



PRIDE PRESS

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As we come to the end of a vibrant Spring term at Burton Joyce Primary School, it's a pleasure to share with you this edition of our PRIDE Press.

Our children have truly embodied our values of *Positivity*, *Respect*, *Integrity*, *Determination*, and *Equality* in all they do—from their learning in the classroom to the way they support one another across school life. This term has been filled with growth, creativity, and joyful moments, and we're delighted to celebrate just some of the highlights with you here.

Positivity

The positivity ambassadors have been very busy this term. They led a whole school assembly to conclude children's mental health week. The ambassadors planned the assembly to include messages and strategies to overcome difficulties.

The ambassadors did a fantastic job presenting the assembly and all spoke with confidence.



Respect

Our Respect Ambassadors have been hard at work this half term!

They spent time reviewing how well our school community is showing our Respect values, focusing on behaviour in the dinner hall and during playtimes. After gathering their observations, they created a PowerPoint highlighting both our strengths and areas where we can continue to improve. This presentation has now been shared with every class to help us all reflect and keep growing together.



I ntegrity

The children showed great leadership by helping deliver two assemblies to the whole school about eSafety, focusing on digital footprints and online bullying. They helped explain how what we do online can stay there for a long time and reminded everyone to think carefully before posting or sharing. To learn more, they visited Key Stage 2 classes and carried out simple surveys, asking pupils about their experiences and understanding. This helped start important conversations and made sure everyone felt included and informed.

D etermination

The Determination Ambassadors have been busy organising events for next term. Our school has entered the TCS Mini London Marathon in schools as a challenge for pupils to run, jog or walk 2 miles within the school grounds as part of our Get Physical Well-being Day. This challenge will take a whole lot of determination, so the Ambassadors delivered an assembly on the value and planned event to get the pupils motivated. Later in the Summer term we will hold a KS1 Careers event, focusing on professions and people who help us. The Determination Ambassadors have been collating ideas and have started to plan the event and forms ready to send out to parents – watch this space!



E quality

The Equality Ambassadors have been busy this term researching Neurodiversity Week and exploring what neurodiversity means. As part of their work, they focused on individuals who have not let their learning disabilities stop them from achieving great success. The group researched inspiring people who have overcome challenges and used their strengths to grow and achieve their goals. Using what they discovered, the ambassadors have been helping to raise awareness across the school through an assembly about neurodiversity and the importance of understanding and supporting different ways of learning.

School Council

It has been a busy term for the School Council! They met several times to plan our Red Nose charity event, sharing ideas about how to raise money and organise activities for the day. The councillors designed posters, chose prizes and even donated a teddy for the raffle. On the day, they did a fantastic job selling cakes and running the games, helping everything run smoothly. Thanks to their hard work and enthusiasm, they raised an impressive total of £777.35

