



MONTGOMERIE PRIMARY SCHOOL

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EVERY SECOND COUNTS

Respectful. Resilient. Resourceful. Reflective. Responsible. Ready.



IN THE NEWS



Tri Golf Tournament

This week, some members of Barnardo Class represented Montgomery at Garons Park for a Tri Golf Tournament. The children tried very hard and their behaviour was impeccable. Mrs Moore, our Sports Lead, was very proud of them as they showed excellent sportsmanship. A huge well done to Katie, Behije, Daisy-Mai, Charley, Bryce, Carter, Louie, Cillian and Connor! Hopefully next year we will be able to return to more normality and begin resuming our usual inter-school events timetable.



MORE NEWS

Whole School Writing Project

It has been wonderful to see all the children enjoying the beginning of our whole school writing project linked to Quest by Aaron Becker. The displays in the classrooms are looking fantastic, detailing the 'quest' through the project. Wonderful artwork and descriptive writing have been produced and it was brilliant to hear lots of the Montgomery Mentions this week linked to the project, showing the children are really engaged with it. Long may it continue!

Respect to Staff

I was disappointed to hear this week that some parents had not been particularly respectful to staff. Respect is one of our Rs in school that we teach to the children every day; it is important that we model this to the children. Also, this is their place of work and they should not have to deal with disrespect. Please be mindful of this when you are in the school grounds.



CELEBRATE



Montgomery Mentions: Max, Seraphina, David, Curie Class, Charlie, Landon, Barnardo Class, Kian, Marcus, Freya, Templeton and Sammy.



ATTENDANCE



The national expectation for attendance is 96%. The government has clarified the position regarding the term 'regular' attendance. It means children must be in school **EVERY DAY**. Every second counts at Montgomery. We **must** work together to improve attendance and punctuality even more.

The Royals Class	97.33%	Above national
Peacock Class	90.00%	Below national
Curie Class	96.96%	Above national
Attenborough Class	93.70%	Below national
Barnardo Class	92.01%	Below national
Branson Class	98.67%	Above national
Luther King Class	96.53%	Above national
Whole School this week	95.28%	Below national
Whole School to date	94.60%	Below national



STAR READERS

Reading impacts on all aspects of learning; it is so important for children to have experience of reading, to be able to read fluently and to be exposed to high quality vocabulary as this is proven to improve life chances. We are celebrating those children who have read five times or more this week to become Star Readers! We have also looked at the percentage of Star Readers in each class.

The Royals Class	63%	5 th
Peacock Class	86%	1 st – Well done!
Curie Class	77%	2 nd – Almost
Attenborough Class	57%	6 th
Barnardo Class	67%	4 th
Branson Class	73%	3 rd
Luther King Class	41%	7 th

