



Through our Christian values of love, peace and hope we work together and play together to be the best we can be

Newsletter No 05 4 October 2019

Dear Parents/Carers

Thank you to everyone who sent in food for the Harvest Festival. We were really pleased with the huge amount of food parcels we were able to donate to Erdington Food Bank. I am sure that those who receive the parcels will be very grateful. 3W produced and performed a superb Harvest Festival Assembly on Thursday. It certainly made me thankful for our talented children. A big well done to all involved.

Our reception children have begun to settle and from next week they will be leaving parents/carers at the door. There will be staff on hand to assist them. Mrs Lee, our Office Manager, will be at the door as usual to take any urgent messages for staff.

Class 2S will be changing their outdoor PE lesson time from a Thursday afternoon to a Monday afternoon as from next week. Therefore their PE days will now be Monday & Tuesday. 3A will be changing their indoor PE to Tuesday afternoon and outdoor PE to Thursday morning. Therefore their PE days will now be Tuesday & Thursday. 3W will be changing outdoor PE to Wednesday afternoon. Therefore their PE lessons will now be Wednesday & Thursday.

I have been approached by a number of parents this week about dangerous parking outside of school. Please park carefully, legally and further away where possible in order to keep our children safe.

Have a safe and happy weekend.
God bless

Mrs Jo Booker

Our British Value
for the following week will be;

Democracy
Mutual respect and tolerance of those with different faiths and beliefs and for those without faith

Thought for the week
Courage
Be on your guard; stand firm in the faith; be courageous; be strong.
1 Corinthians 16:13

Kind and Thoughtful

One of our anti-bullying strategies

The following children will receive the 'Kind and Thoughtful' certificate and care of a cuddly dog. The award will be presented on **Friday 11 October 2019**. The lucky children will also have fruit and milk with Mrs Booker, in her office, and swing on her chair.

- Early Years/KS1:** Ummayah - RWS
Key Stage 2: Chau - 3A

Celebration Assembly

The following children will receive certificates for good work and behaviour in Celebration Assembly on **Friday 11 October 2019**. 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.

- Early Years**
Nursery - Meher, RJ - Iyhaana, RWS - Amariah-Jae
- Key Stage 1**
1H - Taylan, 1S - Rani, 2F - Joshua, 2S - Hassan
- Key Stage 2**
3A - Aviyah, 3W - Whole Class, 4B - Haleemah, 4M - Leah, 5H - Simran, 5SH - Ty'ella, 6S - Arjun, 6W - Arnav

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Parents evening

Due to our final increase in classes we are now going to hold two parents evenings. This is so everyone can fit in the hall and staff can be covered.

N, R, Y1 & Y2	Tuesday 22 October 2019	Hall
	2:30 - 6pm	
Y3, Y4, Y5 & Y6	Tuesday 15 October 2019	Hall
	2:30 - 6pm	

Term dates

	Children break up on
	Friday 25 October 2019
	and return to school on
	Monday 4 November 2019
Half term	

Message from Mrs Bains



Thank you to all of the children & parents who took part with raising funds for this charity by wearing Jeans to school on Friday 20th Sept 2019. You will be pleased to hear that we raised £290.00
Please visit jeansforgenes.org/getinspired for more information regarding this charity and the work they do with the money raised.



Thank you to all of you who attended our Coffee morning on Friday 27th Sept 2019 and donated money. We raised £122.00. A big thank you to our parents Sharan Dadwall, Penny Jones and ex parent Meena Lal!
Please visit www.macmillan.org.uk for more information regarding this charity and the work they do with the money raised.



Please look out for information on Remembrance Day also known as Armistice Day or Poppy Day.

Attendance & Punctuality

Please note our school doors open early for the children to come to school. **The doors are open at 8.45am.** The children can come straight into school. This will help us as well as you to get our children to school on time. The teachers can then mark the registers at 8.55am prompt.
Thank you for all your support.

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