## Weekly Word



## 28/4/2023

To all Parents/Carers,

Some great photos on Twitter this week (as always!). Top left, we have children in Y6 experiencing their very own parliament!

A speaker called Malcolm from #UKParlEducation spent the morning with the children telling them about how laws are passed, all the processes that are involved and what kind of characteristics are required. The Bill for a 4-day school week, you'll be pleased to hear, was universally rejected!!

Middle left we have children in Y1 taking their Maths outside. Here we have some chalk drawn numberlines. And, which is really important, it shows the children working as a team and really showing their **M**ore than Just Me attitude (from Markeaton MINDS).

In other news, a huge thank you to everyone who got involved with the School Motto SurveyMonkey this week. As mentioned previously, we will be replacing 'Grow and Learn Together' with a new trio of words. We have had input from Parents/Carers, the children, staff and Governors so now is the hard part - choosing the three words!

## I'll get back to you when we have more on this 😉



And finally, in case you missed it last week, Marie Stoodley (our incredible Catering manager) is leaving us today to start a new career at Rolls Royce. We will be having a leaving assembly for her at 2pm this afternoon so make sure you ask your child(ren) about the school video that some of the Y6s made – it's epic!

On behalf of the entire school community, past and present, I want to wish Marie the best of luck for the future. You have been an amazing part of the team and you will be sorely missed by us all. Take care and see you soon ( $\circ$ )

> Have a lovely weekend, Mr Johnson

This week's attendance is 94.%. Our target for the year is: 97% The year group(s) with the highest attendance is/are: Y3 97.5%