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**Friday 26<sup>th</sup> October 2023**

**This Half Term's Value: Respect**

### 'Phrases of Faith'

**Luke 6:31:** And as you wish that others would do to you, do so to them.



Dear Parents,

Welcome to this week's newsletter, as we reach the end of the first half of the Autumn term. It is hard to believe that we are approaching the month of November! I would like to take this opportunity to commend all the children for their hard work, particularly in the area of reading which has been our focus curriculum area this half term.

I am delighted to announce that as a reward for their exceptional reading efforts, the following children will each receive a £10 book token:

- Moreton Say Winner: Izzy in Year 5, who has read an impressive 735,655 words!
- Adderley Winners: Ioannis in Year 6, who has read 43,316 words, and Martha in Year 1, who has reached the milestone of 1,000 words.

Well done to our Accelerated Reader champions! It is wonderful to see the dedication and enthusiasm they have shown towards reading.

I would like to remind all parents that Accelerated Reader can also be accessed from home using the passwords provided by your child's class teacher. This gives your child the opportunity to maintain their reading progress outside of school hours.

I must also mention the progress made by our emerging young readers in Lawley class at Moreton Say and Chestnut class in Adderley. It is a joy to witness their transition from sounding out to blending, as they begin to develop into readers. We are proud of their achievements and know that they will continue to flourish.

As we approach the half-term break, I would like to wish everyone a restful and enjoyable time off. We look forward to welcoming you all back in November, refreshed and ready for the countdown to Christmas.

With all best wishes,

Mrs S. Henney





## Important Dates and INFORMATION

### **NOVEMBER**

Monday 6 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Return to school</b> Lego Club, 3.15pm – 4.15pm
Tuesday 7 <sup>th</sup>	Archery Club, 3.15pm – 4.15pm
Thursday 9 <sup>th</sup>	Young Voices Choir 8.15am – 8.45am PE for Oak and Chestnut Class Fencing Club, 3.15pm – 4.15pm
Friday 10 <sup>th</sup>	Forest School for Willow and Chestnut Class
Monday 13 <sup>th</sup>	Lego Club, 3.15pm – 4.15pm
Tuesday 14 <sup>th</sup>	Archery Club, 3.15pm – 4.15pm
Thursday 16 <sup>th</sup>	Young Voices Choir 8.15am – 8.45am Remembrance Service at Adderley Church, 2.30pm
	<b>NO PE</b> <b>NO FENCING CLUB</b>
Friday 17 <sup>th</sup>	Children in Need Forest School for Willow and Chestnut Class

### **FUTURE DATES**

Thursday 30 <sup>th</sup> November	Pantomime at Festival Drayton - Rumpelstiltskin
Thursday 7 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas Jumper Day
Monday 11 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas Concert, 2.30pm and 5.30pm - TBC
Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas Church Service at Adderley Church, 2.30pm





## Attendance



This week's winners are Oak Class! Well done!

<u>Class</u>	<u>This week ...</u>	<u>Previous week ....</u>
Chestnut	88.33%	90.00%
Oak	94.55%	100%
Whole School	92.51%	95.47%

**Star of the Week:** Hudson - for being really sensible and playing beautifully with his friends.

**Respect Badge, Chestnut Class-** Oliva - For always showing respect to her friends, adults and classmates.

## After School Clubs

After school clubs available next half term are:

Monday	Lego Club	£3.50 per session
Tuesday	Archery Club	£3.50 per session
Thursday	Young Voices Choir	Free
Thursday	Fencing Club	£3.50 per session

***Please book via School Spider.***

## **Shropshire Music service Live Music concert- Monday 6<sup>th</sup> November.**

We are very lucky to have a visit from Shropshire Music Service on Monday 6<sup>th</sup> November. This exciting event will take place at Moreton Say village hall and will include live folk music and music from around the world.

We ask that parents drop their child/ren off at Moreton Say School at 8.45am, where they will be greeted by Miss Archer and Mrs Jones. After the concert, children will travel by coach back to school. **Please note – this event is the first Monday back after half term.**

A huge thank you to Mrs Vaughan who has very kindly organised this event, to further enrich our Music curriculum.





## **Young Voices Choir Club**

About 33 children are coming along to Young Voices Choir Club across Adderley and Moreton Say schools. We start bright and early at Adderley with an early morning sing followed by a lunchtime club at Moreton Say and ending the day with another club at 3.15 to 4.15. These clubs are free, open to all but should be a must for children who are going to Young Voices in January 2024 in Birmingham.

