



Dear Children and Parents,

School has been alive this week with the sound of learning. It is finally beginning to feel like we are getting back to normal and children are settling back into school routines.

#### Healthy snack

A polite reminder around our school Healthy Eating policy:

The school supports and raises awareness for the importance of a healthy lifestyle. A central theme of this curriculum area is the children's understanding about healthy living and how to care for themselves. The school appreciates the support of parents in their healthy lifestyle strategy. We have a whole school policy and all work together to be healthier. We request parents and carers help us in the following ways:-

- We ask that children do NOT bring sweets, biscuits, confectionery or sugary drinks to school.
- We encourage fruit or vegetables at break time and NOT crisps.
- Promote Healthy Lunchboxes – we will be conducting a review with parents in the coming weeks around suitable packed lunches.
- Fizzy drinks are NOT allowed in school.
- Chewing gum is NOT allowed in school.

Thank you for your support in this matter.

#### Opening evening

We will be holding an Open Evening for prospective new parents on Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> October 2021 4pm to 6:30pm.

There will be an opportunity to have a tour of the school, speak to school staff and visit the EYFS provision. Primarily, this evening is for children due to begin Reception in September 2022 but spaces will be made available for parents of children in year groups where we have spaces.

To make this event as secure as possible, we ask interested parties to contact the school office and arrange a half hour slot for the visit on 0161 770 5752.

#### New school applications

This week, we have sent out information to parents of nursery and Year 6 children around applying for new schools for the next academic year. The applications windows for both Reception and High School are now open and we encourage parents to apply early to avoid missing the deadlines, which are: 31<sup>st</sup> October for High School and 15<sup>th</sup> January for Reception. If you require any further information please contact the school office.

#### Class Superstar

Our wonderful children have spent the week nominating their peers for the Class Superstar award for acts of kindness or being excellent role models.

Our Class Superstars were:

Year 1 – Ellie

Year 2 – Eve

Year 3 – Isabella

Year 4 – Ava-Jade

Year 5 – Tabatha

Year 6 – Eloise

#### Pupil of the Week

Our Pupils of the Week have been recognised by staff for going above and beyond in demonstrating the 3Rs in school this week. They will be bringing home the affirmation book to share with their families. Congratulations!

Year 1 – Maddison

Year 2 – Reva

Year 3 – Llana

Year 4 – Joe

Year 5 – Archie

Year 6 – Natalia

Have a lovely weekend everyone.

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Head Teacher