

Ryarsh Primary School

RYARSH AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE

Taylor

Leopard Class

The person we have chosen for the Term 5 Excellence Award was a unanimous decision for the adults who are fortunate enough to work with him. For the duration of this term, he has been an excellent role model to his peers, consistently showing our Ryarsh school values throughout the school and his ongoing drive to develop his own growth mind-set in the process. He has continued to go above and beyond, with a positive attitude and a reflective nature.

It has been an absolute pleasure watching his confidence fly, not only in his learning but in his understanding of the world around him. Both in class and at home, he has become more independent, reflected well and listened carefully. Taylor has continued to work hard in all areas of his learning and has shown a particular interest in this terms English topic 'Refugees'. He has produced an excellent persuasive speech, thinking carefully about the purpose of his writing and carefully applying the skills required. During each lesson, Taylor's passion has been clear for all to see as he has continued to enthusiastically share his opinions with the class. But what has impressed me the most is his compassion, understanding and determination to make a difference.

His ability to infer, predict and make links across our core texts has been outstanding. Throughout our novel studies he has carefully considered what he has read and has provided some fantastic viewpoints to our class discussions. He is able to think that much deeper and consider those authorial choices and the impact that they might have on the reader.

He enjoys all aspects of his learning; he has shown that he can follow feedback and most importantly can share his opinions in a respectful manner. He is a team player. Keep up all of your hard work and that positive attitude Taylor – you are an absolute pleasure to have as part of Leopard Class. I look forward to seeing how you continue to grow and know that you will make a difference. We are all so proud of you.

Signed - Mrs McMulkin