

Friday, 7th May 2021

Dear Parents and Carers

Personal Development Goals



This week's personal development strength is **kindness**. We have been teaching the children the importance of being kind to themselves and showing genuine care for others. Please acknowledge and praise your child's kind deeds at home, and remind them that being kind is a choice.

We had a lovely '**Kindness Day**' in school on Tuesday where the children shared their kind deeds, learnt more about making kind choices and talked about what they planned to do at home to be kind; I hope you noticed a difference! Well done to the children who have taken home their **Kindness Bingo** cards; it has been great to see how many of the kind deeds have been ticked off at home and school.

Congratulations to the following children who have demonstrated their kindness this week:



Reception	Clara: for always being a really kind and helpful friend.
Year 1	Stanley: for ALWAYS being a kind member of the class and thinking of others
Year 2	Marley: for being a kind and considerate member of the class
Year 3	Ruby: for being a kind and polite member of Class 3
Year 4	Poppie: for making a lovely 'kindness postcard' for a friend
Year 5	Isaac: for being kind and considerate to children and staff
Year 6	Krasimir: for settling into our class and working hard



Reading Newsletter

Mrs Bennett has sent out this month's reading newsletter which I hope you received earlier in the week. There are a couple of key points which I would like to draw your attention to regarding your child's reading at home.

Firstly, a reminder that we are expecting all children to be reading each weekday night (and once over the weekend); recommended timings are included in the newsletter. Secondly, reading record sheets will be given out on Mondays and these should be used to make a note of book titles and pages read. We would really appreciate your help in keeping these up to date. Finally, we believe that a strong home-school partnership, where reading for pleasure is promoted, will support your child's fluency and enjoyment. If you have any questions about your child's reading, please let us know and we will do our best to support you.



READING CHAMPIONS



Class 1 Jessica	Class 2 Kaiden	Class 3 Louie	Class 4 Alex P
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Parent Governor Vacancy

Don't forget that nominations close for the Parent Governor vacancy on **10/5/2021**. It is really important that the parents of the school are fully represented on the Governing Board, so don't miss this opportunity to get involved in the decision making and improvement of your child's school. I look forward to receiving your nomination forms!

Wildcats Girls' Football Club

We have been asked by the Football Performance Academy to share this flyer with you. Sessions at the Wildcats Football Club will start on **Friday, 14th May**. If your child is interested in taking part, further information is provided on the flyer.

Information from Citizens Advice, Halton

Citizens Advice, Halton is launching a new project called GROW (Getting Ready for Opportunities and Work). Training and taster sessions are available to you in the coming months and the information leaflets are being sent out to you alongside your emailed copy of this week's newsletter.

I hope you all have a lovely weekend. Many thanks for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

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