

Friday 4th September 2026

Tyndale Times



WEEKLY UPDATE

What a brilliant first week back at Tyndale! It has been wonderful to welcome our children and families back through the gates and to see the school full of energy again. A particularly warm welcome goes to our new Reception children and all the new families joining Team Tyndale this year – we hope you already feel part of our community.

This week, our focus has been on reconnecting, establishing our routines and reminding children what it means to be **Ready, Respectful and Safe**. I have been incredibly proud of how positively the children have returned and how quickly they have settled into their new classes.

Thank you, as always, to our families for your continued support and to our fantastic staff team for everything they have done to make the start of the new school year such a positive one. We have an exciting year ahead and I'm really looking forward to sharing it with you all.

Mr Crouch

LEARNING



What a fantastic start to the term! The children have settled into their new year groups brilliantly and are already mastering our daily routines through our new "Habits assemblies," ensuring we maximise every minute of learning time. A very warm welcome to our 60 new Reception starters as they begin their exciting Tyndale journey.

Ms Kirby

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next
WEEK

KEY DATES



- **Tuesday, 8 September 9:00 – 10:00am - Parents/Carers Coffee Morning**

DOJO LEADERBOARD



Year 6	Kobi
Year 5	Lola
Year 4	Nehita
Year 3	Khalil
Year 2	Davion
Year 1	Isabelle
Cherry (R)	Alba
Apple (R)	Theo James



SHOUTOUTS



- **Ms Hobbs** - for leading fantastic activities in the playground this week! The children had a wonderful time getting creative with activities such as painting,
- **Ms Witt, Ms Hobbs, Ms Fish, Mr Power and Mr Drake** - Thank you to our amazing new staff members for all they have already brought to the Tyndale Team. We are SO happy to have them!
- **George (Y6)** - for being a fantastic Y3/Y6 buddy! George has already made his buddy feel safe and welcome in their very first week together. He has even invented a special handshake with his buddy!

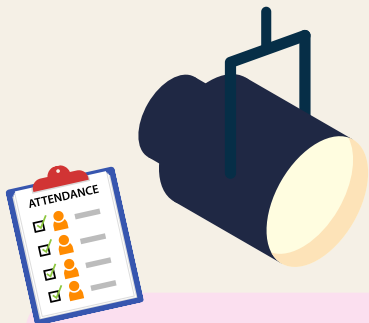


TEAM TYNDALE



- **Vision** - To provide all children with an exceptional education in a warm, welcoming environment that inspires them to lead change and enables them to become curious life-long learners.
- **Values** - Child-centred, Ready, Respectful, Safe, Ambitious, Resilient, Collaborative, Independent
- **Mission** - Best chance of success!

**EXCEPTIONAL
EDUCATION**



ATTENDANCE SPOTLIGHT



Absence from School

- Absence should only occur when your child is far too ill to attend.
- If your child is suffering from **Colds, Headaches, Tiredness** or **Sore throat** we would suggest that you administer paracetamol or ibuprofen and bring them into school, if their condition deteriorates, we will always call you.
- Family holidays and day trips must be arranged outside of school hours.
- Medical or dental appointments should be arranged outside of school hours, if this is not possible supporting evidence should be provided.

ATTENDANCE FOR THIS WEEK...



YEAR R	84.8%	YEAR 4	91.9%
YEAR 1	96.6%	YEAR 5	97.5%
YEAR 2	94.6%	YEAR 6	92.9%
YEAR 3	99.1%	WHOLE SCHOOL	93.8%

0 school days off each year
0 lessons missed

100%

7 school days off each year
35 lessons missed

98%

1 month off each year
100 lessons missed

96%

94%

90%

80%

4 school days off each year
20 lessons missed

11 school days off each year
55 lessons missed

2 months or more off each year
200+ lessons missed

Children that attend well tend to achieve well.

Not only does this lead to increased learning, but it also leads to improved self-esteem and wellbeing.



SEND SPOTLIGHT

The first week back can bring lots of change - new classrooms, new teachers, different routines and new expectations. We are incredibly proud of how our children with SEND have approached the start of the new school year.

Across the school, children have been getting to know their new environments, reconnecting with familiar adults and friends, and settling into their individual routines. Our staff have been working carefully to ensure children feel safe, understood and ready to learn, using visual supports, sensory breaks, familiar routines and individual strategies where needed.

CHARACTER SPOTLIGHT



We have had a super start to the new term, with children already showing that they are Ready, Respectful and Safe - our three school values that we are focusing on this term.

We have also been very excited to launch our new Pupil Societies! Children have had the opportunity to vote for the society they would most like to join, giving them a voice in shaping their experiences beyond the classroom. This term, our societies are: The Mindful Minds & Zen Society, The Digital Creators Society and The Planet Protectors Society.



School Nursing Service parent drop-in

If you are a parent or carer and would like to speak to a member of the School Nursing Team to get information and advice for your child, then please come along to one of our parent drop-ins.

This will also be an opportunity for you to meet with other parents and ask the School Nursing Team any questions you may have.

When: Every Friday including school holidays. 10:30am -12pm

Where: Martins House, opposite Kings Oak Academy.

You can contact: School Nursing team 0300 125 5151.

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