



St. Mark's CE Primary School

Friday 4th October 2024

Message from Mrs Sadler

Dear Parents and Carers,
 First of all, we would like to say a huge congratulations to all of the Year 6 children who have been successful in their applications for the positions of Head Boy, Head Girl and Prefects. On the next page of this newsletter, you can see all the children who now have important positions of responsibility across the school. Well done to them all, we look forward to seeing them flourish in their contributions within school. Secondly, we would now like to offer parents/carers/relatives the opportunity to contribute to the school's development too. We have our first **Parent Forum meeting next Friday (11th October), 2-3pm**. We will hold one of these meetings once every half term, this is a great chance for parents to join myself and Mrs Goodwin for refreshments, to discuss development plans for the school, and for us to listen to questions, concerns and suggestions raised by members of the school community. We hope you can join us!

Best wishes,
 Mrs Sadler

Worship this half term:

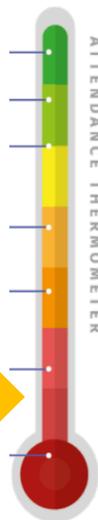
This half term we will be exploring the school value of **responsibility**. We would love to share prayers written by the children linked to this value!

Wednesday 6th November – Parents' Evening

Save the date!
 Information will be sent out soon for you to book an appointment with your child's class teacher. We really hope to see you all for this useful opportunity.

Attendance

We are looking for our whole school attendance to be **96% or better**.
Our whole school attendance is 93.2%. We need every child to come into school every day – come on St. Mark's we can do it!



Golden Jumper

Well done to all the children who have received awards. We are proud of your hard work. Keep it up!

- Nursery – Salahuddin,
- Rainbows – Veen,
- Sunshines – Anaiza,
- 1H – Amen,
- 1W – Fabian,
- 2C – Arsal, 2T – Tayyibah,
- 3A – Kiara, 3C – Parham,
- 4C – Abdul, 4W – Adam,
- 5J – Hiba, 5O – Helen,
- 6B – Ayaan, 6K – Lenka,

Good Samaritan

The following children were awarded 'Good Samaritan' awards last week for their kindness to others. Well done we are really proud of you all!

- Nursery – Jannat (Bear)
- Reception – Amal (Rainbows)
- Year 1 – Tatiana (1H)
- Year 2 – Ibraheem (2C)
- Year 3 – Azaan (3A)
- Year 4 – Miruna (4W)
- Year 5 – Lanwe (5O)
- Year 6 – Madena (6B)



Diary Dates

- Friday 11th October: 2-3pm: Parent Forum
- Monday 28th October – Friday 1st November: Half Term Break
- Monday 4th November: INSET Day (school closed)
- Tuesday 5th November: School re-opens
- Wednesday 6th November: Parents' Evening (more details to follow)
- Friday 8th November: School Photographs
- Friday 20th December: INSET Day (school closed)
- Monday 23rd December – Friday 3rd January: Christmas Holiday
- Monday 6th January: School re-opens



Birthdays this week:

- Michelle (7), Abroo (8), Lenka (11), Raudah (7), Gursimranjit (5), Mustafa (8), Lano (5), Moiz (9), Muhammad (6), Urwa (7), Patrick (8), Simona (4)
- Mrs Razaq

Pupil Leadership Team

Congratulations to the Year 6 pupils below who now have positions of responsibility across the school!

Head Boy: Zi-Han

Head Girl: Salimata

Prefects:

Amna A

Ronya

Aimen

Aleena

Mahdiya

Mariam

Arsima

Subhana

Hanniya

Lenka

Usman

Rovan

Hasnan

Affan

Team Point Monitors: Ibrahim and Inayah

Computer Monitors: Sahil and Marnie

Thank you to all of the children who applied for these positions. We had some excellent applications and it has been a very hard decision!