Thought for the Week: "It is never too late to be what you might have been." ~ George Eliot

celebrating success

Top Table

The following children all had their lunch with Mr Sutherland and Miss Tuart at the Top Table last Friday: Matthew Amies, Jake Irvine, Katie Agnew, Charli-Sioux Mcleod, Rhianna Hallows, Alyssa Mills-Auld, Finn Besford and Emily Young. These children were rewarded for their outstanding work last week.

Stars of the Week

The following children were given Head Teacher Awards at last Friday's Achievement Assembly following a recommendation from their teacher: Brandon Flannagan, Conner Dodds, Ryleigh Tomlinson, Mackenzie Linney, Bethany Carr, Millie Thornton, Charlotte Stewart, Kaylee Davis, Connor Gibbon, Chennai Burns, Jack Stafford, Melissa Wilson, Lewis Stanton and Andrew Dodds. Well done to all of you and keep up the good work!

Attendance

Maple class had the highest attendance last week with 97%. Whole school attendance was 92%. This is not good as our target is 95%. Hopefully it will have picked up this week. Please don't forget to call 01670 822326 if your child is unable to attend school. Thank you.

Manners the Monkey

Manners the Monkey is back in our school to help develop good manners in all our children. If children are spotted demonstrating good manners they can enter the weekly prize draw to win a special prize to take home! Last week's winners were Reece Humble and Kirah O'Brien.

Ice Cream Friday

The following children all had ice-cream sundaes at Ice Cream Friday last week: Finn Besford, Emma Price, Justin Cook, Charlie Storey, Andrew Dodds, Connor Gibbon and Amy O'Donnell. These children were rewarded for the tremendous effort they have put in last week.

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Bedlington Station - Christmas Lights "Switch-On"

Thank you to those parents, children and families who were able to join us last Friday after school for the switch on of the Christmas lights. Despite the cold and the slight drizzle, there was a really good turnout and some fabulous singing. My thanks in particular go to those children who made up our Christmas Choir. They all sang their hearts out and represented the school brilliantly! I was very proud of them all.

Playground Equipment

Our new playground equipment is proving very popular with the children and I am delighted to see how responsible everyone is being, before and after school. Remember have fun but be very careful and stay safe.





Dates for your Diary

Wednesday 10th December – Christmas Dinner and Christmas Jumper Day – don't forget to wear your Christmas jumper or decorate an old one with tinsel etc

Tuesday $16^{th} - 2.15$ pm and Wednesday 17^{th} December - 2.15pm - Christmas Performances will be at St John's Church, please see accompanying letter.

Thursday 18th December – Pantomime and Party day

Friday 19th December - School will close at 2.00pm

Tuesday 6th January - Breakfast Club will begin at 8.00am and school doors will open at 8.45am

Missing Coat

A coat appears to have gone missing belonging to a child in Reception – Willow class. It is a purple Bedlington Station school coat and it has the name of the child clearly written inside. It may be that someone has taken the wrong coat home by mistake so I would be very grateful if you could check that you have the correct coat for your child. If you find it please could you hand it to a member of staff on the yard or take it to the school office. Thank you for your help.

School Milk

Please see the accompanying letter for you to complete and return if you wish your child to have milk in the Spring term. Thank you.

Lost Property

Don't forget if your child has lost any uniform ie sweatshirts or cardigans then please look in the lost property box which is situated just opposite from Chestnut class in the main building.

BRIGHT AND BE SEEN THIS WINTER

Please don't forget, if you are out and about in the dark, wear something reflective. Attach it to your coat or bag so that you can be bright and be seen.

School Rabbits Would you like to look after the school rabbits Arthur and Merlin during the Christmas holidays or any other holidays? The Christmas holidays are from Friday 19th December until Monday 5th January. If you are interested in taking care of our lovely rabbits, please complete and return the slip below. Thank you.	
School Rabbits	
I would be interested in having the rabbits Arthur and Merlin over the holidays?	
Please tick whichever dates you are able to have them to stay with you.	
Friday 19th December until Monday 5th January \square	
Friday 13 th February until Monday 23 rd February 🗌	
Friday 27th March until Monday 13th April \square	
Friday 22 nd May until Monday 1 st June \Box	
Friday 17th July until Tuesday 1st September \square	
Child's Name	Class
Parent's Name	Telephone No: