



Manor Primary School

'Learning Together, Achieving Our Best'

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Manor Primary—Top School in Devon!

We were delighted this week to see a new league table produced by the Primary Real Schools Guide, which has rated Manor Primary School as 'the best state-funded primary school in Devon'!

It also rates us as 205th out of 14,459 primary schools in the country - well within the top 1.5% .

We were, of course, absolutely delighted by this recognition which reflects a great deal of on-going hard work and dedication from all members of our school community. We will, of course, continue moving our school forwards, constantly striving to provide the very best that we can for our children.

For further information, please see:

<http://www.exeterexpressandecho.co.uk/10-best-primary-schools-in-exeter-and-devon-revealed/story-30061005-detail/story.html>

Diary Dates

Wednesday 1st February—Year 1 visual screening

Thursday 9th February—Open Day (see below).

Monday 13th Feb—Friday 17th Feb—Half Term

Monday 20th February—Non-pupil day

Tuesday 21st February—Return to school

Free Headlice Kits available

We have been given a box of kits containing headlice lotion and mousse. The products are made by a company called 'Kit & Coco' and are made with natural ingredients. We cannot vouch for this product, but if you would like one of these kits then please call in to reception—first come first served.

Whilst on the subject of headlice, please could all parents ensure that they check their children's heads on a very regular basis and quickly treat any sign of headlice to prevent these spreading.

Open Day—Thursday 9 February

Please note that on Thursday 9th February we will be holding an Open Day for all classes. Parents are invited to come into school to visit their child's classroom where they will be able to watch the teaching, work alongside their child, have a look at their work and speak to the Class Teacher and Teaching Assistants. Parents do not need to make an appointment and may come in at any time between 8.50—12am and 1—3pm. The classrooms will remain open after school until 5.30 for those parents who are unable to come in during the day. Please come into school via main reception where you will be asked to sign in.

New Children

We would like to welcome Jake who has joined us this week in Badgers. We hope he will enjoy his time with us here at Manor.

Well done to Otters who have won the attendance shield with an attendance rate of 100%

Congratulations to Willow for winning the House Points Cup with 147 house points.

Well done to this week's winners of Gold Certificates—Clarice and Charlie (Squirrels), Amberleigh, George (Bats), Chloe (Hares) and Daniel (Otters)

Forthcoming 'Theme for the Week'



Equality— Continuing this theme and reflecting on what equality means and why is it so important. This will include an assembly on Monday by Mrs Lawrence from Ivybridge Methodist Church.

