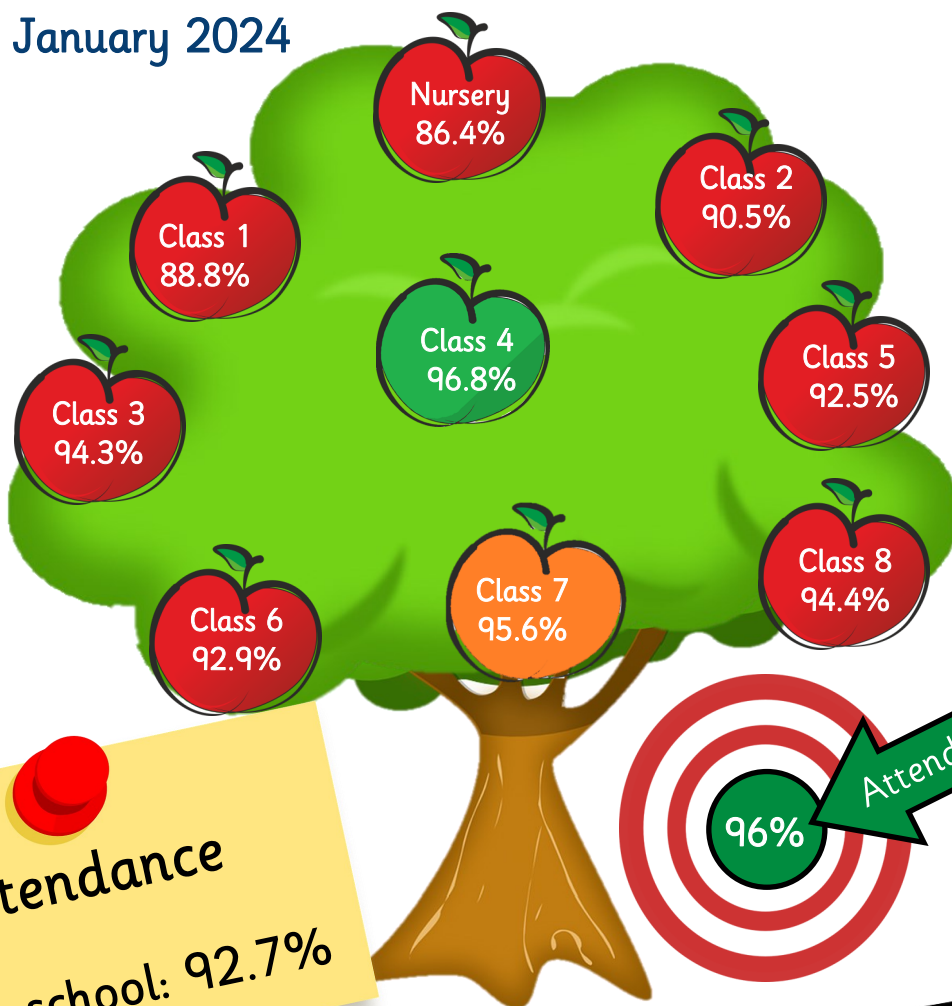




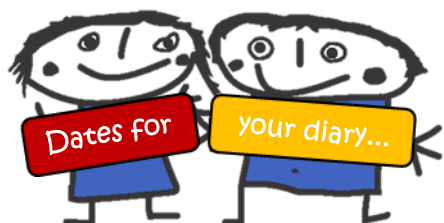
Rowena Newsletter

26th January 2024



Attendance

Whole school: 92.7%



Nursery

In Nursery this week we have enjoyed learning about Number Puppy 8! We enjoyed finding out about an 8 sided shape called an Octagon and we even made some Octagon shaped biscuits!



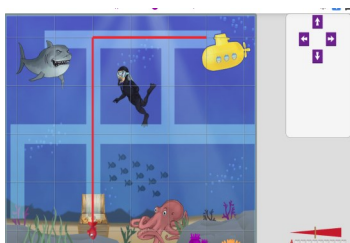
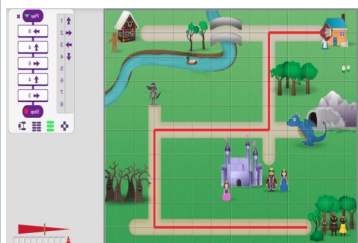
Reception (Classes 1 & 2)

This week in Literacy, we have loved exploring the book, 'Wishy-Washy Day'. We thought carefully about where the animals might hide next, illustrated our ideas on a plan and wrote some fantastic sentences to continue the story. Great work everyone!



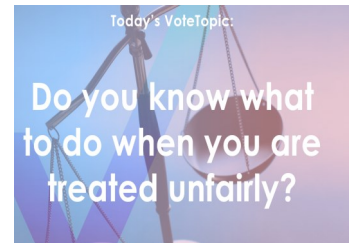
Year 1 (Classes 3, 4 & 5)

Year 1 are enjoying their new Purple Mash unit 'Maze Explorers'. We have been using direction keys and algorithms to move characters to different places on the screen. We have also been trying hard to debug our algorithm if we have any problems!



Year 2 (Classes 6, 7 & 8)

In Year 2 this week the children have taken part in their first 'Votes for Schools' session. We discussed what we would do if we were treated unfairly and how at Rowena Academy we can always speak to a grown up if we need help.



Messages from Miss Cowlshaw

Another wonderful week of learning in the academy but a very poor week for attendance which means a lot of fantastic learning and activities sadly missed by many. We know there are lots of winter bugs going around at the moment so handwashing routines are very important, but please remember children do not need to be absent from school for coughs and sniffles.

As the weather has turned colder, please encourage your children to select a hot school dinner when ordering their lunches, rather than one of the cold lunch options.



Safeguarding

At Rowena Academy, our school community has a duty to safeguard and promote the welfare of children. This means that we have a Child Protection Policy and procedures in place. All staff, including our volunteers and cover staff, are DBS checked.

Our Designated Child Protection Leads are Miss Cowlshaw, Ms Kahler and Mrs Maddison.

If you have any concerns about the welfare of a child in our Academy, please speak to one of the designated staff.



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