



# The Head Teacher's Fortnightly Newsletter

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Giving the chance to shine

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Dear Parents / Carers,

Three weeks in and the Year 6's have continued to work extremely hard in preparation for their National SATs tests which take place the week after next. We know that they will be trying their **very best**, and that is all we can ask of them. We don't want them to be worried about their results and feel it is important to remind them that although we want them to try their very best, the results that they get will only tell them a little something about themselves and not everything! It's **important** that they remember there are many things that make them smart and make them **'them'** and their results will only be a tiny part of that.

I will be writing to them to remind them of this and giving them some top tips as to how to give themselves the best chance possible on SATs week.

The Year 2's are also sitting their SATs over the whole month of May. **Everyone at Easterside Academy wishes them all the very best of luck!**

Best Wishes  
Mrs D Linacre

## Attendance

Week Beg: 23/04/18 and 30/04/18.

The information below tells you the attendance % for each class, for the last two weeks.

Class	%	%
2	97.1	94.6
3	100	95.0
4	95.5	96.3
5	90.0	97.2
6	98.6	96.6
7	99.6	99.1
8	93.2	96.5
9	97.8	98.2
10	92.3	91.3
11	90.4	95.4
12	96.5	92.3

The classes have been coded against the national average.

Red – Below

Yellow – Borderline

Green – Average or above

## Punctuality

The information below tells you how many times a child has been late at each Key Stage in the last two weeks.

Rec/KS1	KS2
11	16
13	14

**Please make sure your child comes to school on time!**

Daily photos of the children learning both indoors and outdoors are put on our website and Twitter feed.

We have successfully appointed a **new receptionist** and admin person for our main office. They will start next week. Thank you in advance for your patience as we train our new member of staff up. Her name is:

**Miss Parkes**



Last week KS1 visited the **North Yorkshire Moors Visitors Centre in Danby**. They had a fantastic time exploring and learning about different habitats, and this experience has really helped them to explore their recent topic 'Enchanted Forest'.



**Family Colour Run** – don't forget the new date for this event! We hope to run at the end of the Y6 SATs week, on Friday 18<sup>th</sup> May (weather permitting).

Staff and governors are committed to the safeguarding and wellbeing of all the children in their care.

