



National Support School
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Thought for the week

Eid/Diwali

You are the light of the world. A city that is set on a hill cannot be hid.

Matthew 5:6

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Dear Parents/Carers

Photographer

The school photographer will be in school on Thursday 10th November. The photographer will only be taking photographs of children who attend this school. There will be photographs taken of siblings who attend St Mary's. Proofs will be sent home for you to consider if you wish to purchase prints.

Eid/Diwali Assembly

The children in 3J performed a lovely assembly about Eid and Diwali traditions. They performed to a high standard and helped us to learn about, and celebrate, Eid and Diwali.

Well done children!

No Smoking Site

Please can we remind parents that the school site is a no smoking zone. Discarded cigarette ends and packets have been found in the playground on several occasions. Please support us in this matter.

Parking in the Rectory Car Park

Can I please remind parents/carers that parking in the rectory car park is not allowed. It is private property therefore should not be used by parents/carers. Thank you for your continued support.

Celebration Assembly

The following children will receive certificates for good work and behaviour in Celebration Assembly on Monday 7 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.

Maelyse Nursery For making good progress in personal development.	Yasin RW For an improved attitude to his learning.	Ali RB For impressing us with his number knowledge, working hard to order his numbers 1-20.
Dante 1M For his super work on ordinal numbers in Maths.	Yusra 1SW For always working hard in all areas.	Muzammil 2F For good descriptive writing for 'The Dark'
Quiniah 2N For improving her concentration levels in every subject.	Ruth 3F For completing her number bonds in Maths with great understanding.	Whole Class 3J For supporting each other and performing a spectacular, first class Eid and Diwali assembly.
Suman 4C Amazing homework - out of this world!	Freya Mae 4S For working hard to understand and use the grid method for multiplication.	Luca 5W For excellent work in Maths.
	Lynden 5/6B For his consistency across the curriculum.	Hannah 6JB For excellent Black History work.



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 7 November 2016. The lucky children will also have fruit and milk with Mrs Booker in her office and swing on her chair.

Paige 1M

For helping other children to tie their laces.

Musaab 4C & Mahmood 5W

For handing in a phone to a teacher that they had found on the school grounds.

**Our
British Value
this week
is ;**

The rule of law.

Weekly certificates

These classes received their certificates in celebration assembly on Monday 31 October 2016.

Spick and Span	4S
Movement Bird	1SW
Gymnastic Monkey	3F
Attendance	6JB 99.3%
Punctuality	3 1 late
Dinnertime	Yummy Bear 1SW Runner Up 1M



Remembrance Day

Next week, on Friday 11th November at 11am, we will be holding our usual Armistice Day assembly in school. Children who belong to scouts, guides or cadets may wear their uniform to attend this service. As part of our assembly we shall be holding two minutes silence and singing the National Anthem.

The school council will be coming around every morning at approximately 9.45am after assembly if anyone wants to buy a **Remembrance Day Poppy for a donation of 50p or more.**



Children In Need Day

The school Council will also be raising funds for this Charity. 'Children In Need Day' is on **Friday 18th November 2016.** So get your Onesies/Pyjamas ready!

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

Term dates

Have a great weekend !

Term dates	Children break up on Friday 16 December 2016 and return to school on Wednesday 4 January 2017
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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.

Don't forget to follow us on twitter!