So far, we have enjoyed learning songs from 'Matilda'. We've also been working on the dance moves for 'Moana' and a mix of songs about walking lead by the leader of the dance troupe 'Urban Strides'

Please keep a look out on the school website over the next few weeks for the songs to be posted and for an individual code which will be sent to parents of children who come to the club. This will allow you access to the Young Voices Music Room which has backing tracks, lyrics and dance moves for you to try at home. Meanwhile for the tracks you can go on Spotify and look for Young Voices 2024. We hope you enjoy singing with your child and sharing the songs with your family.

## **Music Mark**



You may have noticed that we have another logo on our letters.

We are very proud to have been awarded the Music Mark this term. This was the message from Shropshire Music Service who recommended us for the award. 'Congratulations! Shropshire Music Service would like to celebrate the value that you place on music in your school by inviting you to become a Music Mark School. Music Mark is the UK Association for Music Education, championing and supporting access to music for all children and young people. Music Mark works to support and enable the music education sector to deliver high-quality musical and social outcomes for all children and young people. On behalf of Music Mark and from us Shropshire Music Service, we would like to thank you for all the hard work your school does to support this collective vision.'

The teachers are now able to sign up to use all the amazing resources that Music Mark offer and we're all looking forward to using them at school.

## **Remembrance Service**

On the Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> November 2023, we would like to invite parents and carers to join us for a very special remembrance service. The service will take place at St Peters Church Adderley at 2.30pm and will be led by Reverend Martin. The children will also be performing songs, reading poetry, and leading prayers of remembrance. We hope you can join us.





### **PTA Meeting**

We would like to invite all parents and carers to join us for a PTA meeting on Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> November. The meeting will be held in the GP room from 2.30pm. At this meeting we will start to think about organising events such as Carols around the Campfire, the village hall lights switch on and other exciting experiences for our children. These events really wouldn't be possible if it wasn't for the hard work and dedication of our PTA members. If you feel you would like to get involved, any support would be greatly appreciated. We hope to see you there!

### **Anti-bullying week – Monday 13th November**

On the week beginning the 13<sup>th</sup> November, the children will be 'making some noise against bullying' to support national antibullying week. We are asking all children to come to school on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> November in odd socks to help celebrate our differences. During the week we will be taking part in activities and workshops designed to help us come together to have discussions about what we mean by bullying behaviour, how we can tell the difference between 'banter' and bullying and how we can make changes to reduce bullying.

### **Children in need – Friday 17th November**

We are planning lots of exciting fundraising activities ready for Children in Need. On Friday 17<sup>th</sup> November we are inviting everyone to come into school in something yellow, spotty or just comfy for a donation of £1. During the day they will be holding different events and competitions to suit everyone. There will also be a special worship to teach us about the importance of helping each other and where our Children in Need donations are going.

Activities include:

- Non-Uniform £1
- Biscuit decorating at break 50p
- Guess how many spots-20p
- Colouring competition- 20p
- Loose change to fill Pudsey





## Secondary School Applications

If your child is transferring to secondary school in 2024, please ensure you submit your online application by **31<sup>st</sup> October**. Any applications received after the closing date will be classed as late.

## Music Lessons After Half Term

If any children are interested in learning to play the piano or violin, please contact Naomi Newman via this link – [www.naomifnewman.co.uk/register.html](http://www.naomifnewman.co.uk/register.html). These lessons will take place on a Monday afternoon during school time. The cost of these lessons is £12.50 for a 20-minute session. If you have any problems with this link, please call into the school office.

If your child/ren is interested in learning the guitar after half term, please book via School Spider. The cost for the half term will be £43.35

## Reading News

It has been wonderful to see reading records being completed at home to show just how much many of us are reading outside of the classroom, too many merits have been given out to the children in celebration of this. Thank you to those of you who have shown your support in this.

Children have also been awarded certificates for taking comprehension quizzes based on the books they have read and here are their amazing achievements.

A super well done to Yannis, who has been gifted a ten-pound book voucher reading 43,316 words! I wonder how many words you can read next half term?!

