

Ryarsh Primary School

RYARSH AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE

Ollie

Koala Class

It is always a difficult decision, after a year of working together to choose the final Excellence Award winner. There have been so many WOW! moments from everyone in Koala Class, but I am really delighted to award Ollie with our final Excellence Award. There have been so many wonderful moments throughout this term for Ollie and he has really stepped up to take responsibility for his own learning, and this is a great place to end year 4 and a fantastic place to start year 5.

It has been a pleasure to watch Ollie grow and mature into a very caring, hard-working young man. He is beginning to recognise his own capabilities and it is great to see him putting more effort into his work, not only because I am asking him to but because he wants to do it for himself. This improved work ethic is really great to see and something others aspire to do as well. He has enjoyed the challenges that have been thrown at him and this doesn't seem to phase him, as he keeps a smile on his face and that "Ollie" twinkle in his eye.

Ollie enjoys the challenge of his learning and has a positive attitude towards the work he is doing. He shows resilience in all areas of his learning and in maths he will often have his hand up, even if he is unsure the answer is correct. However, not only does he give things a go, he will also ask for help when he is finding something tricky. With his English, he has worked hard to improve his handwriting and I am proud of the effort that he is continuing to make with this. He recognises for himself that this is something he wants to work on next year. Well done Ollie.

In Koala Class, our buzz word is "honesty" and Ollie represents this every day, both in the classroom and outside with his friends in the playground. This is an amazing quality to have and something he should hold onto throughout his life. He is such a good friend to others and has a deep sense of fairness. He is considerate to how his friends are feeling and can be very protective of them.

Ollie, you have had a great year in Koala Class and you thoroughly deserve to have your efforts recognised by everyone. I am so proud of your achievements and the journey that you have been on. Well done Ollie, keep being you and keep working hard!

Mrs Crozier