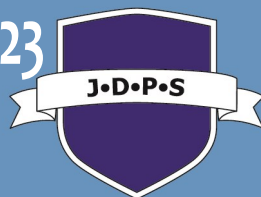


15th September 2023



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Dear Parents and Carers,

It has been an exciting second week of the new term at John Donne and the children have amazed us all at how quickly they have settled into their new classes, learning and routines!

A very warm welcome to any new Nursery or Reception starters who have joined the John Donne family this week. Just a reminder that next week we have information sharing meetings for Years 1—6 in our community space—please see the back page of the newsletter for more details.

Our fantastic staff have been planning and teaching exciting new learning and opportunities for your children. I have been really impressed by the collaboration that I have seen this week; from engineering Lego airplanes in Reception together, cheering each other on through obstacles in bike riding in Year 6, to baking unleavened garlic bread in Year 5, your children are learning that sometimes working together is better than working alone.

Our attendance across the school has improved this week and we are just 0.2% away from our target—thank you for all those families who are getting to school each day and by 08:45—we know that this is a small change from previous years and really do appreciate your cooperation with this.

I hope you have a wonderful weekend, whatever you get up to and we will see you all at the gates on Monday morning.

Mr James

This week's class attendance winner is:



Green 5
99.2%

Attendance

Our attendance target is 97%
Our overall attendance this week is **96.8%**.
This week **72** Children were late for School

Class	Attendance %	Lates
Reception Red	97.7	3
Reception Green	89.9	2
Red 1	96.3	4
Green 1	97.3	4
Red 2	97.3	11
Green 2	92.1	3
Red 3	98.6	6
Green 3	97.9	7
Red 4	97.2	3
Green 4	98.8	4
Red 5	99.2	13
Green 5	99.2	3
Red 6	97.1	1
Green 6	94	7

Well Done to Green 5 for 99.2 attendance.



Seraphina
Green 1



Karol
Green 1



Temitope
Red 5



Iyla-Rose
Green 4

Years 1,2,3

Years 4,5,6

Golden Tickets This Week:

Seraphina G1, Ashton R1, Raheem R1, Zara-Monroe G1, Lea G2, Ryan G2, Hilkieah R2, Ezra R2, Havyar G3, Zurriel G3, Derryl R3, Ibraheem R3, Mark G4, Malik G4, Giovell R5, Michelle R5, Madlyn G5, Nicoloy G5, Abdullahi G6, Aurora G6, Izma R6, Ayobami R6



Diamond Tickets This Week:

Amiyah R1, Abdulrazak R1, Cheznae G1, Karol G1, Joshua G2, Cimamanda G2, Kaylee R2, Jason R2, Saidat G3, Diamond G3, Tayaleigh R3, Efe R3, Tasneem G4, Marjwok R5, Ibraheem R5, Jayden G5, Oliver G5, Kristobelle R6, Daniel R6, Michael G6, Patrick G6

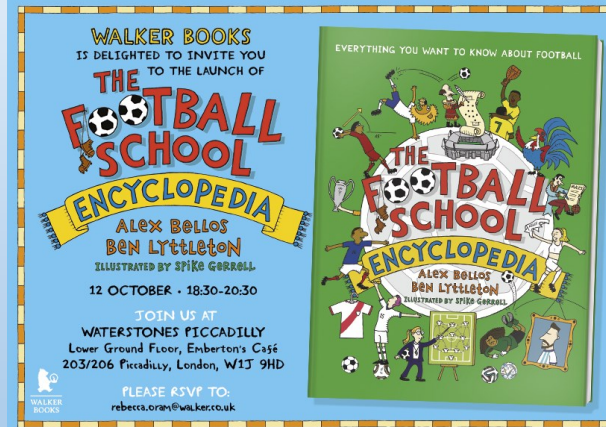
PARENTS INFORMATION BOARD



Congratulations to GREEN 5 and GREEN 3 for being the top doodling class in the past week.

Keep doodling everyone.

[Homepage -DoodleLearning](#)



Ultimate Sports Club have taken over the running of breakfast club, many of you already attend Ultimate Sports after school club and I hope to see some familiar faces as well as some new faces at breakfast club! Any information regarding the breakfast or after school club.

Please contact Ricardo

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Information Sharing Meetings for Parents and Carers

Please see below the dates for information sharing meetings for parents and carers – this is an opportunity for you to meet the teachers and support staff and find out useful information about what your child will be learning this term as well as information about PE days etc. All meetings will be **08:45 – 09:15 in the Community Space** (classroom off of the playground next to Green Reception).

We will be holding meetings for Nursery and Reception once all children have started.

Year 1	Friday 15 th September
Year 2	Monday 18 th September
Year 3	Tuesday 19 th September
Year 4	Wednesday 20 th September
Year 5	Thursday 21 st September
Year 6	Friday 22 nd September

Term Dates 2023-24

Term	Start	End
Autumn 1	Monday 4th September 2023	Friday 13th October 2023
Half Term	Monday 16th October 2023	Friday 27th October 2023
Autumn 2	Monday 30th October 2023	Wednesday 20th December 2023 @ 2pm
Christmas	Thursday 21st December 2023	Wednesday 3rd January 2024
Spring 1	Thursday 4th January 2024	Friday 9th February 2024
Half Term	Monday 12th February 2024	Friday 16th February 2024
Spring 2	Monday 19th February 2024	Thursday 28th March 2024 @ 2pm
Easter	Friday 29th March 2024	Friday 12th April 2024
Summer 1	Monday 15th April 2024	Friday 24th May 2024
Half Term	Monday 27th May 2024	Friday 31st May 2024
Summer 2	Monday 3rd June 2024	Friday 19th July 2024 @ 2pm

Bank Holidays- Monday 6th May 2024



School Menu
Week 3



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Please make sure you follow us on **Instagram** and **Twitter**, @JDPSoffice. We will be posting live updates and pictures to show what is going on within your child's school day.