Ellwood Community Primary School

Believe, Achieve, Belong



Personal Development

At Ellwood Primary School, we believe in developing the whole child. We are advocates that success is not measured purely by academic achievements but by the character of the individual also. Our aim is to ensure that every child in our care is the best version of themselves through being given opportunities to take on responsibilities, modelling and setting high expectations of respect, valuing honesty, teaching skills and being given opportunities to show resilience, nurturing kindness within school and the wider school community and learning how to maintain healthy friendships. We provide children with a rich tapestry of opportunities that will shape life choices and prepare them for their next steps in life.

Kindness – School			
		Date Achieved	Signed (Staff Member)
Bronze Award	Achieve a kindness school values certificate.		
Silver Award	Create a fundraising event which can be run throughout the school.		
Gold Award	Leave a legacy of positivity which helps promote a better future for Ellwood Primary School.		

Kindness – Appreciation			
		Date Achieved	Signed
			(Staff Member)
Bronze Award	Visit 2 of the		
	following (listed		
	below), or a		
	similar		
	event/location.		
Silver Award	Visit 4 of the		
	following (listed		
	below), or a		
	similar		
	event/location.		
Gold Award	Visit 8 of the		
	following (listed		
	below), or a		
	similar		
	event/location.		

Gallery, museum, theatre, concert, ballet, opera, pantomime, sports event, elderly home, place of worship, art exhibition, place of historic significance (e.g. a castle), place of natural beauty, etc.

Resilience – Health and Wellbeing			
		Date Achieved	Signed (Staff Member)
Bronze Award	Learn a life skill (See suggested list below)		
Silver Award	Design and cook a healthy meal for your family.		
Gold Award	Make a positive healthy change to your life and present your change and its impact to an adult, group or whole class.		

Suggested life skills – tie your shoe laces, ride a bike, swim 25m, tell the time to every 5 minutes, read a map

Resilience – Never Give up			
		Date Achieved	Signed (Staff Member)
Bronze Award	Learn something new and teach it to someone else.		
Silver Award	Participate in three of the activities, from the list below.		
Gold Award	Attend the Year 6 residential trip or a team building event.		

School play, choir performance, work on display, extracurricular club, extracurricular club performance or competition, presentation, talent competition, assembly, out-side of school competition

Respect – Mutua	respect	5. 41. 1	C: 1
		Date Achieved	Signed (Staff Member)
Bronze Award	Be recognised by an adult for showing respect, by achieving a values certificate.		
Silver Award	Complete a piece of work that you are proud of, that has showed mutual respect of the values, ideas and beliefs of others.		
Gold Award	Respect the values, ideas and beliefs of others by making a presentation to an adult, group or class on a topic of your choice.		

Responsibility – Take the lead!			
		Date Achieved	Signed (Staff Member)
Bronze Award	Take on a responsibility at home and explain to an adult, group or class how you've been responsible and the impact it has had.		
Silver Award	Take on a responsibility at school and explain to an adult, group or class how you've been responsible and the impact it has had.		
Gold Award	Be responsible for your own homework and complete all homework set, for a full school year.		

Home responsibilities – getting yourself dressed, keeping your bedroom tidy, making your bed, washing up, setting the table for dinner, listening to a younger sibling read, doing your homework

School responsibilities – eco council, sports leader, school council, librarian, buddy

Friendship – What makes a good friend?			
		Date Achieved	Signed (Staff Member)
Bronze Award	Be recognised at school for showing positive friendship by receiving a values certificate.		
Silver Award	Complete a piece of work or present to an adult, group or class, what a healthy friendship looks like and how to deal with an unhealthy friendship.		
Gold Award	Make a friendship with someone from a different community, country or culture. (Always make sure you tell an adult at home about a new friendship before you speak to someone you don't know)		

Honesty – Speak up!			
		Date Achieved	Signed (Staff Member)
Bronze Award	Be recognised by an adult as an honest member of our school community, by receiving a values certificate.		
Silver Award	Be honest to yourself. Have an honest chat at home to an adult about how you're feeling, what interests you have or changes you want support with.		
Gold Award	Find your passion and speak up on a subject that has a wider impact on the community. (See suggestions below)		

Find your passion – you could write a persuasive letter, make an information leaflet, design a persuasive or informative letter, make a presentation.