

Ryarsh Primary School

## RYARSH AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE

# Grace

## Penguin Class

When thinking about our last excellence award for this year, it was a really tough decision, however there was a certain superstar that has really shone this term. She is a very deserving winner of this award as she is extremely hard working, a kind and enthusiastic member of our class.

Grace has worked really hard on all aspects of her learning. She listens attentively during carpet time and gets on with her work in a very mature manner. When given the challenge to improve something Grace tackles it head on. An example of this was when she was trying to improve her handwriting. Grace would be the first to agree that when she started in Penguin class her handwriting was a long way from where it needed to be to gain the "precious pen"! Grace will admit that her presentation has been a little like a roller coaster this year! Grace was determined and made her work neater and as a result all the hard work paid off and she received her pen! The beaming smile on her face showed us all how proud she was of herself. She even practised her handwriting in her own time and sent me a postcard from Leeds Castle using her neatest handwriting! I was just as proud as she was!

Grace always puts in that extra bit of effort in everything she does. Mrs Jennings commented on her super attitude when completing her times tables challenge each week. She is so proud of herself when she passes and her smile is heart-warming.

Grace is very confident, we often joke about her being the third adult in the classroom! She is very mature and articulates herself beautifully. Mrs Jennings is so grateful for Grace's contributions in school council. She contributes well in meetings and is great at organising events and is happy to talk in assembly.

Not only is Grace a super learner, she is also so incredibly kind. Grace can often be found helping out and supporting other Penguins in their learning and takes such good care of her friends. Her beautiful manners are never forgotten and something I know she is particularly proud of too. Grace can always be counted on to make the right decisions and is such a sensible and mature Penguin, she is always willing to lend a hand to the adults as well as her friends.

Grace, you have been such a superb Penguin. You really do show your Ryarsh School values everyday and you are an absolute pleasure to be around. I will certainly miss chatting with you, laughing with you, seeing you grow in your learning everyday and of course your hugs! Keep up your wonderfulness as you move into Year 3 and best of luck! You are a SUPERSTAR!

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**Signed - Class teacher**