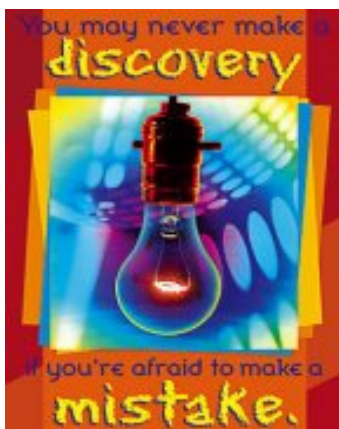


APRIL 2007 NEWSLETTER

Give your child a brighter future

Welcome. The third of six questions on our website, which students ask most about Kip McGrath, is: "Will it be hard?" Last month we highlighted how children can lose confidence at school, by comparing themselves with others. They may then develop beliefs like, 'I can't spell' or 'I can't do maths'. If that happens, many stop trying for fear of making a mistake; or even worse, stop asking for help, for fear of looking 'stupid' to their classmates.



This poster is in the centre's main room. In a supportive environment, students are encouraged to allow themselves mistakes, in order to understand a subject they may be struggling with.

March's **Merit Awards** go to one infant and one junior student; judged on a positive attitude, progress made in study and attendance.

Infant **Star Maaham**



Junior **Star Alex**



Dates for summer term are **Friday 13th April** to **Saturday 14th July**. The centre will remain open over the May half-term.

Success breeds success. Well done to the following students who have all made good progress at school: **Sally (A)**, for moving up a group in English, **Ben** for his A1 in spelling, **Fatima** for her Merit Certificate, **Anisa** for moving up a level in reading.

Kip Scholarship. We are adopting a scheme which has run successfully for many years in **Kip New Zealand**. Each term, from April, we are offering a scholarship to a different Chorley primary school. This entitles one student to a **full term's free tuition**. Our first scholarship student is **Jaymi-Lee** from **Coppull Primary School**.



Hilary presenting the Scholarship Award Certificate to Jaymi-Lee, watched by her mother and headteacher, Mrs Stallard.