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## Thought for the week

### Remembrance

"If we don't end war, war will end us"

H.G.Wells

# Celebration Assembly

Newsletter No 09 11 November 2016

Dear Parents/Carers

### Photographs

The school photographer was in school yesterday. Please return orders to school following the instructions on the envelopes provided, if you wish to purchase prints.

### Remembrance

We held two minutes silence today during our special Remembrance assembly at 11.00am. We sang the National Anthem and laid a poppy wreath in remembrance of all of the service men and women and casualties of war, who have lost their lives. Thank you to everyone who has purchased a poppy.

### Anti-bullying week

Next week is anti-bullying week and whilst we regularly address bullying and promote kind and thoughtful acts, we will be looking specifically at anti-bullying activities in assemblies and in class. We will also be sending home an anti-bullying booklet that we have purchased for all of the children.

#### Parking Outside School reminder

Please can parents/carers park with care when dropping and collecting their children outside of school and park with respect for our neighbours and other parents. We have received a letter (attached) this week about unsafe driving and parking in the school vicinity. Please help us to keep our children safe.

The following children will receive certificates for good work and behaviour in Celebration Assembly on Monday 14 November 2016. All Parents/Carers are welcome to attend. If Parents/Carers do attend could I please ask them to stay until the assembly finishes. This demonstrates to all the children that the entire assembly is valued by Parents/ Carers. Thank you for your support.

<b>Taelon Nursery</b> For his excellent listening skills.	<b>L'Maiyo RW</b> For writing sentences about Jack and the Beanstalk.	<b>Haelee RB</b> For her conscientious attitude in all areas of her learning.
<b>Ebony 1M</b> For matching amounts of money.	<b>Abigail 1SW</b> For her independent English work.	<b>Tavaya 2F</b> For working hard to improve her writing skills.
<b>Ameer 2N</b> For improving his behaviour and standards in all subjects.	<b>Adam 3F</b> For working hard using known facts to do his addition.	<b>Raven 3J</b> For being confident when investigating and reasoning with number.
<b>Mussabe 4C</b> For looking to extend his learning maths (grid method).	<b>Bethan 4S</b> For demonstrating a good understanding of multiplication and division.	<b>Fatou 5W</b> For making a beautiful poppy and practicing her sewing skills at home.
	<b>Keiyla 5/6B</b> For always having a positive 'can-do' attitude towards Maths.	<b>Aimee 6JB</b> For excellent work in English.



## Kind and Thoughtful

### One of our anti-bullying strategies

The following children will receive the 'Kind and Thoughtful' certificate and care of a cuddly teddy bear. The award will be presented in Celebration Assembly on Monday 14 November 2016. The lucky children will also have fruit and milk with Mrs Booker in her office and swing on her chair.

<b>Saqqara 1M</b> For returning a poppy when she was given 2 by mistake.	<b>Tamoya 5W</b> For helping others with their sewing project.
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Our  
British Value  
this week  
is ;

The rule of law.

# Weekly certificates

These classes received their certificates in celebration assembly on Monday 7 November 2016.

Spick and Span	5W
Movement Bird	3J
Gymnastic Monkey	6JB
Attendance	1M 99.7%
Punctuality	3J no lates
Dinnertime	Yummy Bear 3J Runner Up 2F

## Mobile Phones Safeguarding reminder

For Health and Safety reasons can I please ask all parents/carers not to use their mobile phone within the school building.

Thank you for your support.

## 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.



## School Council - 'Children In Need Day'

The school council is raising funds for this charity. Please bring your donation of £1 and get your 'Onesies/Pyjamas' ready for next week **Friday 18<sup>th</sup> November!**

Remember you must wear full uniform to school in the morning but please bring your 'Onesies/Pyjamas' in a **named** carrier bag to school to get changed into later.

## Safety online reminder

Could parents please, please supervise children when using the internet at home either on the computer, mobile phone or any other electronic device that can access the internet. We are doing everything that we can in school to ensure that our children are safe and constantly remind the children about e-safety. Following the tips listed below will help your child stay safe online.

- Have family rules about how the internet will be used at home and be clear about what information is safe to share online
- Discuss rules about communicating online with friends
- Make sure you know what your children are doing online, much like you would in 'real' life and use parental controls (on computers, mobile phones and game consoles) to help you. Remember that these cannot always be 100% effective
- Make sure that your children are aware that people or websites can lie online
- Make sure your child understands that online actions can have offline consequences

# Term dates

## Have a great weekend !

Term dates	Children break up on <b>Friday 16 December 2016</b> and return to school on <b>Wednesday 4 January 2017</b>
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