

NEWSLETTER



Spring
Term
22.03.2024

Dear Parents / Carers,

I hope the last newsletter of this term finds you well.

We would like to say a massive 'thank you' to everyone in our school community who supports school on a daily basis. Such as our fantastic toast makers, to the Friends of Sacred Heart team who have worked tirelessly this term to deliver fundraising events, to our dedicated group of school governors. Many thanks!

Thank you for the parental support at mass yesterday in school and to those families who came to mass last Sunday at St. Richard's Church. Both services were extremely well supported.

As yet, we have no news from Miss Worrall regarding the arrival of her baby, so please keep her in your thoughts and prayers.

Apologies that we had to cancel the Y6 Parent SATs meeting on Wednesday. Hopefully, any questions or queries you may have can be found in the PowerPoint sent on Wednesday or in the DfE guide shared with parents last Thursday (14th March).

Please note, Assessments for children in Year 1 - Year 5 take place throughout June. Accompanying this newsletter are these assessment dates and the Summer Term Assemblies and masses.

Wishing you all a restful holiday.

Happy Easter

Pastoral Support Assistant Vacancy

We are recruiting for a Pastoral Support Assistant, which is a new role in school. For more information please see the job advert and feel free to share with anyone who might be interested - <https://www.greater.jobs/search-and-apply/job-details/WG-91049/>

Hindsford Day Nursery 20th Anniversary:

On Thursday 4th April, Hindsford Day Nursery is 20 years old. Many of our pupils, past and present, have joined our school from the nursery and we have very close links with them. We would like to say a huge congratulations on this milestone to Mrs Foster and all their staff.

Sunset After School Club Summer Timetable

This week, the summer term after school club timetable was sent out via ParentMail. Please check this for any changes, in particular Mr Sawyer's KS1 and Y3 football club moving to Tuesdays. Mrs Woodward will also be running a Percussion Club for KS2 children on Mondays that you will need to book for please.

Snack for Summer Term

If you would like your son or daughter to receive school snack at morning break in summer term, please ensure that you have made a payment by Tuesday 9th April. The cost is £13.60 for the term.

AWARDS

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Reception

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| Golden Ticket | Harrison | Making his Easter card and painting with excitement. |
| Golden Ticket | Hidaya | Really enjoying drawing club and thinking of a great disguise for the farmer in Farmer Duck. |
| Golden Ticket | Lewis | Enjoying our farm visit and being able to recall the life cycle of a chicken. |
| Reading Champ | Piotr | Well done for completing your weekly reading tasks. |
| Respect | Savannah | Savannah shows respect to all teachers and children. She is a great friend and displayed all our character strengths when playing with other children from Hindsford school. Well done! |

Year One

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| Golden Ticket | Emily | Writing fantastic sentences using exclamation marks and question marks this week. |
| Golden Ticket | Freya | Making great progress with her reading. She is developing her fluency and confidence. |
| Golden Ticket | Jonty | Really trying with his handwriting. He's now writing smaller and taking pride in his presentation. |
| Reading Champ | Viktoria | Well done for completing your weekly reading tasks. |
| Resilience | Amelie | Amelie did not give up when she found a new concept in maths challenging this week. She took advice and applied it to her maths work. Well done Amelie. |

Year Two

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| Golden Ticket | Leo | Great work counting in 5s in maths. |
| Golden Ticket | Natalie | Always trying her very best in her sports lessons. |
| Golden Ticket | Toluwani | Great progress with his writing and for using accurate punctuation in his sentences. |
| Reading Champ | Adrielle | Well done for completing your weekly reading tasks. |
| Empathy | Sophia | Sophia has such a lovely, kind nature and always thinks about the feelings of others. |

Year Three

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| Golden Ticket | Alfie | Excellent work in RE, using the scripture to support his responses. |
| Golden Ticket | Brody | Demonstrating on the board how to read a measuring scale. |
| Golden Ticket | Summer | Accurate retrieval of facts about whales using our novel to support her learning. |
| Reading Champ | Jacob | Well done for completing your weekly reading tasks. |
| Resilience | Harry | Harry has really tried hard to give his best during all challenges presented. He has worked hard and never given up. |

Year Four

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| Golden Ticket | Ethan | Good work when adding fractions. |
| Golden Ticket | Lottie | Amazing expression when reading. |
| Golden Ticket | Nancie | Beautifully presented work. |
| Reading Champ | Myles | Well done for completing your weekly reading tasks. |
| Resilience | Scarlett | Scarlett is now pushing herself to keep on going when she finds tasks tricky. She has recently demonstrated this skill during the dance competition and her school work. |

Year Five

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| Golden Ticket | Jason C-K | Relating his responses to scripture in R.E. |
| Golden Ticket | Vincci | Making connections between maths concepts when multiplying fractions by an integer. |
| Reading Champ | Jesse | Well done for completing your weekly reading tasks. |
| Empathy | Vinnie | Vinnie always pays attention and recognises when someone is in need of his support and friendship. |

Year Six

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| Golden Ticket | Clara | Writing a detailed description including using the passive voice. |
| Golden Ticket | Niamh | Consistently achieving excellent scores in arithmetic. |
| Golden Ticket | Ubaida | A fantastic attitude when working independently. |
| Reading Champ | Harry | Well done for completing your weekly reading tasks. |
| Communication | Jake | Jake is becoming increasingly confident when explaining his arithmetic and reasoning to the whole class. |