



NEWSLETTER ~ 29th March 2018



SPRING II STAR ACHIEVERS

Congratulations to this half term's Star Achievers, chosen because of their truly exceptional work and behaviour throughout this half term.



NORTH TYNESIDE LEARNING TRUST STAR AWARDS REMINDER



The NTLT Star Awards celebrate the outstanding achievements of children in North Tyneside. Please remember that the deadline to nominate a young star is **Friday 28th April**.

To find out more about the award categories and to nominate a STAR, go to www.ntlearningtrust.org.uk/opportunities/ntl-t-star-awards/ and click on the nomination link.

SPRING II 'GOING FOR GOLD' ATTENDANCE MEDAL TABLE

Class	99% to 100% 5 points	97.5% to 98.9% 3 points	96% to 97.4% 1 point	Points Total
5W	23/2 9/3	23/3	16/3	14
6H	9/3	23/2	16/3 23/3 29/3	11
1H	9/3	23/2	16/3 23/3	10
1C	9/3	29/2	16/3 23/3	10
4S	9/3	23/2	23/3 29/3	10
6CE		23/2 9/3 29/3	16/3	10
4L	9/3	23/2	29/3	9
5T		23/2	23/3	4
2W		23/2		3
2I			23/3 29/3	2
3T			9/3	1
3C			9/3	1



257 children had 100% attendance this week. Well done to them all!

Congratulations to the Spring II Attendance Medal Table winners . . .



TYNE TOGETHER 2018 ~ 7 BILLION IDEAS

#TyneTogether is a competition designed to challenge children in North Tyneside to generate and develop ideas that could change the world. The ideas could be about absolutely anything, as long as they have a positive impact.



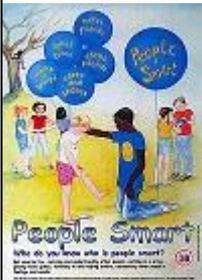
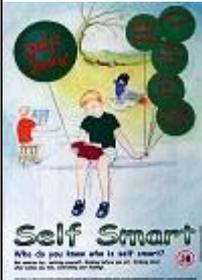
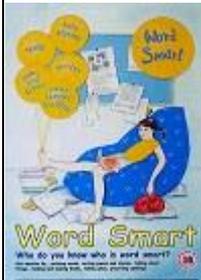
The #TyneTogether2018 final was held yesterday and the Greenfields team had a truly brilliant idea - to invent a robot, called 'The Learner' that would help children with additional needs, for example by supporting them to use sign language. The team created a poster, a model and a powerpoint presentation to help explain their ideas to the 6 different judges.

Huge congratulations to the Greenfields team; they didn't win the overall competition, but they all made us incredibly proud.

'SMART' WEEK

We hope that the children have enjoyed all the 'SMART' week activities this week. This has been an opportunity for all the children to find out more about multiple intelligences, identify their own preferred learning styles and celebrate the many talents that they have.

To find out their SMARTs - children thought about what really interests them:

<p>People Smart</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ noticing and understanding other people ▪ working in a group ▪ playing team games ▪ listening and helping others ▪ considering other people's feelings and moods 	<p>2D/3D Smart</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ making models ▪ drawing and painting ▪ noticing what things look like ▪ drawing designs, charts and diagrams ▪ playing games that move objects through 2D/3D 	<p>Practical Smart</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ repairing and making things ▪ using your hands ▪ noticing how to do things ▪ learning how to use tools and equipment ▪ finding out how things work 
<p>Self Smart</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ setting yourself targets ▪ noticing things for yourself ▪ thinking before you act ▪ thinking why you do things ▪ controlling your feelings 	<p>Body Smart</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ exercising ▪ moving with agility ▪ role play ▪ balance and co-ordination ▪ playing sports 	<p>Word Smart</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ reading and making books ▪ writing poems and stories ▪ talking about things ▪ telling jokes ▪ spelling and noticing words 
<p>Music Smart</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ playing and listening to music ▪ noticing sounds around you ▪ singing and rapping ▪ making instruments ▪ recognising rhythm 	<p>Number Smart</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ noticing numbers ▪ calculating and estimating ▪ solving problems and puzzles ▪ sorting and classifying things ▪ playing strategy games 	<p>Nature Smart</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ noticing the living world ▪ watching the weather ▪ gardening ▪ keeping pets ▪ being environmentally friendly, e.g. recycling 

CHILDREN'S CANCER RUN REMINDER

If you would like to take part in the 2018 Children's Cancer Run on Sunday 20th May, entries are open at www.neccr.org.uk/event/childrens-cancer-run-2018/

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A vibrant, cartoon-style illustration for the Children's Cancer Run 2018. The scene is set against a warm orange and yellow background. In the foreground, a white squirrel is on the left, and a white rabbit is on the right. A large, smiling character with a red, bubbly head and a white body is running towards the right, holding a sign that says "MUD GLORIOUS MUD AHEAD". Other runners are depicted, including a man with a beard and a woman, both wearing bibs with numbers 3210 and 125 respectively. A large archway labeled "FINISH" is visible, with a runner crossing it. A gingerbread man and a girl in a red dress are also present. The overall mood is festive and energetic.

Children's Cancer Run

📅 Sunday 20 May 2018 ⌚ 9.30am to 1pm
📍 Newcastle Racecourse, Gosforth Park

Registrations are now open - we hope you can join us for another fantastic day. Over £249,000 was raised at the Children's Cancer Run in 2017, helping more children beat cancer.

FINALLY . . .

We hope that you all have a fantastic Easter break and look forward to seeing all of the children back at school on **Monday 16th April** for the start of the Summer term.

