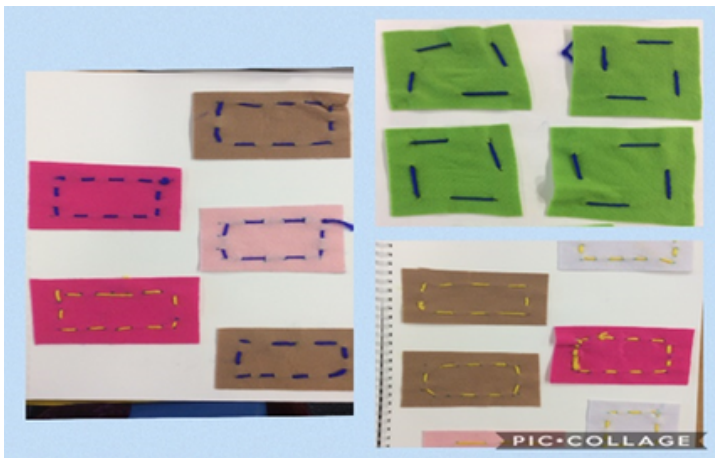


15th December 2023

## Year 2 - DT

In DT, we have been designing and making our own puppets. This week we have been practicing sewing on felt using running stitch, as well as experimenting with and testing various decorative materials on our fabric to decide which looked the best. We have had so much fun designing our puppets and we can't wait to complete our final product!



## Year 5 - Bikeability

This week, some of our Year 5 pupils have had the opportunity to take part in a Level 2 course for bike and road safety. They started their learning on the playground; they were taught how to ride a bike to National Standards and were introduced to cycling as a fun, healthy activity and alternative mode of transport. Then, they took to the roads! They confidently cycled around the local streets, putting their hard work into action. They learned lots and had so much fun!



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### Year 4 visit to Millvina House

This week, our Year 4 children visited Millvina House to perform some Christmas songs for the residents. We had a great time spreading Christmas cheer and getting a surprise visit from a real-life elf! We spent a lot of time practicing our songs and were really pleased to hear that the staff and residents really enjoyed our performance.



Dear Children,

It was wonderful to have Father Christmas with us all week. Every day he commented on your exceptionally good manners and enthusiasm. He said he was blown away by how polite you all were. There is absolutely no doubt that you are all on the GOOD list! We really hope you enjoyed meeting two of his reindeer on Tuesday as well. That really was a lovely treat for us all. Your keyrings will be sent home on Monday. It really was a lovely start to our new start as part of Northern Schools Trust!

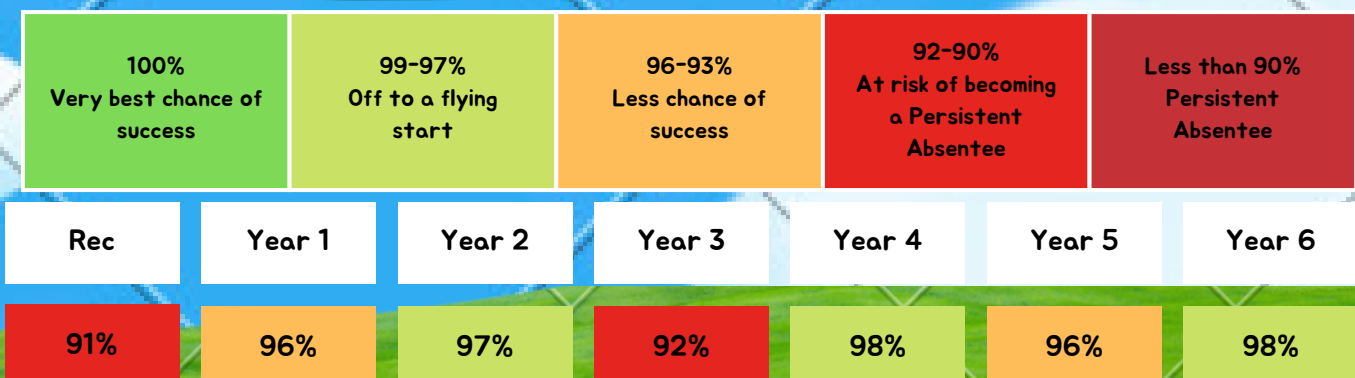
Look out next week for another Letterbox pack to enjoy over the Christmas break. We hope you enjoy sharing the books and games with family and friends.

Have a wonderful Christmas break and very best wishes for 2024. We will look forward to seeing you all back in school again on Monday 8th January.

Kind regards,  
Mrs Robinson, Headteacher

**Remember: school closes on Wednesday 20th December at 1.30pm**

Absence: It is your responsibility to phone the school office by 9am each day your child is absent. Please leave a voicemail if there is no answer.  
TERM TIME HOLIDAYS WILL RESULT IN FINES.



**The school target for this academic year is 97%**

**Well done years 2, 4 and 6!!**