## Weekly Word



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To all Parents/Carers,

It's nice to end the week with some sunshine after a few pretty wet days! It definitely feels cooler in the month of September that's for sure.

Top left, the children in Y6 have been learning all about adaptation and how polar bears have adapted to the cold and harsh environments they live in. What better way to learn about this than dressing up as a polar bear; hands and feet and all!

Middle left we have our new Y1 children using multilink cubes to help with their understanding of number and place value. From what I saw, they did incredibly well with their learning and had lots of fun!

Bottom left, children in Y2 were practising their sequencing and instructional language using BeeBots. As you can see, they had to program in a set of commands and watch it make its way through the maze.

Throughout the course of the week I have been popping in and out of classrooms (including having lunch in the hall) and I have been really impressed with how quickly children have settled into the new year. Of course, this process can take a little longer for some children but please know, we are always here to help. Either get in touch with your child's class teacher or speak to any one of us on the gate. Our new FS2 children had their first full day today as well, so a big step for them and their families. It was a pleasure to see them all with their parents/carers in the dining hall yesterday <sup>(C)</sup>

And finally, two things: Firstly, we have two new policies in circulation which are the Teaching and Learning Policy and Relationships and Behaviour Policy (both found here). Please have a read when you get the chance...

Lastly, the results of the parent/carer questionnaire will go live soon, so keep av eye on your emails.

Have a levely weekend

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This week's attendance is 98%. Our target for the year is: 97% The year group(s) with the highest attendance is/are: Y2 99%