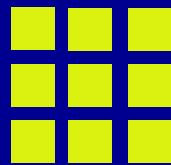


# NINE ACRES NEWS

*'Striving for Excellence'*

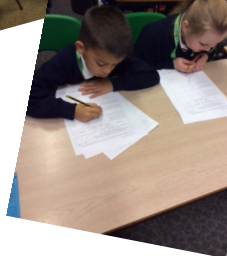
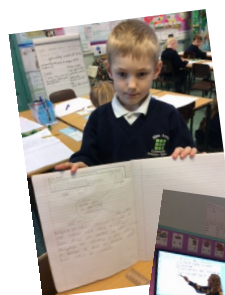
Friday 16th November 2018



Nine Acres Community Primary School, South View, Newport, Isle of Wight, PO30 1QP  
www.nineacrespri.iow.sch.uk 01983 522984 Head teacher: Mrs E. Dyer BA Hons QTS, NPQH

Dear Families,

## Nine Acres shows Respect

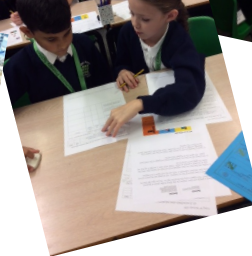
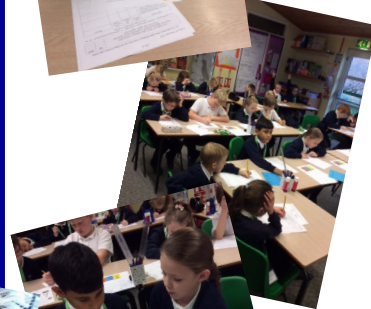


is it  
**BULLYING?**

When someone says or does something  
*unintentionally* hurtful  
and they do it once, that's  
**RUDE.**

When someone says or does something  
*intentionally* hurtful  
and they do it once, that's  
**MEAN.**

When someone says or does something  
*intentionally* hurtful and they *keep doing it*—  
even when you tell them to stop or show  
them that you're upset—that's  
**BULLYING.**



### IS YOUR CHILD DUE TO START SCHOOL IN SEPTEMBER 2019?

**OPEN DAYS**

20 November—  
1.30pm

No appointment  
needed!

We are a **GOOD** school with  
an **OUTSTANDING**  
Early Years Provision



Follow  
us on  
Facebook

**STAY & PLAY SESSIONS**

3.30-4.30 pm

8th November, 29th November  
and 13th December

Come along to our drop in sessions  
to play and explore with  
our EYFS team

## IF YOU'RE BEING BULLIED

**1**

Tell someone  
you trust

**2**

Keep a record of  
what's happening

**3**

Don't retaliate

**4**

Surround yourself  
with people that  
make you feel good

**5**

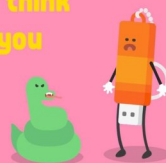
Don't blame  
yourself - it is  
NOT your fault

**6**

Be proud of  
who you are

**Anti-Bullying  
Alliance**

If you wouldn't say it.  
Don't send it.  
Always think  
before you  
post.



Stop Speak Support Day - Thursday 10th November  
When you see bullying online #StopSpeakSupport  
#AntiBullyingWeek

**STOP  
SPEAK  
SUPPORT**

O<sub>2</sub> NSPCC  
Net Aware )))

“

Every time you post  
something online you  
have a choice. You can  
either make it something  
that adds to the happiness  
levels in the world - or you  
can make it something  
that takes away.

Zoe Sugg

”

Anti-Bullying Week  
13-17th November 2017

#AntiBullyingWeek #AllDifferentAllEqual



### NET AWARE

<https://www.net-aware.org.uk/>

This useful website can tell you which games, apps and social media sites children are using the most. It can tell you how they work, what age children can be to access them and how safe they are to use. Net Aware uses an easy-to-follow system about what children could be exposed to on each platform using low, medium and high-risk metres. It can also show you how to keep your child safe whilst using the internet and the privacy settings that each app, game or website has and how to use them.

