

## Cambridge School Weekly Newsletter

### Friday 8th March 2024

#### Dear Parent/Carer.

This week has been Careers Week in school and students have risen to the challenge by doing work experience with different professionals in school. They have been kitchen assistants helping our catering staff and I have been served lunch by students in full catering kit. They have helped with food preparation and presentation and have done a great job. Other students have been Premises staff, helping with small maintenance and repair tasks whilst others have been teaching assistants and PE assistants. Every one of the students has had a growth mindset and responded responsibly with great maturity, soaking up the experience like sponges to gain knowledge and skills. Our safer schools police officer, Graham Brown, delivered an assembly on police careers and today's assembly focused on apprenticeships.

Last Thursday night we gathered in St John's Smith Square in Westminster to honour our Jack Petchey Achievement Award winners at the awards ceremony. It was an upbeat and inspirational ceremony. Jack Petchey recognises leadership and community engagement within our school and it is a great scheme to be involved in. Thank you to Pam Pike for coordinating our scheme so efficiently and to Asandra Kamonen, the winner of our leader award for being a teacher who goes the extra mile day in, day out.

We are in an Ofsted window and could be inspected at any time over the next few months. I am keen to hear from you as parents how we are doing and what you think our strengths and areas for improvement are. I am copying a link for our Spring Term Parents' Survey and I urge you to complete this online by Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> March. Please complete the survey here; : <a href="https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/DZS878Z">https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/DZS878Z</a>. We would like as many responses as possible so that we can keep improving the provision here at Cambridge.

Yours sincerely,

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Alan Campbell

Head Teacher

# Stars Of The Week 100% Student Attendance Award Charlie Quelch Doni Fiqi **Outstanding Behaviour Award** Candi-Mae Easton Carlos Carriero Well done Note: Some parents have not given permission for their child's photo to be used in external publications

#### **Important Dates**

March is International Women's Month
W/C 11th Mar: Nutrition & Hydration Week
15th Mar: Red Nose Day & World Sleep Day

W/C 18th Mar: Book Fair

21st Mar: International Day Of Happiness

**22nd Mar:** World Maths Day & Dress Up For World Book

Day

28th Mar: End Of Term, Finish at 1pm 29th Mar—12th Apr: Easter Holidays: April is Stress Awareness Month

15th Apr: INSET DAY

**16th Apr:** Students Return to school

19th Apr: World Creativity & Innovation Day

22nd Apr: Earth Day

**26th Apr:** National Superhero Day May is Mental Health Awareness Month **6th May:** Bank Holiday, School is closed.

20th May: Mock Exam Week & Epilepsy Awareness Week

21st May: Cultural Diversity Day 27th—31st May: HALF TERM

#### Attendance: Week Ending 1st March 2024:



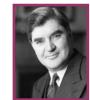
Akala Class 77%



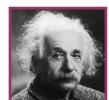
Angelou Class 82%



Armstrong Class 68%



Bevan Class



**Einstein Class** 

91%





Farah Class 83%



Franklin Class 97%



Nightingale Class 90%



Obama Class 73%



Rashford Class

70%



Rowling Class 82%



Turing Class 98%



Wilberforce Class 86%



Wiltshire Class 84%



Einstein & Turing Class!

#### House Competition. (Not Updated This Week)

Points are awarded for good work and good behaviour, and can be earned for winning competitions





## THE SPACE - a space to share

The Space is a monthly, online forum for parents/ carers

- a reflective, informal and non-judgemental space
- a way of coming together to meet and talk with other parents and carers about the challenges and rewards of having a child in a SEN school
- the place to share experiences, ideas and thoughts with others about what you find helpful

a way to feel part of the school community

THE SPACE will continue monthly from March - July

**PLEASE JOIN US ONLINE @ 11.00 - 11.45am** 

**THURSDAY 21 MARCH** 

**THURSDAY 18 APRIL** 

**THURSDAY 16 MAY** 

**THURSDAY 20 JUNE** 

**THURSDAY 18 JULY** 

Please click on the link below to join THE SPACE @ 11-11.45am

Click here to join the meeting

Meeting ID: 399 641 081 894

Passcode: xpX5qf

See you soon,

Lana Selby

**HCPC** Registered Arts Therapist - Drama therapist

