



# Townsend Primary School

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Both adults and children are saying how great it is to be back in school. I must agree! I have forgotten how lovely our children are, they surprise me daily with how kind and caring they are! I am very aware that the way the school and parents communicate now is so different to how we used to. Although our teachers see you at the end of the day, we know it is difficult to have a chat with them. **If you do need to speak or communicate with the class teacher, you can always email them or the school office. The teacher can always arrange to see you in the playground after school or telephone you.**

Best Wishes Anne Stonell

## REFLECTION AT TOWNSEND

As you are aware we are always reflecting on world events, school events and historical anniversaries.

This term we are learning about and reflecting upon injustice and strong individuals.

We have been remembering Stephen Lawrence and the long battle his parents and their lawyers had in ensuring justice took place.

We will be following this up by looking at St. George the patron saint of England, Romania, Malta, Turkey and many other countries. We will reflect on the tale of St. George, learning who the dragon was and how brave George was. We will then look at different people in our world who has been just as brave.

**If you would like us to learn about a particular person – let the office know!**

## DOODLEMATHS CHALLENGE

We have been looking at achievement with maths. We have seen that some of our pupils' grades, who regularly engage with doodle maths have progressed considerably! **Some by 6 months!**

Check to see what your child is doing Doodlemaths!

## READING!

The school has been working on developing our reading and we are succeeding! We have new books to go home and phonic books for the younger pupils. All books have bar codes in & are matched to a reading quiz to see how much the reader has understood.

The quiz tells us how much your child knows and what age they are reading at! **How much has your child progressed?**



## PE DAYS

NURSERY - Friday

RECEPTION - Friday

YEAR 1 – Wednesday & Friday

YEAR 2 - Tuesday

YEAR 3 - Thursday & Friday

YEAR 4 – Tuesday & Thursday

YEAR 5 – Monday & Friday

YEAR 6 – Monday & Wednesday

**Please make sure your child brings in their Townsend PE kit and trainers to school.**



Good News!  
Our Hygiene listing has gone back to Grade 5 outstanding!