If you want some expert advice on keeping your child safe online, you can call 0808 800 5002

## Signs of Bullying

The NSPCC lists the following behaviours as possible signs of bullying. This list is not exhaustive and a child may display other symptoms, but these are the most common;

- ◆ Belongings getting 'lost' or damaged
- ◆ Physical injuries, such as unexplained bruises
- ◆ Being afraid to go to school, being mysteriously 'ill' each morning or skipping school
- ◆ Not doing as well at school
- ◆ Asking for, or stealing, money (to give to whoever is bullying them)
- ◆ Being nervous, losing confidence or becoming distressed or withdrawn
- ◆ Problems with eating or sleeping
- ◆ Bullying others

Useful websites with advice for children and parents

<https://www.anti-bullyingalliance.org.uk/>

<https://www.nspcc.org.uk/>

<https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/>

<https://www.nspcc.org.uk/preventing-abuse/keeping-children-safe/share-aware/>

**choose  
respect**

#ANTIBULLYINGWEEK



## What to do if your child is being bullied online

The NSPCC gives 6 steps to help your child if you think they are suffering from bullying online;

- ◆ Talk to them about bullying and cyberbullying
- ◆ Let them know who to ask for help
- ◆ Help them relax and take a time-out
- ◆ Report bullying on social media and online gaming (New Aware can help if you're not sure how to do this)
- ◆ Report bullying videos shared online
- ◆ Talk to your child's school or club



**98% of young people**  
**think it's possible to disagree with someone and still show them respect.**

Based on a poll of 1,001 11-16 year olds

**[Anti-Bullying Alliance]** Anti-Bullying Week - 12-16th November  
#AntiBullyingWeek #ChooseRespect

**choose respect**

**childline**  
ONLINE,  
ON THE PHONE,  
ANYTIME  
childline.org.uk  
0800 1111

**Bullying**



MISUSE OF POWER  
ONGOING AND REPEATED  
BEHAVIOURS THAT CAN CAUSE HARM


## What to do if your child has been bullying others

It can be really hard to hear that your child might have been involved in bullying behaviour against someone else. There is support out there for you if this has happened and you aren't sure what to do! The Anti-Bullying Alliance had a great section on their website to advise you;

<https://www.anti-bullyingalliance.org.uk/tools-information/advice-parents/my-child-has-been-accused-bullying-others>

They suggest;

- ◆ Make sure your child knows what bullying behaviour is and why it is wrong
- ◆ Make sure your child knows they can talk to you, or to another adult if they are worried about bullying
- ◆ Help your child to realise that no-one has the right to pressure them into something they don't want to do - this includes bullying others
- ◆ Make sure they are not bullying others in retaliation for bullying they have suffered - find out if there is a wider culture of bullying in the school or environment where it's happened
- ◆ Talk to your child about information that is shared through social networking sites - let them know that they shouldn't upload comments or images that could hurt someone else - or pass on content that is designed to hurt someone else. Let them know most social networking sites have report buttons if they have seen bullying behaviour and they want to stop it.
- ◆ Make it clear that you do not tolerate the use of disrespectful and hurtful language and behaviour as a family (it's vital that you model this as parents)



**97% of young people**  
**would like adults to show more respect to each other.**

Based on a poll of 1,001 11-16 year olds

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**choose respect**

## Diary Dates 2018/2019



Wed 21st Nov 2018 Year 3 & 4 Cinema Trip.

Thurs 22nd Nov 2018 Year 2 Spinnaker Tower Trip.

Fri 23rd Nov 2018 - **DEVELOPMENT DAY**

Mon 26th Nov 2018 Flu Vaccinations.

Mon 26th & Wed 28th Nov 2018 Parents Evenings.

Sat 1st Dec 2018 Helping Hands Christmas Fayre.

Tues 11th Dec 2018 EYFS Play - Afternoon Performance.

Wed 12th Dec 2018 EYFS Play - Morning Performance.

Wed 12th Dec 2018 Alnwick Class - Osborne House Visit

Wed 12th Dec 2018 KS1 Play - Afternoon Performance.

Fri 14th Dec 2018 KS2 Choral Singing at the Minister.

Thurs 20th Dec 2018 Christmas Dinner Day.

Fri 21st Dec 2018 - **DEVELOPMENT DAY**

Mon 24th Dec 2018 - Fri 4th Jan 2019 Christmas Break.

Mon 7th Jan 2019 First day of the Spring Term.

Tues 15th Jan 2019 Year 6 Boosters begin 3.00-4.15pm.

