

THE HARMONY TRUST

Westwood Academy



Miss Wimperis says ... A wonderful end to a great term! This week we have enjoyed watching a wonderful nativity, musical performances from the school choir and Y5 brass, looking at a showcase of work from this terms 'Fantastic Finishes' and we had a visit from Santa!

Miss Wimperis' news

Thank you to all of the parents/carers for coming to see our end of term Fantastic Finish! This was a wonderful opportunity for all of the classes to showcase the amazing topic work that they had completed this term!













Word of the week

Celebrate – to enjoy a special occasion.





Attendance Champions!

Well done Year 6!

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**		Stars of the half term
Year group	Stars of the week	Reason for the award
Nursery	Sarrinah Rahil	For always being a super star and being a kind and helpful friend. For being brave and coming to school with a big smile on his face.
Reception	Alayna	For fantastic achievement in phonics and being able to use her phonics to read and write.
	Sohan	For being a super role model in the class and always working hard.
Year 1	Abdul Rizwan	For making fantastic progress, growing in confidence and being a kind, caring member of Year 1. For making fantastic progress, growing in confidence and being a kind, caring member of Year 1.
Year 2	Maily Adyan	For how she has grown in confidence and joins in more on the carpet. For his enthusiasm for learning and being a superb space expert!
Year 3	Tayyibah Hamza A	For increasing independence, resilience and maturity
Year 4	Sara Ihsan	For her determination and perseverance in her learning. For his excellent effort throughout Spring 1!
Year 5	Tatiana Yasin	For ALWAYS being a kind and caring friend and being an excellent role model to everyone around her. For showing confidence and bravery in every brass lesson.
Year 6	Ruben Nadia	For always trying and showing great resilience when he finds learning hard. For showing excellent dedication and attitude to her learning.

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What has each class been learning about this week?

<u>EYFS-</u> This week, we have been learning all about Christmas and how it is celebrated. We have performed in the Christmas concert and joined in lots of Christmas themed activities. We have all been working hard to write our names and form our letters neatly.

<u>Year 1-</u> This week in English, we have been recording our news report linked to The Great Fire of London. In Maths, we practiced our addition and subtraction skills.

<u>Year 2-</u> This week in English, we wrote letters to 'The Man on the Moon!' In Maths, we have been recognising coins and making amounts.

<u>Year 3-</u> This week in English we have written our own kenning poems about objects from the Stone Age. In Maths, we have been learning about Estimation and Inverse.

<u>Year 4 -</u> This week in English Year 4 have been writing a character description. In Maths, we have continued to consolidate our multiplication and division skills

<u>Year 5-</u> This week in English, we have been writing a mini saga about The Pirate Queen, with a twist of our own. In Maths, we have been learning how to subtract mixed numbers.

<u>Year 6-</u> This week, we studied the unbelievable Christmas day truce during WW1. We then wrote a letter as if we were one of the soldiers who was present during the WW1 truce. In maths, we revised some key concepts such as multiplication and division.

