

## **My End of Year Reflection July 2024**

Before I came to Cherry Tree my other school was loud and I was not able to focus on my work. The teachers were really nice and after I was able to get on with my work and was able to get 4 trophies and I was so proud of that! I became school council member and was voted for Deputy School Council Spokesperson to help one of the other children.

When I started Cherry Tree, I found it hard to answer the question of the day but I've got better at it and now I am answering them most of the time. I have found Cherry Tree school is a nice and calm place to learn. Emma and Soo are funny. I have learnt that even when things get tough that I can push through and see the bright side of things.

I have learned to talk about my feelings even if it is a little bit of a struggle. I have learned that it is okay to speak up and talk and the staff are helping me learn to talk about my struggles.

So I am thankful to all the staff because I have had a great first year at school and everyone is so happy when they walk through the door it is just nice to see.

I loved the end of year presentation because everyone was dressed up and it was really nice to see the other pupils getting their trophies. I loved the dancing and I got the spot of the new gardening lead.

There have been some cool activities that have happened over the school year like going to the zoo and that was really fun to see all the animals. I like all the times we've gone to the park, the Turner Centre that had a new exhibition on and the time we went to the beach and took the pictures of the seagulls and collected shells and sea glass was great fun.

And next school year I am excited because me, Emma and maybe some others may be going through Emma's metal detecting stuff with her. I am also looking forward to seeing everyone's smiles when I come back in September.

The main thing I am grateful for is that all of the staff and pupils are helpful and understanding of each other.