

Governor Newsletter April 2017



Every year the governors give 'The Governor Award' to one child from each class who is felt to have best demonstrated, by their everyday behaviour and attitude, the values and ethos of The Blake school. Winners have shown the school's values consistently over the past year.

Each of the winners receives a certificate and a £10 book token, funded by the Blake Educational Trust.

On behalf of the Governors, Dr Philip Fowler congratulated each and every one of these children who consistently demonstrate the school values so well and help to make our school a safe and happy place.



Every teacher gave a reason for nominating the child in their class.

"Lauren shows great kindness to others, quietly perseveres with her work and is willing to take on a challenge"

"E mily is always patient, kind and helpful; she is a good friend to others."

"Freya shows consistent kindness and compassion towards her peers."

"Ambre is always ready to learn and is working hard to learn English. She is kind, caring and thoughtful to others."

"Ned approaches everything he faces with positivity, compassion and humility."

"Jess approaches school life with humility and quiet enthusiasm and showing kindness to others."

"Maya lives out our school values every single day, particularly in the kindness and compassion that she shows to everyone."

"Oscar sets a good example of all the school values, every day."

"Zoe is kind and caring to others, she perseveres and tries her best in all her work. She meets each day with a smile and is a joy in class"

"Kate consistently shows all of the values and is a joyful, kind member of the class."

"Oliver consistently demonstrates the school values; he always tries his best, is kind and thoughtful and faces challenges with an open mind and perseverance."

"Daniel is a thoughtful boy who always works hard and wants to achieve his best. He is a good friend to everyone in the class."

"Bia is a thoughtful, gentle and hard working girl; she lives out the values of our school on a daily basis."

"Roisin is a kind and caring girl, she always gets on quietly and has a fantastically positive attitude to all aspects of school life."

The children were asked to give examples of the kinds of things that they do that are the reason they think their teachers nominated them for the award; they said-

"I challenge myself in class"

"I'm kind to my friends and my teachers"

"When my friends are upset, or need help, I help them"

"I give my work my best shot, even if I can't do it"

"I try to be kind and helpful and I cheer up my friends"

> "I help my teacher out, particularly handing out spellings"

"I am always there if someone needs a friend"

"I show perseverance, I never give up"

"I help people in the craft area"

"I take my friends to TLC when they fall over"

"If someone is new to the school,
I look after them"



When they received the award the children said that they felt -

"grateful" "excited" "relieved"

"surprised" "shocked" "happy"

"proud" "thankful" "nice"

"amazed" "petrified" "good"



The Blake School values for this academic year are: unity, honesty, compassion, thankfulness, hope, kindness, forgiveness, courage, perseverance, goodness and thoughtfulness.

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