Mon 18th - Fri 22nd February 2019 HALF TERM.

Wed 6th Mar 2019 Parents Evening.

Mon 8th - Mon 22nd April 2019 HALF TERM/EASTER BREAK

Mon 8th July 2019 KS2 Sports Day.

Tues 9th July 2019 EYFS & KS1 Sports Day.

Tues 23rd July 2019 - **DEVELOPMENT DAY**

New dates will be added each week - Please check the box for **NEW** to see any added dates.

## Development Days so far.....



Monday 3rd September 2018

Friday 23rd November 2018

Friday 21st December 2018

Tuesday 23rd July 2018

(We have 1 more day to confirm)

## Spelling Champion

Corfe:	*****
Balmoral:	Imogen
Windsor:	Amii
Arundel:	Elise
Alnwick:	Lacey-Elise
Warwick:	Freddie
Edinburgh:	*****
Stirling:	*****
Durham:	Lilyanne
York:	Bea

## Attendance

Whole school attendance target **96.0%**.

Dates: **09/10/2018 - 15/11/2018**

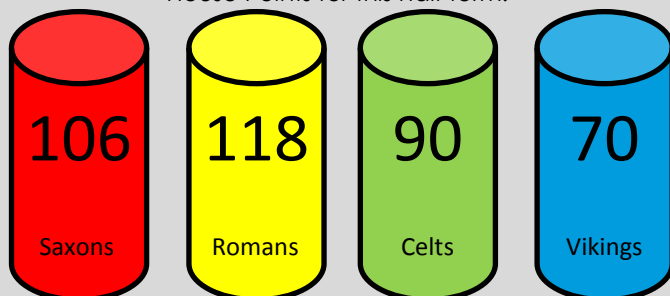
	Attendance	Lates
Carisbrooke:	96.00%	2
Yarmouth:	92.65%	3
Corfe	98.11%	3
Balmoral:	97.50%	2
Windsor:	99.62%	4
Arundel:	97.14%	6
Alnwick:	97.42%	1
Warwick	97.93%	3
Edinburgh:	98.70%	2
Stirling:	92.80%	1
Durham:	96.33%	3
York:	97.67%	3

**Congratulations to WINDSOR who have won a sports session!!**

Whole school attendance this week is: **96.62%**

## House Points

Well done to **ROMANS** who received the most House Points for this half term!

