

# St. Aidan's Catholic Primary School Weekly Bulletin

## Message from Mrs Teer

Thank you to everyone who came to the Year 2 drop in, it was lovely to have parent and carers at the book tasting session.

A huge well done to both the girls and boys football teams who have played this week.

I have loved spending more time with Reception in the KS1 yard at lunchtimes. They have been building dens, creating their own obstacle courses and using the stage.

Mr. Smith did a lovely assembly on diversity to celebrate Black History Month.

Well done to Mason, Nimrit, Thea and Maisie for receiving a rainbow badge this week.

Have a lovely weekend.

Mrs. Teer

## Messages for parents/carers

No children should be on the yard before 8.30 am. Staff are still driving into the car park until this time and the number of children in the staff car park before this time is becoming a health and safety risk. Sunshine Club is available for anyone who needs to drop their children off earlier.

Booking for parent/carer consultations closes on Friday 25<sup>th</sup> October – please make your appointment on ParentMail if you haven't already done so.

## St. Aidan's Stars



### Our Stars this week were nominated for:

- ☺ Having a fantastic week, following class rules
- ☺ Super independent writing of CVC words by applying sounds learned
- ☺ Persevering with a task, even though it was tricky
- ☺ Being a total superstar and applying herself to every task well
- ☺ Extra effort in learning, especially Maths
- ☺ For using a variety of interesting paragraph openers and sentence starters in her tour guide of Madrid.

## St. Aidan's Saints



**Our focuses for this week were Tolerance and Respect. Please ask your child why they received their Saint award this week.**



## Class News

**Seedlings:** This week we have been learning about being good friends. We have talked about how to be a good friend in nursery!

**Saplings:** As part of our diversity topic, Reception have been talking about how we are all different and that it is okay. The children started off some interesting discussion around differences and created some wonderful self portraits to show that we all like different things.

**Sycamores:** This week we have been using greater than, less than and equal to in Maths and talking about people who care for us in RE.

**Poplars:** Fantastic writing this week! We have been writing different types of sentences about Mo Farah. Can't wait for next week to see our biographies.

**Maples:** We have delved further into our diversity topic in reading. This week they have learned about 4 inspirational African-American women who overcame barriers to become instrumental in the NASA space race.

**Elms:** Year 4 have been excellent tour guides this week and have written some fabulous guides about What to do in Madrid.

**Hawthorns:** Year 5 have begun to write some brilliant biographies about Serena Williams, including her achievements and why she is an inspirational person.

**Chestnuts:** This week, year 6 have excelled in maths, solving problems linked to the four operations. We've also loved learning all about Pele in preparation for writing our biographies.

## Weekly Attendance

**Saplings – 89.33%**  
**Sycamores – 95.00%**  
**Poplars – 97.33%**  
**Maples – 94.84%**  
**Elms – 98.71%**  
**Hawthorns – 99.35%**  
**Chestnuts – 99.33%**

## Coming up w/c 14/10/24

Tuesday – Year 5 and 6  
Class Mass @ 9.15am

Wednesday – Sycamore  
Drop-In @ 9.05am

Friday – non uniform day –  
please bring in a chocolate  
donation if you can

Friday – Year 6 Assembly,  
@ 9.00am.

Friday - School closes for  
Half Term