

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Our Fellgate Stars of the Week are ...

Lemons: George M for always greeting staff with a gorgeous smile when walking into school on a morning. Well done George!!

Oranges: James B for always showing a positive attitude with everything he does. He is always happy to complete activities and tasks. Well done James!

Cherries: Joseph H for making his friends and staff in class smile with his happy personality.

Apples: Matija W for having a fantastic week! He has been happy and settled all week, and has made his teachers smile with all the good work he has done.

Blueberries: Thomas W for always being happy and cheerful and doing everything he's asked with a smile.

Plums: Harry M for being cheerful all week

Acorns: Tilly M because she never fails to make me and her friends smile with her cheerful attitude and happy face.

Hawthorns: Mason G for making me smile by working independently at home and in school. He has also been a helpful and kind friend.

Willows: Wesley C for always making me smile with his interesting stories!

Chestnuts: Divine O for giving great advice to his friends and making me smile every day with his fantastic attitude and wonderful manners

Sycamores: Heidi M for always having a smile on her face

Oaks: Grace P for always being super positive, enthusiastic and helpful to others. She is such an amazing person to have in our 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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