

# Northcote Primary School

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**Caring, Learning, Growing**

Friday 25<sup>th</sup> March 2022

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| <b>OVERALL ATTENDANCE LAST WEEK:</b> |             | <b>90.3%</b> |
| <b>National Target</b>               |             |              |
| Early Years Attendance Winner        | Reception 2 | 95%          |
| Years 1 and 2 Attendance Winner      | Class 4     | 95.7%        |
| Years 3 and 4 Attendance Winner      | Class 8     | 97.9%        |
| Years 5 and 6 Attendance Winner      | Class 13    | 99.3%        |

**Easter egg competition** – We are delighted to relaunch our famous Easter Egg competition this year. We invite all children to decorate an egg, create an ‘egg themed scene’ or an Easter bonnet. All entries to be brought to school by Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> April. Entries will be judged on Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> April and prizes given out for our winning entries. This is just for a bit of seasonal fun and should not cause any additional pressure on families.

**Year 5 Colomendy** – Our year 5 children enjoyed our first residential in 2 years last week. The weather was kind to us and the children were a credit to the school and their families. There are lots of photographs on our twitter feed. Well done year 5. Special thanks also go to members of the wonderful Northcote staff team who gave of their time to support that children during the visit.

**Year 6 Barnstondale** – Year 6 staff are in contact with parents about payments for our year 6 residential. This will be 13<sup>th</sup>-15<sup>th</sup> June 2022, we are already looking forward to this. A reminder that all payments must be made through ParentPay.

**Year 6 SATs** – Children will be completing their SATs this year in school. These are national assessments that all year 6 children across the country complete. The children are working so hard in preparation for them and already we are proud of their hardworking attitude. **SATs week is 9<sup>th</sup> – 13<sup>th</sup> May 2022.** All year 6 children ***must*** be in that week.

**Year 1 Phonics Screening** – All year 1 children will be completing their phonics screening check in school from **6<sup>th</sup> June – 10<sup>th</sup> June**. Again, these are national checks and all children need to be in school this week. Mrs. McDermott who is our reading lead will send out more information to our year 1 parents about this.

**Year 4 Multiplication tables check** – all year 4 children will complete their multiplication tables check in June (more information will be sent out soon). We encourage all children to regularly practise their multiplication tables at home, there is information on the maths section of our school website on how to best support our children with their learning.

**Dates for the diary:-**

**Spring Term ends** at home time on **Friday 8<sup>th</sup>. April.**

**Summer Term starts:- Monday 25<sup>th</sup>. April**