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my
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Thara Rathinam – Y5M

Thara is one of Kensington Primary School's absolute superstars! We are so proud of her and think that everyone should hear what amazing progress she is making currently in year 5. Thara settled very quickly into upper key stage two and has been working very hard on building relationships with all of her peers and adults. She likes to engage in a range of interactions with her peers, answers questions and expresses her options verbally and with a visual if required. Thara has been working very hard on making good choices and making these known to adults; this is very new to her and we are all very impressed with how well this is working. By making good choices consistently Thara has been given more opportunities to explore independence during learning time and lunch time. It's been wonderful to see her sitting independently in the Lunch hall choosing her own food and regulating herself amongst all the hustle and bustle. She is becoming an expert in routine and likes to impress all of her adults throughout the day. Through her independence, Thara has begun to understand the importance of building meaningful relationships with other children; developing friendships with Ahmed and Tayeisha has been wonderful to see. Her interactions are becoming significantly more positive and it is no surprise that she is making so many friends given her lovely personality. Thara has become a key member of the class and her laugh brings a smile to everyone face.