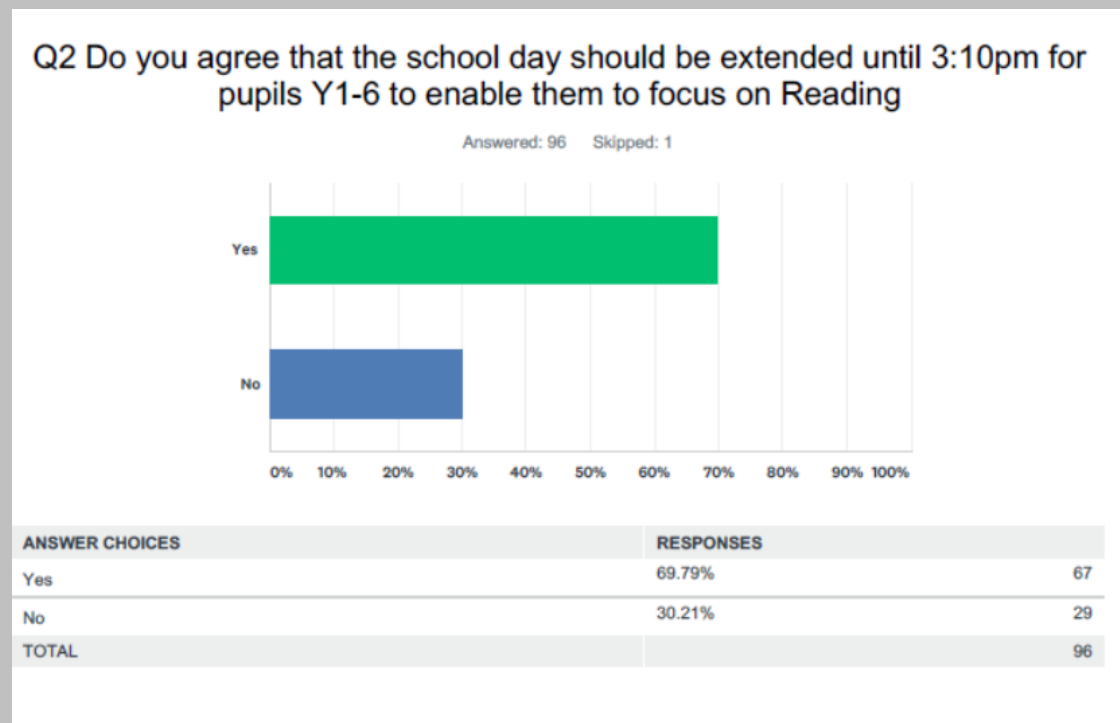
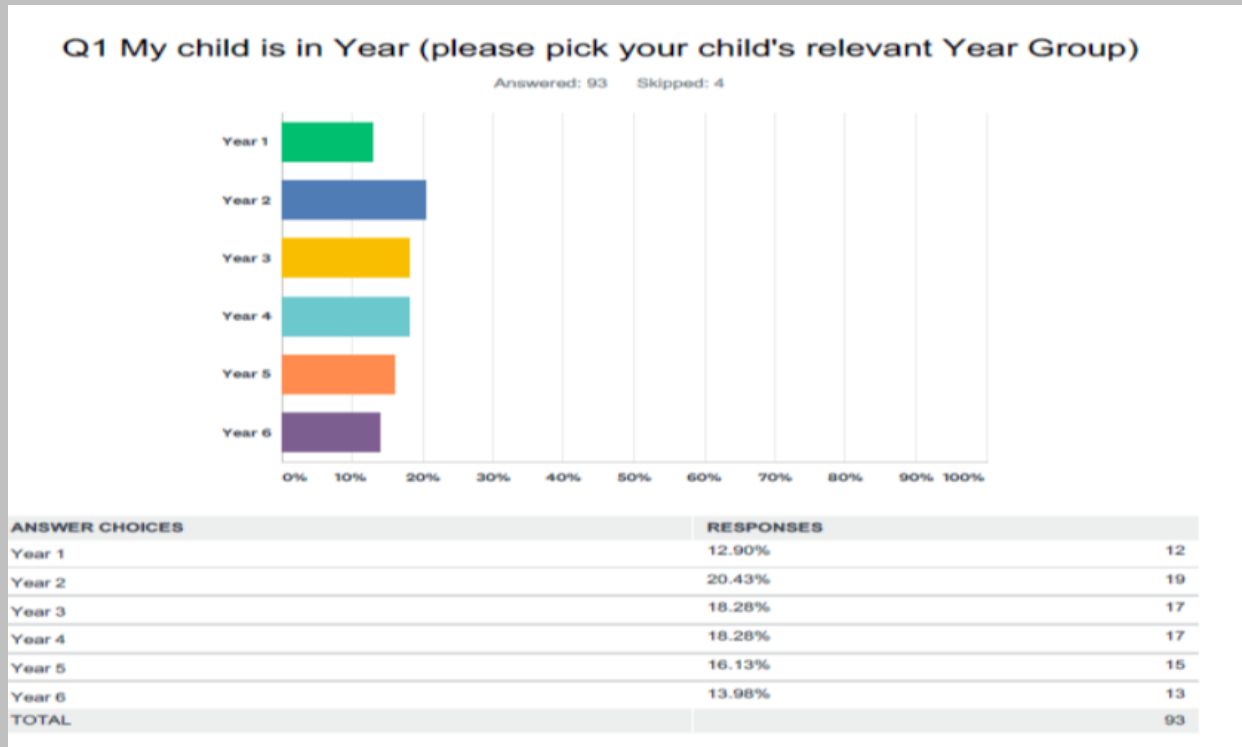


Next Friday, 23rd Nov is a Development Day.  
School is closed to pupils.

## SCHOOL DEVELOPMENT NEWS

Thank you to everyone who took the time to complete the survey on 'Extending our School Day to focus on Reading'. The purpose of extending the school day for 10mins is so we can share a story with the children.

