



# West Cliff Primary School Newsletter 11.01.18



## Welcome Back

Happy New Year to Everyone, I hope you had a lovely break and are now suitably rested and prepared for another busy term!

## Celebration Assembly

Please join us in the hall on Monday morning at 9.10 to see your child receive their certificate ☺

Puffins -	Finley Parkin
Starfish -	Toby Underdown
Turtles -	Alisha Mothersdale
Penguins -	Finlay Keates
Seahorses -	Caitlin Mothersdale
Dolphins -	Adam Locker
Seals -	Melissa McLoughlin

## Ocean Fun Club

### **Activities next week are:**

Monday -	Dotty Pictures
Tuesday -	Lego Challenge
Wednesday -	Winter Pictures
Thursday -	Table Football
Friday -	DVD Night

## Attendance

As you know, we expect children to have attendance of at least 96% over the school year. These are the attendance figures for last week.

Puffins -	96.2%
Starfish -	76.9%
Turtles -	88.6%
Penguin -	81.5%
Seahorses -	93.0%
Dolphins -	93.5%
Seals -	90.8%

Our whole school attendance for last week was 88.1%

## Absences

If your child is absent from school, please phone the office before 9.30 to inform school of the reason why.

## Attendance

Class teachers will be contacting parents over the next couple of weeks if they have concerns about attendance. Most of our absence last term was due to holidays, but there are a few exceptions where we would like to find out how we can support you in improving your child's attendance.

## Parent Governor Vacancy

We have a parent governor vacancy again ☺ Details are on our website.

## Clubs

Club letters have gone out - please return them by tomorrow!

Can Dance Club please note that they are expected to attend EVERY WEEK as we are putting a piece together that we will perform at the Spa in March ☺

## Homework

Homework letters have also gone out - please return these by Friday ☺

## Parking

Please make sure you are not parking illegally in a morning before school as you are putting children in danger. Parents are encouraged to park in the big car park - free parking passes are available from the office.

## Mobile Phones

Can I please request that you do not use your mobile phones in the school building. This is to prevent any safeguarding issues. Thank you.

Christina Zanelli  
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