

Weekly Word

Care Curiosity Determination



Dear Parents/Carers,

I can't believe we are already three weeks into the term! It seems to be flying by!!

It is around about this time of the year that we share our whole school targets. These targets, which we set every Autumn Term, are areas we feel we need to develop and/or enhance. How we choose them is usually determined by staff feedback, parent/carer feedback, children's feedback, statutory data (like Y6 SATs for example) and any other third part observations.

Sometimes we decide to extend our targets from the previous year as we feel there is a bit more work to do or sometimes we just feel we can broaden the reach of it even more! So, for 26/27 we have the following targets:

- To strengthen mathematical fluency, reasoning and problem-solving across the school
- To deepen learning across foundation subjects through high-quality stretch and challenge
- To embed meaningful outdoor learning that enhances the curriculum, inclusion, wellbeing and personal development
- To strengthen communication, language and vocabulary in EYFS

When the action plans have been completed you will find them here:

[Markeaton Primary School - School Development Priorities](#)

Two bits of really positive feedback we received in the end of year parent/carer questionnaire were about outdoor learning and ClassDojo. On the whole, parents/carers told us that their child was experiencing much more outdoor learning than the year before and Class Dojo had made a huge difference with regards to knowing what was going on in school!

So thank you for that!!

Have a lovely weekend,

Mr I. Johnson

