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**“Children First”**  
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Dear Families,

We have had another exciting week of learning for everyone this week. Our children were building on and increasing their knowledge as they visited the Rumi Mosque as part of their RE topic, the Science Museum to see Apollo 10 and find out more about Neil Armstrong and Buzz Aldrin, the Museum of London to learn more about the Great Fire of London and climbing the Monument in Pudding Lane where it all started! We also had teams of children taking part in Multi Skills activities at Lea Valley and our Active Leaders supporting them.

A big thank you to all those families who were able to support us on our visits, your help is always greatly appreciated.

Following on from my letter last week, I would like to remind you that we have paid for an expert to share advice with you about online safety via a parent presentation. The link is only available until Sunday when it will expire. I would strongly urge you to watch the presentation as we have some genuine concerns that our children may be at risk of engaging with “strangers” who know exactly where our children are – where they live. We have re-inforced the message that a stranger is anyone that you have not met in real life. Just because a stranger says that they are a child does not make that true. Do you know who your children are talking with online? Please watch the presentation, click on the link below.

<https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/2681908292234273547>

In the last half term I have been asked about the children sharing sweets to celebrate birthdays. It has always been the school’s policy that we do not do this for a number of reasons but primarily for safety reasons. As parents you are not always aware of the allergies that a member of your child’s class may have therefore, we do not allow the children to share in this way. Moving forward we are currently thinking about how we might celebrate birthdays in school for those children who would like to do so. We will be giving you more information about this soon.

To support your child and have fun reading here is our third top tip!

## Number 6

### Read and discuss reading with friends or family

Make books a part of the family. Encourage your child to share them with a relative or friend, over a video call. Laugh about them when you are making meals together. For example, ‘I hope the tiger doesn’t come to tea today!’





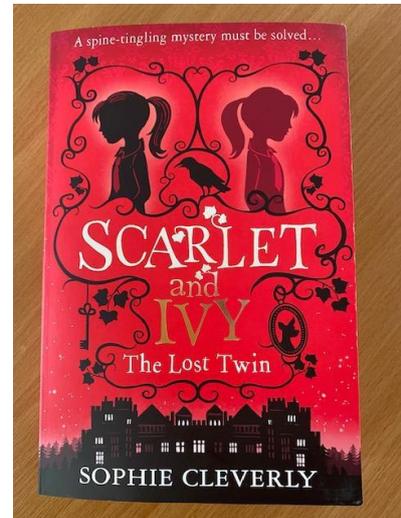
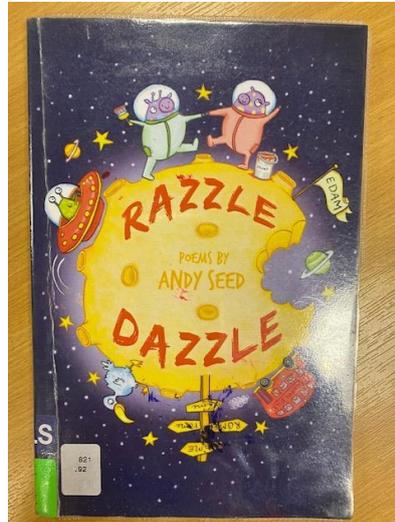
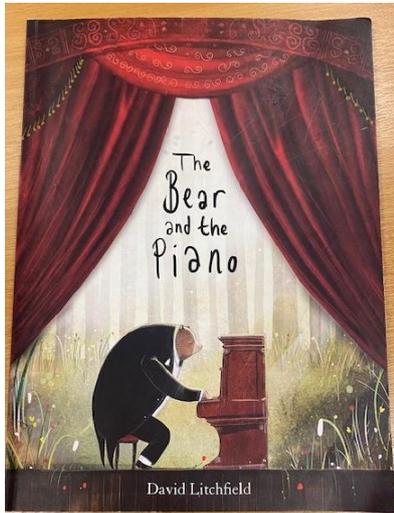
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This weeks’ book recommendations come from Neveah, Rumaan and Courtney. We have a short novel, a picture book and a poetry book to choose from.



## Deniz

This week Sports Personality of the Week is ... (Year 3 - Pink)

Deniz had a quality gymnastics lesson on Wednesday.

He was able to use different creative travelling techniques on the benches and remembered his landing techniques while jumping off the apparatus and onto the mat.

Along with the rest of his class, he was able to show real bravery while using the climbing frame.

Very impressive Deniz, great job!

### Attendance Success!

Well done to the 8 classes who either met or exceeded the target of 96% this week.

This week’s stars for attendance are **Yellow Class** with 99.28 %.

Yellow Class, you’ve had a brilliant week – well done!





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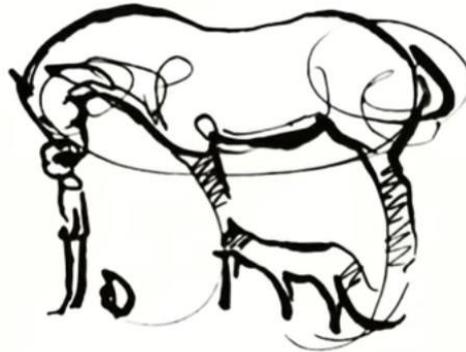
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I hope you have a lovely half term and find time to enjoy some stories and books. I'll be catching up on all the recommendations the children have given me and I will be starting a new novel that I have been looking forward to!

To celebrate Children's Mental Health Week, I have included a picture from my favourite book *The Boy, the Mole, the Fox and the Horse* by Charlie Mackesy.

Keep well, everyone.

" Always remember you matter  
you're important and you are loved  
and you bring to this world



things no one else can." x

Yours sincerely,

*A Goldwater*  
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