



Temple Meadow
Primary School
Growing together, learning together

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Positive Interaction Policy

Dear Parents/Carers

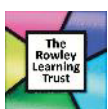
You will know that we launched our new Positive Interaction Policy back in September 2023. Our new streamlined school expectation 'be ready, be respectful, be safe' is the language we use with all of our pupils and applies to all parts of school life.

We also adapted our Dojo Praise Points system to reflect our new school expectation; pupils earn Dojo praise points for being ready, respectful and safe; however, pupils can also lose a Dojo praise point when interactions are not positive. Parents/Carers are encouraged to download the free Class Dojo app on any smart device where you can see when your child has received positive points for lost 'needs work' point. Please speak to the School Office if you need support with accessing or using this app.

During Autumn 1, we have been working with our Pupil Parliament to seek pupil voice regarding the prizes they would like to work towards. Taking this into account, we have agreed on the prizes available to pupils and these have been shared with pupils during this mornings' assembly. Please see below for the prizes available.

Our Early Years children need rewards more immediately than other pupils; please see their rewards and prizes below. Nursery pupils will be able to purchase prizes throughout the term. Reception children will redeem their points for chosen prizes at the end of each half term.

Year group	Number of points	Reward	Frequency
Nursery	When ever a pupil achieves 10 points	Prize from prize box	Ongoing
Reception	10 points	Prize from prize box	End of each half termly
	20 points	Pack of Stickers	
	30 points	Fidget toys	
	40 points	Colouring books	
	50 points	Special helper for the day	
	80 points	Biscuit decorating	
	100 points	iPad time	
	150 points	Hot chocolate and story with mystery reader	



Pupils in Years 1-6 will be able to redeem their points for one reward at the end of each term. These experiences and prizes will be co-ordinated to take place at a specific time. Any pupils who have not earned enough points to purchase a prize will spend the time completing a restoration activity with a member of the Pastoral Support Team.

Years 1-3	>40 points	None	End of each term
	40 points	Mindfulness	
	80 points	Construction club	
		iPad time	
	100 points	Extra outdoor play	
		Arts and crafts session	
	150 points	Movie and snacks	
		Hot chocolate and story with mystery reader	
Years 4-6	40 points	Mindfulness/free drawing	
	80 points	iPad time	
	100 points	Extra outdoor play/sports activities	
		Arts and crafts session	
	150 points	Movie and snacks	
		Hot chocolate and story with mystery reader	
	200 points	Forest school session	

We have also launched another motivational reward for pupils in Years 1-6. Each Friday afternoon, either Miss Dale or Mrs Van Straaten will come around to classes to present Dojo praise point certificates.

In Years 1-4, the pupil in each class who has earned the most Dojo praise points that week will receive a certificate.

In Years 5 and 6, the class who has earned the most Dojo praise points that week will be rewarded with extra play time.

We would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your ongoing support with our Positive Interaction Policy. A copy of this can be found on our school website.

Yours sincerely,



Ms Walsh
Headteacher