



THE WEEKLY FLIGHT

STAR OF THE WEEK

Foundation 1: **Yusra**
 Foundation 2: **Avani & Garrett**
 Year 1: **Erik & Raina**
 Year 2: **Eamon & Mirha**
 Year 3: **Xavier & Zidan**
 Year 4: **Dhilan & Ethan**
 Year 5: **Anaya & Mahen**
 Year 6: **Niharan & Itai**

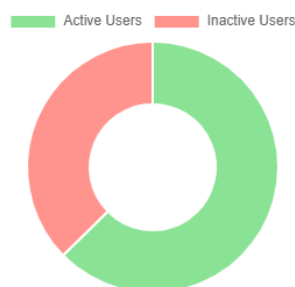
STEM AWARD

Foundation 1: **Leo S**
 Foundation 2: **Charlie & Carter**
 Year 1: **Zelda & Eric**
 Year 2: **Naomi & Aaila**
 Year 3: **Manjot & Sammy**
 Year 4: **Ehsaan & Amaya**
 Year 5: **Zariyan & Isla**
 Year 6: **Evie & Josephine**

PARENT APP

When we return from the half term holiday, the Parent Portal that is available via the school's website will be turned off as all parent information is now available via the school's app. The majority of parent communication (emails / letters / updates) will also be sent via the app.

We have a few parents that have not yet logged into the app. Log in details have been sent out again today, if you have not received these or are experiencing problems logging in, please let us know.



WEEKLY AWARD COURTESY

Foundation 1: **Nathaniel & Jaap**
 Foundation 2: **Finley & Rivan**
 Year 1: **Huxley & Daniel**
 Year 2: **Rafi & Elizabeth**
 Year 3: **Rowan & Anaya**
 Year 4: **Alena & Ezra**
 Year 5: **Bobbi & Ayaan**
 Year 6: **Jia & Amaima**
Next Award – Resilience

FEB 17th-21st NEXT THING EDUCATION PRESENTS **9am-4pm**
FEBRUARY HALF TERM
TECH CAMP
FEB HALF TERM 2025
17TH - 21ST FEBRUARY 2025
17TH - 21ST FEBRUARY - LIMITED SPACES
AGES 5 - 11 MULTI DAY BOOKING DISCOUNTS!
HOW TO BOOK
STEP 1 SCAN THE QR CODE
STEP 2 FIND YOUR NEAREST CAMP
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NEW NEWS - UPPER SPORTS COLOURS

It was the turn of the Year 5 and 6 pupils to receive their Sports Colours (Upper) today, congratulations to:

Krishni (netball) Lavinia (netball)
 Sophie (netball) Eilidh (netball)
 Kyran (swimming & table tennis)
 Kai (swimming)
 Liana (gymnastics)
 William (cross country)
 Seren (swimming)



LUNAR NEW YEAR

Avon House came together to celebrate the year of the snake and the start of the 2025 Lunar New Year on Wednesday, with different activities taking place across the whole school.

Activities included traditional Chinese calligraphy on special rice paper with instructions on how to write 'Luck' and 'Snake,' dragon dancing using a costume created by Year 2, creating Lunar New Year coding projects on Scratch, making Chinese fans, lanterns and paper craft snakes, generating a Chinese music soundscape with instruments, enjoying a tasty Chinese lunch from our Thomas Franks catering team and of course, exploring the story of The Great Race and the Chinese Zodiac.

With a big thank you to our parent volunteers, whose time, effort and involvement helped to enrich our environment for all pupils to learn in.

Gong Xi Fa Cai!

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KEY PARENT DATES FOR SPRING TERM 1

Look out for these key dates this term:

w/c 3rd February -	Children's Mental Health Week and National Storytelling Week
Friday 7th February -	Performance Assembly
	National Send a Card to a Friend Day
w/c 10th February -	Arts Week
Friday 14th February -	Inter House Music
	PTA School Discos

The school calendar is now available via the Avon House Preparatory School App. Letters for events and educational visits will be attached to the calendar entries.

RRS COUNCIL RSPB BADGES

Thank you to everyone who has already supported the RRS Council's RSPB bird badge sale!

We are thrilled to see so many of you participating in this important initiative to protect our environment and showcasing your extensive collections on your blazers!

Just a quick reminder: the sale will be ending this Monday, so if you haven't had a chance to get your badge yet, be sure to stop by the school gate between 8:00 and 8:20 am on Monday.

The suggested donation is £2 per badge, and every contribution helps support the work of the RSPB. Thank you all again for your support this year!

TUB2PUB PLASTICS

Please pass empty confectionery, biscuit and cracker tubs to your child's Sustainability Council class representative by Friday 14th February.

All money raised from the sale of Tub2Pub plastics will be given directly to Macmillan Cancer Support.

MILER OF THE WEEK

This week's Miler of the Week is Margot (3NH).

Margot has only attended 2 Daily Mile sessions so far but she is already impressing the PE Team with her focus and stamina.