



St. Mary's Church of England Primary and Nursery Academy Handsworth

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Dear Parents/Carers

Thought for the Week

"The Lord is near to all who call on him, to all who call on him in truth."
Psalms 145:18

Celebration Assembly

The following children will receive certificates for good work and behaviour in Celebration Assembly on Monday 15 September 2014. All Parents/Carers are welcome to attend. If Parents/Carers do attend could I please ask them to stay until the service finishes. This demonstrates to all the children that the entire service is valued by Parents/ Carers. Thank you for your support.

Nursery	Tamoy Cameron RW For recognising numbers to 50	Talhah Khan RM For excellent listening and following class rules
Arnav Balli Year 1 For independently completing his sentence work and using capital letters and full stops	Maisha Raima 1/2C For fantastic independent Maths work	Fatima Mohammed 2L For lovely work in English for display
Lynden Brayshaw-Stewart 3J For showing so much enthusiasm and working extremely hard when learning about 2D and 3D shapes	Hujaynah Asad 3/4S For showing enthusiasm and determination when learning new things this week	Syed Rahman 4B For starting off well and producing work of a high year 4 standard
Tania Mahandru 5B For excellent work in English lessons	Vishal Kalyana 5/6SS For producing work of a high standard for a visiting teacher	Crystal Joseph 6W For trying hard to understand challenging Maths problems

Kind and Thoughtful Person

The following children will receive the 'Kind and Thoughtful' certificate and care of a cuddly dog. The award will be presented in Celebration Assembly on Monday 15 September 2014. The lucky children will also have fruit and milk with Mrs Packer in her office.

KS1

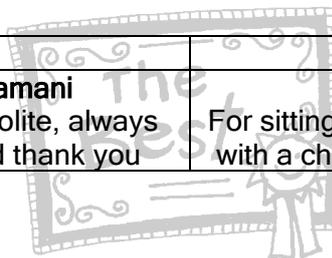
Mohaab Elsamani

For always being polite, always saying please and thank you

KS2

Molly Ewins

For sitting in the quiet area all week with a child who had hurt their foot



Weekly Certificates

Lining Up	Year 1
Spick and Span	RM
Movement Bird	5B
Attendance	Year 1
Dinnertime	Yummy Bear goes to 3J Runners up 2L

Dinner Supervisor Vacancies

We currently have 2 vacancies for dinner supervisors. If you would like to apply please collect an application form from the school office.

Free School Meals

Free school meal applications are now done online. If you are in receipt of any of the benefits listed below, please go to the web address www.link2ict.org/FSM.

- Income Support
- Income based Jobseekers Allowance
- Support under Part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- Child Tax Credit (provided you are not also entitled to Working Tax Credit and have an annual gross household income of no more than £16,190)
- The Guaranteed Element of State Pension Credit
- Income Related Employment and Support Allowance
- Working Tax Credit run on - paid for 4 weeks after you stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit

If you need any help or support please ask at the school office.

Courses - Message from Mrs Bains

It was lovely to see so many of our parents/carers turn up yesterday for the coffee morning! This was an opportunity for you to meet with someone from the Birmingham metropolitan College for an informal discussion regarding the free English and Maths Courses.

Please note the following starting date for courses:

Maths Course commencing Wednesday 17th Sept 9.00am - 12.00pm.

English Course commencing Monday 22nd Sept 9.00am-12.00pm.

They will be held in the school bungalow. Look forward to seeing you then!

Attendance and Punctuality

Please support us in continuing to improve our attendance and punctuality by encouraging your children to come to school and be on time every day.

Term Dates

Half Term	Children break up on Friday 24 October 2014 and return to school on Monday 3 November 2014
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Have a lovely weekend.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Ava Sturridge-Packer CBE
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