

At Dr Walker's School we develop **Respect** and **Responsibility**.
 Build **Perseverance** and **Creativity**.
 Combine Christian values with **Courage** and **Compassion** for us to become successful British Citizens.



Our stars of the week awards



1.12.17

Caterpillars	Talia Mckillop	Excellent effort with her reading and writing this week.
Bees	Sebastian Potton	Perseverance with his writing and producing a great piece of literacy work.
Ladybirds	Alby Colbert	Working hard at improving his spelling and independent writing.
Hedgehogs	Roxanne-Rose Little	Showing a new level of focus and determination in her learning. Keep it up!
Badgers	Harriet Vandenbosch	Perseverance with short multiplication and division
Highest Class Attendance		Caterpillars
Golden Broom for the tidiest classroom		Bees

Important Information

Due to the fact that we do have children in the school who suffer with serious nut allergies, please can parents ensure that if they are sending their child in with a packed lunch, they check that it **does not contain any form of nuts or nut spreads such as Nutella** - **PLEASE REMEMBER WE ARE A NUT FREE SCHOOL.**

Celebration Assembly

This Friday 1st December will be the last Celebration Assembly until January. This is because we have the Bazaar next Friday the 8th and the Christmas Disco on Friday 15th.

Bazaar - Friday 8th December

Just a reminder that Friday 1st December is the day to bring in your Christmas Jars - please festively decorate and fill a small jar (such as a jam jar) with small items (e.g. sweets, crayons, or anything that will fit in a jar!) for our stall.

We also still need Volunteers to help on Stalls - Please fill in your slip or speak to the School Office if you can help on a stall - Thank you!

Christmas Post Box

The Christmas Card Post Box will be out from next week - please make sure your child writes the name of the child **and the class that child is in** on the envelope to make sorting easier - Thank you

Old £1 Coins

A polite reminder that we can no longer take old £1 coins. We are still receiving them in envelopes from some parents. In future we will contact anyone who has paid with old £1 coins to ask them to bring in the correct coins.

Holiday Requests

This is a quick reminder that schools are **not able to authorise** holidays during term time.

Crosses display



Children from Dr Walkers took part in a special project. It was the 70723 project that we were doing it for; two crosses on a block remembered the life of a physically or mentally disabled person that was a victim of the Nazi's for being different.

We have received a lovely response from the team who were putting together the remembrance display.

Mrs Walker,

Thank you so much for the fabulous bundle of blocks that you sent from pupils of Dr Walker's Primary School. I loved how different they were, and how much time and care had gone into each one. They are beautiful! I'll keep you posted on when they will go on display, but in the meantime, please thank everyone involved for remembering 49 lives in such a wonderful way.

Lucy

Regards

Mrs Reid

Diary dates

- Wednesday 6th December - An RE day celebrating St Nicholas in School ending with a service at the church.
- Friday 8th December - Christmas Bazaar 3:15 - 4:30
- Monday 11th December - Christmas Counts - Caterpillars, Bees & Ladybirds Performance - 9:30am & 6:00pm
- Friday 15th December - 9:30 - Carols Around The Tree at St Nicholas Church - all welcome
- Friday 15th December - Christmas Disco - details to follow

Share your views through Parent View

If you are unable to come to the parent forums you can of course discuss matters with your child's class teacher, Deputy Head or Headteacher or alternatively you can share your views through Parent View. Parents and carers can give their views of our school at any time of the school year *and* at the time of a school inspection using an online questionnaire called Parent View. Please register with an email address and a password at <https://parentview.ofsted.gov.uk>. Once your login has been activated, it only takes a few minutes to complete answers to 12 short questions about aspects of school life. Your views are important in helping inspectors make a decision about our school, and to help us know what is going well and what could be improved. If you do not have a computer or an email address or if you would like help to use Parent View, please come into school and ask at the School Office.