

12th September 2025

Dear Parents & Carers,

Firstly, well done for completing the first full week of the school year!

Routines are very important and certainly help with school life 😊 Talking of routines, let's get back into the routine of sharing our Golden Expectation of the Week, word of the week and our debate of the week topic!

Golden Expectation: **Listen respectfully and follow instructions**

Word of the Week: **Feelings**

Debate of the Week: **Children should have a say in what they learn at school.**

As a reminder, we strongly encourage you to discuss the above with your child(ren) as part of your home learning conversations.

As we settle into the new school year, thank you to all the parents who attended our **Meet the Teacher/End of Year expectations** meeting this week. As a reminder, you may find it useful to refer to our end of year expectations, curriculum overviews and year group webpages for your child(ren)'s year group throughout the year.

Year Group	End of Year Expectations	Curriculum Overview	Year group webpage
Reception	Reception Early Learning Goals.pdf		Reception - Daubeney Primary School
Year 1	Y1 End of Year Expectations.pdf	Year 1 Curriculum Overview.pdf	Year 1 - Daubeney Primary School
Year 2	Y2 End of Year Expectations.pdf	Year 2 Curriculum Overview.pdf	Year 2 - Daubeney Primary School
Year 3	Y3 End of Year Expectations.pdf	Year 3 Curriculum Overview.pdf	Year 3 - Daubeney Primary School
Year 4	Y4 End of Year Expectations.pdf	Year 4 Curriculum Overview.pdf	Year 4 - Daubeney Primary School
Year 5	Y5 End of Year Expectations.pdf	Year 5 Curriculum Overview.pdf	Year 5 - Daubeney Primary School
Year 6	Y6 End of Year Expectations.pdf	Year 6 Curriculum Overview (1).pdf	Year 6 - Daubeney Primary School

As a school our **Pupil Progress Reviews** (PPR's) began last week, starting with Y6. These will continue next week to ensure that each child is challenged to achieve their academic best. There will be individual

parent consultations throughout the year where you will meet with your child(ren)'s teacher to make sure they are making the expected progress over the year.

As our parent partners, our nurture provision, **The Nest** needs you! The Nest is looking for donations to spark imagination and magical role play for our children! We'd be thrilled to receive: - Play kitchen utensils - dolls, dolls clothes, dolls' pram & cot, dolls house, dressing-up costumes (ages 5-7). And anything else to inspire creativity and fun! Please pop your donations into The Nest in the KSI Hall, next to the Year 1 classroom, and hand them to Miss Clare or Miss Toni. Thank you so much for your kindness and support in advance!

Looking ahead to next week, Monday 15th September marks '**World Afro Day**', and as such we are hosting a KS2 assembly with an invited guest to speak to the children about 'afro hair'. There will also be a stall selling afro hair related items at home-time on Monday (next to the café). There will also be an opportunity for parents to speak to an 'expert' on afro hair at the stall. You may find this very useful if you are the parent of a dual-heritage child and 'afro hair' is not something you have much knowledge about and would like to learn more.

We will shortly be starting our **School Council elections** which always gets our children excited as they prepare their speeches and seek votes from their classmates. If you'd like to support your child with this, you may find the following video link useful [School Council Elections 2025 - Daubeney Primary School](#)

As we close this week's letter, I encourage you to **visit our highlights tab**, not only to see what our children have been getting up to at school, it also provides a great stimulus to ignite conversations with your child(ren) about learning at school as they can often give monosyllabic answers when asked on the way home after school.

Finally, I would like to remind you that it is imperative that your child(ren) attends school every day and is punctual. If you would like advice or information on how to improve your child(ren)'s attendance access the link below [How to improve your child's school attendance and where to get support – The Education Hub](#)

Please come and speak with a member of SLT at drop-off or collection time if there is anything you'd like to discuss as we get into our stride for what will be another wonderful year of outstanding teaching and learning here at Daubeney Primary.

Many kind regards,

Yours sincerely,



Mr Gregory Logan
Head of School



Robin Warren
Executive Head Teacher