## Ready Readers (1000 words +)

Sebastian

Martha

Elliot

Tom

Summer

## Independent Readers (5000 words +)

Harley R

## Rising Readers (10,000 words +)

Jessica

Yannis





# October Half Term

## at

### Fordhall Organic Farm

#### Home Ed on the Farm\*

Thurs 2nd Nov, 10am-12pm & 1pm-3pm, suitable for ages 5-12 (children must be accompanied by an adult), £10 per child.

We are excited to offer our first publicly available session for Home Educated families. Let the outdoors be your classroom with fun farm activities and forest school style woodland fun!



#### Wendy's 'Wicked' Wildlife

Weds 1st & Thurs 2nd Nov, 10am-2pm, FREE - just drop in!

Stop by the Community Garden to learn all about autumn wildlife with a Halloween twist...join in with mask making, apple bobbing, sticky spider webs, creating apple bird feeders and even bug eating!

**Weds only:** join in with cooking 'Pitta Pizzas' outdoors! £2pp (cash only please).



#### Tree-mendous Farm Fun\*

Fri 3rd Nov, 10:30am & 1:30pm slots available, all ages welcome (children must be accompanied by an adult), FREE to access!

Help to support our Silvopasture tree planting project by cutting and planting willow in the bog. This will support livestock and wildlife. Wellies and outdoor clothes are a must as this is a very muddy activity!

**Book now as spaces are limited!**



**\*Must be pre-booked, please call 01630 638 696**

Fordhall Organic Farm, Market Drayton, TF9 3PS

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Booking Form - <https://forms.office.com/r/04Kr2kHxaB>





- *Would you like to know more about why sleep is important for our health and emotional well-being?*
- *Does your child struggle with their sleep?*
- *Would you like to access support to help improve sleep and bedtime routines?*
- *Would you like to meet other parents/carers to share and discuss experiences?*

## **SLEEP TIGHT WORKSHOP**

The workshops are delivered virtually via MS Teams or face to face at a venue in Shrewsbury. All you need for the virtual groups is an email address and an electronic device, and we will talk you through the rest.

Our workshops run for 5 weeks from the start date excluding the School Holidays.

**Starts on Friday 12<sup>th</sup> January 2024 from 09.30am to 11.30am**  
**in Shrewsbury, venue to be confirmed.**

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To book a place on one of our workshops or for further information on the workshops we run please contact the Parenting Team by:

Emailing [Parenting.team@shropshire.gov.uk](mailto:Parenting.team@shropshire.gov.uk)

Or call us on 01743 250950

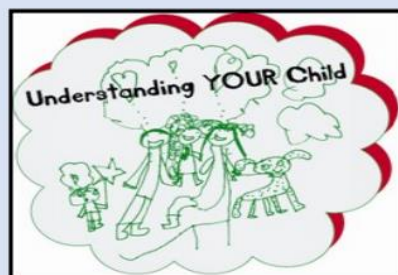


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- Would you like to know more about your child's development?
- Do you need support to understand your child's behaviour?
- Would you like a chance to meet with other parents and carers?



## UNDERSTANDING YOUR CHILD GROUPS

The groups are delivered Virtually via MS Teams or Face to Face at a venue in Shropshire.  
All you need for the virtual groups is an email address and an electronic device, and we will talk you through the rest.

SEND groups are for parents/carers of children who might have special educational needs and disabilities.  
No formal diagnosis is needed.

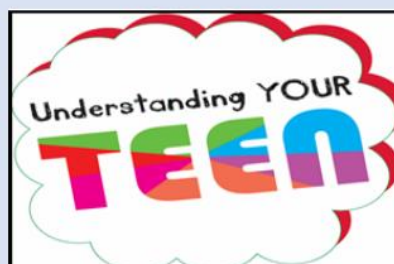
**Understanding Your Child SEND starts on Monday 15<sup>th</sup> January 2024 until 18<sup>th</sup> March 2024  
from 12.30pm to 2.30pm in Shrewsbury, venue to be confirmed.**

**Understanding Your Child starts Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> January 2024 until 20<sup>th</sup> March 2024  
from 9.30am to 11.30am Virtually via MS Teams**

**Understanding Your Child SEND starts on Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> January 2024 until 21<sup>st</sup> March 2024  
From 12.30pm to 2.30pm Virtually via MS Teams**

There are no sessions during the school holidays.

To book a place on one of our groups or for further information on the groups we run please contact the Parenting Team by:  
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