

Newsletter



Dear Malvern Families,

What an incredible event Malfest 2023 was! I am incredibly grateful for the magnificent support we received from all members of our school community. To see so many people gathered together celebrating everything that makes our Malvern community unique was truly special. We are already looking forward to Malfest 2024 so please keep **Saturday 6th July 2024** free in your diaries.

Have a wonderful weekend!

Mr James

Headteacher



Parental Questionnaires

At Malvern, we understand the importance and power of community connection. As such, we nurture trusting relationships with families and listen to the voices of our community. We welcome your feedback on the impact of our work and therefore request that you respond to the two surveys shared via the Parent App. The first survey will ask for your feedback on school life and will cover topics including your child's happiness and opportunities provided by school. The second survey is about Malfest 2023 and will be used as part of our evaluation when planning for next year's event. Thank you for taking the time to complete each survey.

Class Allocations

Please find below the details for class transition for the next academic year. Reception children will receive their class allocation information along with their annual school report.

	Current Class	New Class
1LM	Miss Murphy	Miss Brown
1CF	Miss Fraser	Miss O'Brien
2JOB	Miss O'Brien	Mrs Worthington
2CB	Miss Brown	Mr Phillips
3NM	Mrs Matthews	Mr Bulmer
3AP	Mr Phillips	Mrs Matthews
4OB	Miss Byrne	Miss Byrne
4CW	Mrs Worthington	Miss Carr
5JB	Mr Bulmer	Mrs Davies
5JH	Mrs Hayes	Mrs Hayes

New Arrival

We are delighted to introduce you to the latest member of our Malvern family - Penelope Anne Phillips. Penelope was born on Tuesday 20th of June weighing 6lb and 15oz. I am certain you will join me in wishing Mr Phillips and his wonderful family every happiness for the future.



Attendance Matters @ Malvern

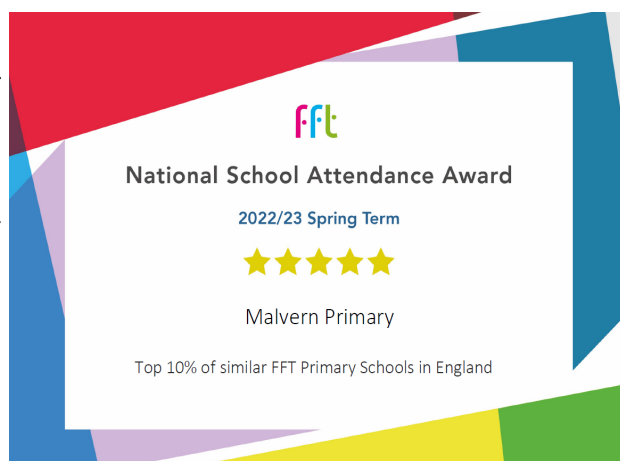
National School Attendance Award

We are proud to announce that we have received another national school attendance award for ranking in the top 10% of all schools for attendance.

This accomplishment would not have been possible without the unwavering support and dedication of our amazing families. Your commitment to promoting good attendance among our students has played a significant role in achieving this remarkable recognition.

By ensuring your child attends school regularly, you have demonstrated a deep understanding of the importance of education and its lifelong impact.

Regular school attendance has numerous benefits for our students. It establishes a strong foundation for their academic success, fosters a sense of belonging within the school community and develops vital social and life skills. It is through your partnership that we are able to provide a nurturing and consistent learning environment for our children.



Attendance Rewards

At Malvern, we believe in celebrating and rewarding the commitment and dedication of our children when it comes to attendance. Throughout the year, we have implemented various initiatives and worked closely with our students and Junior Leadership Team to determine the types of rewards and prizes that would motivate and inspire them.

During our weekly attendance assemblies, we recognise the efforts of our students and classes with excellent attendance. Our Attendee of the Week award is presented to an individual student who has shown dedication to attending school regularly. In addition, the class with the best attendance for the week enjoys additional playtime as a reward and we also provide one class that achieves 100% attendance for the week with a cash prize.

This year, following a request from our Junior Leadership Team, to further motivate children and keep their enthusiasm for attendance high, we have implemented a termly attendance reward raffle. During the special termly assembly, all children who meet the school's attendance target of 97% are entered into a raffle. This year over 200 children have received rewards. These rewards have included: trips to Gulliver's World, Knowsley Safari Park Visits, days out at the cinema, vouchers, tickets for events, art and craft supplies, sweets, sporting equipment, toys, board games, a scooter, a Nintendo Switch, a PlayStation 5 and a mountain bike.



ATTENDANCE MATTERS

every school day counts.

Attendance League Standings

POSITION	TEAM	PLAYED	WON	DRAW	Points
1	Mighty Murphys	26	15	0	54
2	Hayes Hedgehogs	26	17	0	54
3	Resilient Reception 2	26	14	0	50
4	Fiery Frasers	26	10	0	49
5	The Bulldogs	26	12	0	47
6	The Ferocious Phillips Crew	26	13	0	43
7	Matthew's Magicians	26	13	0	42
8	Resilient Reception 1	26	13	0	42
9	O'Brien's Lions	26	13	0	40
10	The Pyne Patrol	26	12	0	40
11	Worthington's Warriors	26	10	0	38
12	Byrne's Bandicoots	26	10	0	37
13	Brown's Busy Bees	26	9	0	31
14	Davo's Dinos	26	7	0	23

A huge congratulations to 1LM who are our overall Attendance Champions for 2023. It was an extremely close fought battle with Hayes' Hedgehogs pushing The Mighty Murphys all the way to the finish line. Both classes finished on equal points at the top of the league with the winner and final league placings determined by the overall class attendance percentage with The Mighty Murphys narrowly edging out Hayes' Hedgehogs.

To celebrate their victory 1LM were presented with the Attendance Trophy and Shield and were awarded a £100 gift voucher to spend on new wet playtime equipment for their class.