



The Messenger

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Dear Parents/Carers,

The weeks are rapidly going by as we head into the autumn months with all of the children settled now into new routines. I must congratulate all of you also regarding this and the current situation, as our Attendance figure is still very good. 97% and 96% were recorded over the past two weeks which shows little difference from before lockdown. The current Cheshire East average is 94% so a great effort all round.

Thank you also for protecting our community in wearing face coverings at drop off and collection times starting this week. It's a stark reminder of the times we currently face but in keeping the 2m and wearing a face covering as we come into the school grounds, this shows the efforts you are all making here. It is much appreciated.

A special notice as well for the fundraiser for Macmillan we carried out last Friday. A grand total of **£286** was raised for the charity which is excellent for this charity we support each year. Thank you to Ms. Dickenson for making this happen. The children had a great time, guessing the number of sprinkles, especially those that ended up winning the caterpillar cake! I hope they shared it! 😊

Have a great weekend and stay safe.

E J Byrne.



Sunday Mass will be in church this week, and **NOT** at school in the playground. **NB numbers are still restricted.**



PE UNIFORM

School t-shirt and shorts
navy/black leggings
plain navy blue hoodie/tracksuit top (or even school jumper)



Star of the Week and Kindness Award winners

Certificates shared for last week (25.9) and this week were awarded to:

	Star of the Week		Kindness Award	
Pre School	Finlay Jones	Liliana Wierzbicka	Elijah Voce	Frankie Schirmer
Reception	Eoin McCann	Georgia Skellam	Frances Turner	Harper Roberson
Year 1	Finn McCann	Jemimah Horne	Nyah Luxford	Cillian Byrne
Year 2	Arabella Brown	Oscar Schirmer	Isa-Millie Humphreys	Veera Odedra
Year 3	Tobias Hare	Rafie Gray	Harry Gibbons	Charlie Skellam
Year 4	Darcie Turner	Thia Ledger	Bertie Spencer	Oscar Gilford Harry Fox
Year 5	Norah Machin	Olivia Cantrell	Felicity Atkinson Eleanor Smith	Elizabeth Brooks
Year 6	Noah Padania	Lucas Sena	Sithuli Kirimetiya	Lily Bradbury

Well done everyone!

Keeping Everyone Safe: We are doing our utmost (as everyone is) to try and make things safe and as smooth as possible at entering the site at entrance and exit times. This does mean that congestion of adults can build up outside of the gates waiting, on surrounding pavements and areas. Please be considerate of all, ensuring we are not blocking any pavements and surrounding areas as families enter and exit the site. Thank you for your understanding.



KS2 Snack We encourage children to bring a healthy snack into school for break-time. Easy suggestions include...

- Fruit
- vegetable sticks
- dried fruit



ASM will be providing a half-term 'Festival of Sport' for those interested. Check out their website for more detail.

<https://asmsports.co.uk/holiday-clubs/>