The results were as follows:



These results will now go to the Full Governing Body meeting on 22<sup>nd</sup> November for a decision to be made. The Governing Body will take into full account all the comments parents have shared and also the suggestions parents have made in how we can further support the children in their Reading when making their decision. This will also include considering any impact on clubs. I will write to families once a decision has been made alongside any further information.

Christmas Dinner Day is Thursday 20th December

# Christmas



# Menu



Roast Turkey, Stuffing & Chipolata Sausage

Or

Cheesy Parsnip and Sweet Potato Tart

Served with

Roast Potatoes, Peas, Carrots

& Brussels Sprouts

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Chocolate Yule Log

Or

Gingerbread Biscuit





# Fruit and Vegetables

Children in EYFS, Year 1 and Year 2 are provided FREE fruit and/or vegetables at break times.

Please encourage your child to take advantage of this.



**ParentPay is our only method of making payments to school.**

We no longer accept cash at the office. All items that require payment will be available on ParentPay for example:

- **School Dinners**
- **Enrichment Clubs**
- **School Trips**
- **Residential Trips**
- **Music Tuition**

**Login details have been sent by text to those who have not activated accounts yet. Please ensure your account is activated as soon as possible.**

Thank you.

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## SLEEPING Beauty



MEET & GREET  
YOUR FAVOURITE  
CHARACTERS AFTER  
THE SHOW!  
DEC 28TH &  
JAN 1ST

## SHANKLIN THEATRE

DEC AT 2.45PM DEC AT 7PM JAN AT 2.45PM  
22-24 | 26-28 | 30 & 31 27 & 30 1 & 2

RELAXED PERFORMANCE | DEC 29 AT 2.30PM | ADULT £18 | UNDER 16'S £14  
THIS PERFORMANCE WILL BE SIGNED USING BSL | PARTY RATES AVAILABLE

BOX OFFICE 01983 868000 | ONLINE WWW.SHANKLINTHEATRE.COM

## HELPING HANDS



**Christmas Fayre - Sat 1st December,  
12.00-3.00pm**

Preparations are now in full swing for the Fayre. Thanks to the amazing Helping Hands team, including our new members who joined after the AGM, the Fayre is shaping up to be even bigger and better than ever before!! Every day, more and more prizes for the raffle are coming in that have been generously donated by local businesses including Morrison's, Asda, Easy Weigh, Novo, The Tamarind, The Works, Jolly Rogers, Oggies, Forget-me-not, Dragonfly, Bright House, The Entertainer, Marks and Spencer, Brighstone Landscaping, Domino's Pizza and this is just the start to go with the Cash prize of £100!! All our favourite stalls will be there including a chocolate tombola, face painting, Sand Art, a teddy tombola, decorate a bauble, jar tombola's, Santa's grotto, refreshments, lollipop island and a range of people from our wider community selling a range of Christmas Crafts. As usual, there will be a mufti day on the day before the Fayre (Friday 30th November) when the children can come to school in their own clothes in exchange for items for the Fayre.

Donations of the following would be gratefully received

**EYFS, Years 1, 2 and 3 – Chocolate**

**Years 4 – Cakes (homemade or shop bought welcome)**

**Years 5 and 6 - Decorate / fill a jar for the tombola**

If you can help at all with setting up or running a stall we would love to hear from you – either leave a message for Helping Hands at the office or email [HelpingHands@nineacrespri.iow.sch.uk](mailto:HelpingHands@nineacrespri.iow.sch.uk)

Finally, we would love to see you all there on the day – please spread the word – bring family, friends, neighbours.

## THE POPPY APPEAL

Nine Acres Primary School contributed a wonderful

**£265.35**

towards the Poppy Appeal.

Thank you to everyone  
who donated.



## Dates for Diaries

Christmas Fayre – Saturday 1st December, 12.00-3.00pm

**NEXT MEETING - Monday 03.12.18 @ 9.00am**

**JOIN US  
FOR  
FESTIVE  
FUN**



Helping Hands

# Christmas Fayre

Nine Acres Primary School

**Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> December 12 noon -  
2.30pm when the raffle will be drawn!!**

**There will be many stalls including  
Santa's Grotto, Raffle, Sand Art,  
Chocolate Tombola, Teddy Tombola,  
Face Painting, Games, Craft Stalls,  
Refreshments and more!**

**Parenikind**  
Member Association