



The Ferrars Academy Rewards System



At the Academy we have a range of rewards in place to motivate the children during their learning. Rewards are designed to recognise the efforts the children are putting in and to celebrate achievement.

Super Star Learners

When your child completes a piece of excellent work he/she will be awarded with a gold sticker. Your child will then place this sticker onto a wall chart, which will be displayed in his/her classroom. We will recognise not only recorded work but also during practical lessons, such as drama, music, PE and art.

All children are recognised for a superstar learner award in our Friday celebration assembly. Once your child has collected 6 gold stars he/she will be awarded with a 10 minute treat, which can be chosen from a selection each class creates. This may consist of extra playtime, a visit to the ICT suite or 'iPad time'! Once your child reaches 12 stars he/she may choose another treat.

Upon completion of the chart (18 stars) your child will be rewarded with his/her 10 minute treat. In addition to this he/she will be allowed to choose a book as a prize which is presented in assembly. A letter will also be sent home to inform you about this fantastic achievement.



Pen Licences

Children are awarded a pen licence once they consistently produce a high level of handwriting in their work.

This is awarded to children in the celebration assembly where they also receive a pen to use in class.



Mental Maths Stars

Our latest rewards system we have in place is to help develop your child's mental maths skills. If your child is ready, they can be tested on their mental maths, such as knowing their number bonds to 10, multiples of 5 etc.

If they are confident and can answer a range of questions, they will be awarded with a certificate to take home. Keep practising on mental maths!



Star Values

The values we focus on throughout the School year are: co-operation, confidence, friendship, determination, courage and independence. Ask your child which value they will follow this half term.

If a child is seen showing signs of the term value by any member of staff, they'll be asked to put a star in the hall. The year group at the end of the half term with the most stars wins a certificate.



Praise & Motivation

Oral and written praise is given to children on a regular basis. Children also receive reward stickers, visits to other classes and senior members of staff to show and share their work. Parents are telephoned or spoken to at the end of the day by their class teacher to inform them of their child's achievement.



Star Manners

We expect pupils to behave well during their lunchtime. We would hope to see them saying please and thank you to the kitchen staff, lunch time staff and each other. They will be required to sit sensibly at the dinner table and use a knife and fork. We expect them to be courteous towards adults and children as they walk around school.

Children are rewarded by the mid-day supervisors if they have shown good manners at lunch time. Their name will be called out at the end of lunch so their class can give them a clap and they can place a star, with their name on, on the classroom sign.



Spellings

To acknowledge the effort that your child puts into learning his/her spellings every week, some raisins will be awarded as a small prize.

