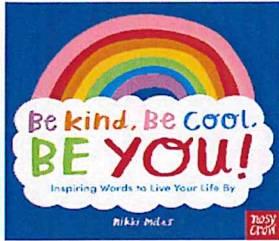


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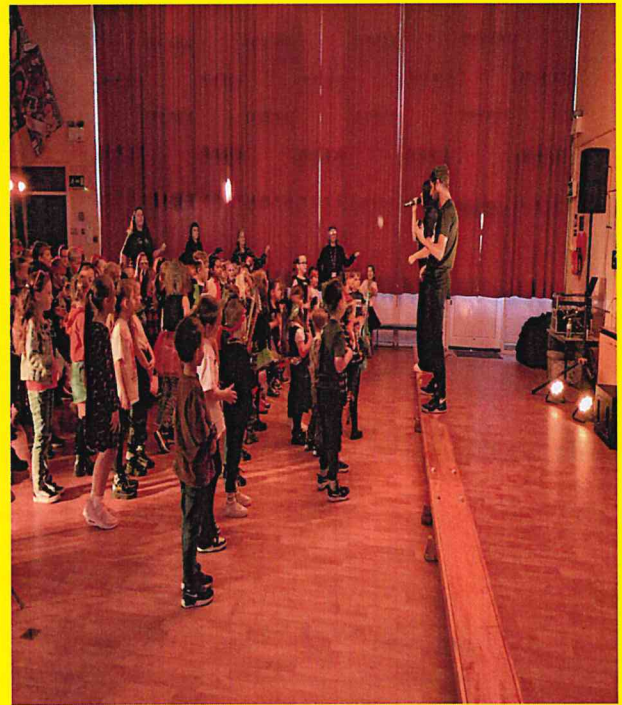
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Keep Peace

## Welcome back

I hope you all had a great half-term holiday. Children have returned to school brilliantly and have shown a great commitment to learning! Before the half-term break, the children enjoyed our fabulous Rock Kidz Day. This was part of our personal development offer to the children and I know this will be a day they will remember for a long time. The Rock Kidz team focused on reminding the children that they are all AMAZING in different ways and giving them the message 'You are awesome, so be awesome'. You can see from the photographs how much fun it was!



**A BIG thank you to the PTFA who helped to fund this experience!**

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## Phonics workshops for parents/carers

Children must develop a good phonological understanding to become confident readers. We would like to invite parents/carers into school to observe a phonics lesson alongside your children. It will give you a good idea of how we deliver the lessons and helpful tips on how to support your children at home. We hope that you can attend the sessions. Dates are as follows:

**Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> November 3:00pm – Y1 parents/carers**

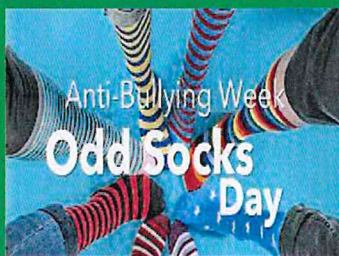
**Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> November 3:00pm – Rec parents/carers**

**Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> November 3:00pm – Y2 parents/carers**

## Next week

As part of anti-bullying week, we are asking the children to wear odd socks to school on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> November.

We will also be supporting Children in Need on Friday 17<sup>th</sup> November. We will be having a non-uniform day for a £1 donation and the theme will be 'SPOTacular'. You can send your donation into school or donate via the following link <https://donate.bbcchildreninneed.co.uk/>



### **Weekly Attendance Awards** Week commencing 6<sup>th</sup> November 2023

|           |       |
|-----------|-------|
| Reception | 94.7% |
| Y1        | 93.7% |
| Y2        | 95.3% |

|    |       |
|----|-------|
| Y3 | 97%   |
| Y4 | 91%   |
| Y5 | 93.3% |
| Y6 | 95.3% |

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**Well done to all our merit winners this week!**

|           | Merit 1  | Merit 2  | Values Merit  |
|-----------|--|--|---|
| Reception | Jessica for some super explanations in maths.  | Bobbie-Lee for working hard and showing pride in her phonics learning.   | Ishe for always being kinds and polite to others.   |
| Year 1    | Theo for his amazing half term reading! He read every day in the holidays, some days he read twice!                        | Niamh for putting lots of effort into her tasks this week and thinking carefully about her work.                     | Nyla for showing kindness to others and being a good friend.  |
| Year 2    | Theo for excellent counting back in maths to help with subtraction.  | Bethany for her lovely fluent reading.   | Freddie for being an excellent role model and always well behaved.  |
| Year 3    | Harry for bringing so much enthusiasm to our maths lessons!  | Reuben for his sensible and mature attitude towards learning.  | McKenzie for always being a brilliant helper and looking after all of the teachers in Y3!                                 |
| Year 4    | Olivia R for having beautiful manners and always being one of the first to offer help and assistance around the classroom. | Victoria for coming into class calmly and quietly after play time and lunch time. She is always ready to learn.      | Charlie for having a brilliant first week as a new student in our school. Charlie has shown that he is able to work hard. |
| Year 5    | Cole for always giving 100% and making thoughtful comments during discussions.   | Joshua for always trying hard in all he does and doing everything with a big smile, making the rest of us smile too. | Chris who always Gives Thanks. He has the most amazing manners and is always kind to those around him.                    |
| Year 6    | Ava for persevering with short division.   | Theo for being a positive and valued member of his class.  | Libby for trying to be a good friend and role model.  |

## DIARY DATES

Please find below information dates for the term ahead.

