Doncaster School for Deaf Children

Headteacher's Update

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Meet Honey, our resident bear

Hello, my name is Honey and I live at Doncaster School for Deaf Children.
I am deaf and am waiting for my very first pair of hearing aids, I can't wait for them to arrive!
My job at school is to go on adventures with our pupils and then write about it in my diary.
I have already been to the University of Manchester with some of the teachers and had a great time.
I am looking forward to getting to know everyone!

From
Honey Bear

Headteacher

Recently, we welcomed Quality Assurance visits from both the City of Doncaster Local Authority and North Lincolnshire Council. The purpose of these visits was to ensure that we are continuing to meet the needs of pupils from their respective areas. The visitors enjoyed spending time in school, observing learning, speaking with pupils, and meeting with staff. We were pleased to have the opportunity to showcase the work taking place across the school and now look forward to receiving their official feedback in the coming weeks.

Events

Congratulations to Scarlet, who was the lucky winner of a voucher to spend at The Foundation's Parker's Café. She thoroughly enjoyed the experience, treating her classmates and teachers to delicious hot chocolates and even having the opportunity to serve customers by using the till. It was a wonderful chance for her to build confidence, develop new skills and enjoy a special reward.

School Council

Congratulations to all the pupils who were successfully elected to this year's School Council! The Council held its first meeting this week and was already full of great ideas. The pupils got stuck straight into discussing some exciting topics, including choosing a name for the school's teddy bear and helping to plan our end-of-term Halloween party. They have also been given the important task of gathering feedback from their classmates about the new school uniform and the school's rebranding, making sure that pupils have a chance to share their thoughts and ideas. We are looking forward to working with the School Council this year and seeing all the wonderful contributions they make to school life.