

Friday 18<sup>th</sup> October 2024

## Message from our Headteacher

Dear Parents/Guardians,

The last week has been full of events and opportunities, and I am so proud of our whole school community. Last week saw our first Harvest Festival celebration and it was fantastic to welcome the many parents and family members who came to join us. Our children spoke and sang beautifully and we were able to donate a huge amount of food to our chosen charity the Welcome Centre.

We also had lots of parents join us for our first class assembly which was presented by Ambition Class. They showcased all the work they have done this half term and despite being nervous did a fantastic job. Everyone was very impressed!

It was also good to see so many of you attending parents evening last night. Thank you for the huge amount of positive feedback we received. We appreciate it very much.

All these events rely on our wonderful staff going the extra mile to organise, practise and give up their own time in order for them to be successful. It is a privilege to work with such a dedicated team.

We hope next week, the last week of half term will be just as successful despite being slightly less eventful. Wishing you all a good weekend.

Miss Horsbrough



## Reminders

**Half term:** We break up for the half term holiday for one week and will not be open from Monday 28<sup>th</sup> October – Friday 1<sup>st</sup> November

**October Half Term Trip to Trafford Centre:** Monday 28<sup>th</sup> October 8.45am in car park

**Flu Vaccinations:** Wednesday 27th November. Please make sure you have completed the online consent form for your child. Any questions, please ask the office.

**Family Learning Morning:** Date to be confirmed.



## Harvest Festival

What a wonderful Harvest Festival celebration we had last week. Thank you to the children and teachers for creating a wonderful assembly and for all your kind donations. The Welcome Centre have collected everything today and are bowled over by your generosity.

## September

### Proud Awards

Last week's winners are ...

**Proud Pupil of the Week:**

Shine - Fatima Awarish

Inspire – Gia Cunliffe

Harmony – Abdul Awarish

Ambition – Elodie Clarke

**4 R's Award:**

Inspire – whole class

**Attendance Award:** Ambition

**Least Lates Award:** Star and Shine

**DOJO Award:** Ambition

This week's winners are ...

**Proud Pupil of the Week:**

Shine - Xavier Patrice

Inspire – Prynness Xia Bedeau-Simpson

Harmony – Emily Beattie-Smith

Ambition – Lana Tiernan

**4 R's Award:**

Ambition – whole class

**Attendance Award:** Ambition

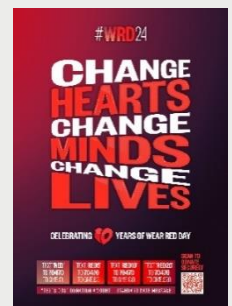
**Least Lates Award:** Shine

**DOJO Award:** Shine and Harmony

**This week's overall attendance: 95.90%**

### Wear Red Day

Our school showed racism the red card and celebrated the 10<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Wear Red today. The children and staff came to school in our own clothes and red items to raise awareness to this worthy cause.



### Attendance Policy

You will soon be receiving a letter explaining our attendance policy and procedure. It is of vital importance to your child's learning and development that they attend school every day and arrive on time so that they are ready to learn.

### October half term trip

We have spaces left on our trip to the Trafford Centre on Monday 28<sup>th</sup> October. Please register your interest with the office. It is £7.00 per adult and £3.00 per child and children must be accompanied at all times. There are many family activities available at the Trafford Centre – please see their website for more information and to book any activities.

# Inspire Class Trip

Class Inspire had a wonderful trip to Cannon Hall Art Gallery. Here are some photos from their day...



# Wraparound Price Increase

Due to rising costs, we have had to increase our wraparound care prices by 50p per session. This means Breakfast Club is now £3.00 and After School Club is now £8.00.

# Speech Stars



- From storytelling to vocabulary development, our friendly facilitator will guide you through a range of fun and engaging activities to try at home
- Ideal for **parents, carers, grandparents and other family members** with lots of opportunities to share your experiences and ask questions.
- Discover **practical ideas** to fit into everyday routines that will **nurture communication skills** for all children along the way!
- Sessions cover **language development** and **general ideas** to promote listening skills, turn taking, sentence building and vocabulary as well as specific information about **supporting children with speech, language and communication difficulties**.

At: **John Smith's Stadium, Huddersfield, HD1 6PG**

- You are invited to attend all 4 sessions on:
- Tuesday 15th October 10-1pm
  - Tuesday 22nd October 10-1pm
  - Tuesday 5th November 10-1pm
  - Tuesday 12th November 10-1pm

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