| Date  | Event  |
|---|--|
| Monday 13 <sup>th</sup> November                  | Parents Evening                                  |
| Monday 13 <sup>th</sup> November                  | Wear odd socks day (Anti Bullying week)          |
| Tuesday 14 <sup>th</sup> November                 | STEM Day Y5                                      |
| Wednesday 15 <sup>th</sup> November 1:30pm-2:30pm | Y6 Trip to Church (Remembrance Service)          |
| Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> November                  | Children in need day – own clothes day           |
| Sunday 26 <sup>th</sup> November                  | Choir singing at Tunza Christmas Markets         |
| Monday 27 <sup>th</sup> November                  | New parent tour 9:30 am (Call school to book on) |
| Tuesday 28 <sup>th</sup> November 3pm             | Y1 Phonics Parent Workshop                       |
| Wednesday 29 <sup>th</sup> November 3pm           | Rec Phonics Parent Workshop                      |
| Wednesday 29 <sup>th</sup> November               | Y2 Trip – World of Glass                         |
| Thursday 30 <sup>th</sup> November 3pm            | Y2 Phonics Parent Workshop                       |
| Friday 1 <sup>st</sup> December                   | Non uniform day (Raffle Prizes)                  |
| Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> December                   | Y2 Trip to Church                                |
| Tuesday 5 <sup>th</sup> December                  | Y5 Trip to Church                                |
| Thursday 7 <sup>th</sup> December 9:30 am         | EYFS Christmas Show                              |
| Thursday 7 <sup>th</sup> December                 | HMRC Workshops for Y3-Y6                         |
| Thursday 7 <sup>th</sup> December 6pm             | Choir performing at Church                       |
| Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> December                   | Y1 Trip to Church                                |
| Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> December                   | Non uniform day (bring chocolate/bottle)         |
| Tuesday 12 <sup>th</sup> December 9:30am          | Y1/Y2 Christmas Show                             |
| Wednesday 13 <sup>th</sup> December               | Christmas Dinner Day/Wear a Christmas Headband   |
| Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup> December 3:30pm         | PTFA Christmas Event                             |
| Monday 18 <sup>th</sup> December 8am              | Breakfast with Santa                             |
| Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup> December 3pm             | KS2 Christmas Cracker                            |
| Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> December 2pm              | Last day of term                                 |
| Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> January                    | INSET DAY  |
| Tuesday 9 <sup>th</sup> January                   | Start of Spring Term                             |



Big congratulations to Keisha in Y6!  
17 inches of hair cut off and going to The Little Princess Trust to help make wigs for children with cancer AND £1070 raised for the NSPCC.

Well done Keisha, we are all so proud of you.

*Congratulations!*



### Planning to run Christmas craft activities for children?

FREE Creative Inspirations workshop to give you practical ideas for fun low-cost activities!

Monday 27<sup>th</sup> November

9.30am – 12pm

at the Park Road Centre, WA9 1HE



Contact us on the details below to book your place!

Free places available for people aged 15+ living in the St Helens/Liverpool city region area

Would you know what to do in a First Aid Emergency?



FREE 1 day Emergency First Aid training for volunteers and members of community groups and charities

Places available:

Friday 24<sup>th</sup> November and Friday 1<sup>st</sup> December

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# School Nurse Drop In Session



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Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> November 9am – 10:00am

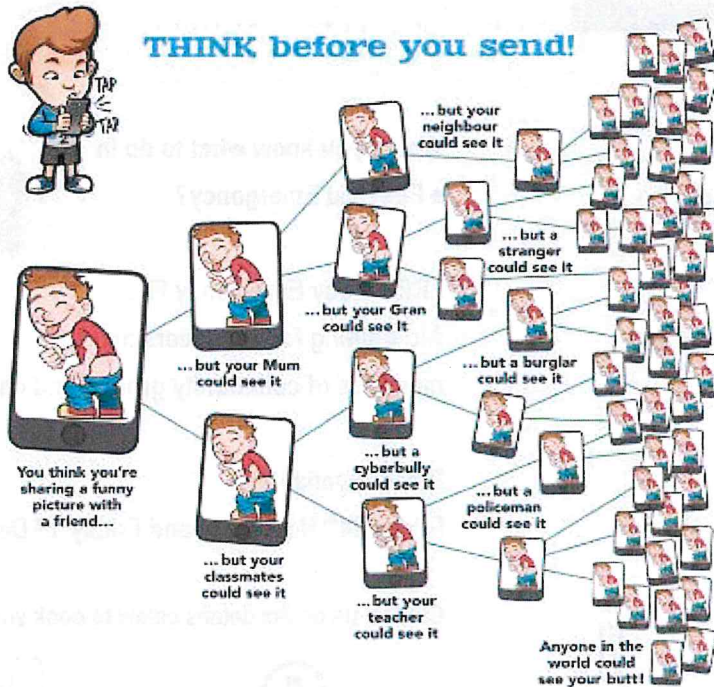
Do you have concerns about your child's health and wellbeing?  
Need advice and support?

Drop In and see if we can help or signpost you on.

## Skips Safety Net

Keeping children safe online

### Parent Guides to Online Safety



scan the QR code with your phone's camera for Parent Guides on how to help keep your children safe online



### If you share it, you are involved

If you have, or forward an indecent image of someone under 18, it is a criminal offence. It can affect your future.

Online safety is when young people know who they can tell if they feel upset by something that has happened online.

Parents please contact your school to enquire attending their next e-safety workshop or have any concerns.

Working with Home Office 'PREVENT', The Police and Crime Commissioner and Children's Safeguarding Partnerships to help keep children safe online.

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