

## **Attendance this**

week

**Full School** 

93.24%

EYFS/KS1

**RLS** 

94.91%

KS<sub>2</sub>

4TH

98.77%

## A Message from Miss Pitts

This week we have been celebrating reading across the school as it was World Book Day yesterday! Thank you for your support in sending your child to school dressed up either as an animal to link to our focus text or as their favourite character from a book. The pupils looked fantastic and all enjoyed taking part in activities based on The Pet by Catherine Emmett! Today some pupils have even been lucky enough to meet Catherine and take part in a question and answer session with her.

Next week we are holding Parents Evenings on Tuesday 7th and Wednesday 8th March 2023. This is a great opportunity to come and talk to your child's class teacher on a 1:1 basis to find out how they are doing in school. We look forward to welcoming you into school next week for these meetings.

Miss Pitts,

Head of School

## Parents Evenings

Parents evenings are taking place for pupils in Reception up to Year 6 this week. They are taking place on Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> March 2023 and Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> March 2023 with appointments available from 3.40pm and 6.00pm both evenings.

Appointments can be booked via School Bookings website - please check your emails as you should have received a link to activate an account and book appointments.

Nursery will be hosting stay and play sessions on the dates above for parents. A booking link for these sessions has been sent out.

# Free School Meals vouchers

If you have not checked recently if you are eligible, please use the link below to check if you are eligible for free school meals. This will mean you receive food vouchers for upcoming school holidays:

http://www.hull.gov.uk/ education-and-schools/ schools/free-school-meals

#### **Reading Corner**

We've celebrated reading in so many ways this week!

On Wednesday, 8 Year 6 children visited the Freedom Centre library to meet Little Horror author Daniel Peak.

On Thursday, we all celebrated World Book Day and did lots of fun activities based on The Pet by Catherine Emmett.

On Friday, Catherine Emmett herself visited EYFS, Y1, Y2 and Y3. All children took part in virtual author visits from The Children's Bookshow.

What a great reading week!







### Contact Us

Call 01482 794122

Select option 1 to report absences.

Select **option 2** to speak to a member of staff.

Email:

griffin.enquiries@vennacademy.org

#### **Important Information**

School times: 8.55am - 3.30pm

Thursdays: 8.55am - 1.50pm

Gates open at 8.35am and 3.10pm daily.

Gates close at 8.55am daily.

On Thursday, gates open at 1.25pm.

#### **School Doors**

- Red Door Reception
- Green Door Year 1/2
- Yellow Door Year 3 and 4TW
- White Door 4TH
- Blue Door Year 5/6

#### Parking outside school

Thank you to those parents who park considerately on Barham Road and Griffin Road when dropping off and picking up their children.

Please can I remind parents that the yellow lines outside of school are to be kept clear of cars and should not be used for parking.

There has been an increase in cars parking on these and blocking the crossing points near the school gates. The yellow lines are there for the safety of all pupils and parents, so we appreciate your support in not parking on them.

We are continuing our efforts to try and improve road safety outside of school by pushing the council to add a crossing patrol and a 20mph zone outside of the school on Barham Road.