



NEWSLETTER

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1st December 2023

Headteacher Comment

We are looking forward to lots of festive activities over the coming weeks so that our children can take part in a variety of fun, Christmas events. Our Santa Vs Elf Day takes place on Friday 8th December. Pupils can come dressed in either Santa (Red) or Elf (Green) colours to show which team they are on and bring selection boxes, chocolate or biscuits to donate to our Christmas Fair. These donations are used for our tombola and raffle prizes. The parent council has been busy organising the Christmas Fair which will be held after school on Thursday 21st December – everyone welcome! Throughout the Santa Vs Elf day, the children will face challenges and the winning team will be announced at the end of the day.

On Friday 15th December children can wear their Christmas jumpers for Christmas dinner day. On Monday 18th December our EYFS children will be performing in their nativity play. This never fails to encompass everyone in the spirit of Christmas! All classes will get the chance to see a pantomime in school on Tues 19th December as part of our enrichment curriculum. Children in Y1 and Y2 will perform a Christmas assembly on Wed 20th December. Mr Fox will be taking the school choir to perform festive songs and carols at Four Oaks Care Home and they will also entertain us at the school fair. Finally, we will finish the term with children in KS2 (Y3-Y6) singing Christmas songs in a performance to parents. Parents are also invited to join us for the EYFS nativity play and Y1/Y2 Christmas assembly.





Class	Academic	Value	Golden
NAM	Luca Gaunt	Imogen Ward	Callum Burgess
REC	Oscar Gill	Lyla Herd	Theodore Keddie
RGJ	Paisley Blake	Amara Nightingale	Harry Escobar
1KK	Brody Towse	Luke Gormley	Tyler-Jason Harden
1KT	Jenson Abram	Harry Bates	Lirellah Jackson
2AD	Isla-Rose Cunningham	Bonnie-Mae Gamble	Lyla Harbidge
2HW	Oscar West	Nuria Braz Nore	Isla-Rose Hogan
3CT	Maxwell Lomas	Isabella McVety	Logan Partington
3LP	Leo Lawrenson	Talia Koufa	Lily-Mae Whitehead
4AF	Sabrina NG	Lillie Cochrane	Ebony Jones
4CW	Betsey Graham	Yasmin Williamson	Olly Baker
5SI	Jack Wilson	Sadie Bell	Ella Ramsden
6CB	Dexter English	Keenan Lomas	Hajera Zahed
6SJ	Kaycee-Leigh Brough	Lincoln Graham	Jessica Lowther
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Mrs Wright and Miss Thorbjornsen met with the Year 6 Reading Ambassadors to tell them about an exciting project that we are going to take part in. The children will form a judging panel for the Royal Society's Young People's Book Prize 2023, we have been given a set of books that we have to read and then judge which book we think is the best. The even better news is that we get to keep the books and so these will be available for children to read throughout the school.

REMINDER = Please can I remind parents to raise any issues directly with the class teacher in the first instance.

Teachers will pass on any further queries to the relevant members of the Senior Leadership Team. We are happy to help to resolve any questions or concerns. Please remember that teachers are in class teaching the children throughout the day so will follow up with you at the earliest opportunity after that.

> Many Thanks Miss Edwards.



WELL DONE

TO THIS WEEKS **ATTENDANCE** WINNERS

KS2 - 4CW & 3CT

K\$1 - 1KK

EYFS - NAM

RECEPTION SEPTEMBER 2024 = We are currently accepting admissions for Sept 2024 Reception class places. Please apply through the Trafford School Admissions website. The closing date for admissions is January 15th 2024.

NURSERY AVAILABILITY = We are currently accepting admissions for Nursery places for both January 2024 starters and April 2024 starters. Please collect admission forms from the school office. Full time or part time places are available.

September 2024 Reception Places

The application process is open to secure a place in our Reception class in

You can apply for their school place via Starting School the Trafford Admissions website.

Or you can call the Trafford School
Admissions Team for more information 0161 912 5007

Reminder:

School starts

promptly at

8.45am.

Please

ensure your

child does

not miss

registration

and they are

in school on

time.

All applications must be received by Trafford before the 15th January 2024





Please don't forget your child's coat as it is now getting colder. Please ensure vour child's name is in all items of uniform.

Challenge: Can you demonstrate this week's school value together at home?

Aspiration: A strong, hope, wish or desire to achieve something

Have you read to one of your siblings or have you let them read to you?

- · Have you completed some extra homework?
- · Have you learnt to do something new together?
 - Did you exercise together at home?
- Did you find out something new and share it with a family member?
- Have you beaten a target that you set? (completed your chores, earnt pocket money, got enough points/stickers on a reward chart?)



We would love to see any photos showing this value at home

so, we could share them in school!

URGENT = Please can we ask that parents do not shout/talk to children through the fence during lunchtime or playtime periods as this is causing a safeguarding issue. We cannot have unknown or unsupervised adults talking to children through the fence during the school day. If there are any personal issues that the school may not be aware of, we are happy to deal with this if you contact the main office or the class teacher directly.

Upcoming School Events

- 7/12/23 Y1 Trip to Norton Priory
 - 8/12/23 Santa V Elf Day
- 15/12/23 Christmas Dinner & Christmas Jumper Day
 - 18/12/23 EYFS Nativity
- 19/12/23 Christmas Pantomime (for the children)
 - 20/12/23 KS1 Performance 9.15am & 2.30pm
 - 21/12/23 Christmas Fair 3.30pm 5.00pm
 - 22/12/23 KS2 Carol Concert
 - 22/12/23 Finish at 1.30pm

Attendance Week Ending

1.12.2023		
R	94.0%	
Year 1	98.3%	
Year 2	93.9%	
Year 3	93.3%	
Year 4	94.9%	
Year 5	95.7%	
Year 6	91.8%	
Whole School (weekly)	94.7%	
Whole School (Sept to	94.2%	

Target 97%

