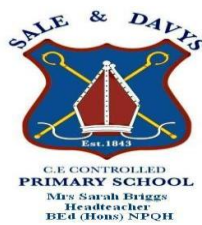


"I am able to do all things by  
the one who strengthens me"

Philippians 4:13  
Lexham English Bible



Growing, Believing, Succeeding

Newsletter

8<sup>th</sup> November 2024

Dear Parents/Carers,

### **This week's Awards**

This week's Headteacher Award goes to: Bella (Griffon), Amelia (Trent), Oscar (Dart), Ava (Merlin)

The excellent Behaviour Award goes to: Iyla (Griffon)

Excellent Writer Award goes to: Isaac (Trent)

Excellent Maths Award goes to: Alex (Griffon)

### **Safeguarding- Anti-Bullying Week**

Next week the children will be made aware of bullying and how to get help. At Sale and Davys we use the acronym S.T.O.P (Several Times On Purpose) to define bullying. Cases of bullying at Sale and Davys are very rare but it is important that as a school we remain vigilant and deal with incidents quickly and effectively. Children are educated on how to spot the signs, how to get help and how to help others who might be being bullied. For more information please visit safeguarding on our website.

### **Sickness**

If your child is sick please ring the school office on each day of sickness before 9am. If we do not receive a phone call our policy states that we have to record the absence as unauthorised.

Christmas Dinner

If your child normally has a packed lunch they are invited to have a Christmas dinner on December 18<sup>th</sup>.

The cost is £3.25. Please return the slip by Monday 11<sup>th</sup> November. Thank you.

### **PTA Fundraising**

Thank you to the PTA who raised an amazing £949.31 at the Fashion Show on 25<sup>th</sup> October. Thank you to all the parents and staff who attended this event.

### **Children In Need**

Children In Need will be taking place next Friday on November 15<sup>th</sup>. The children are invited to wear non-uniform or to wear a tee shirt that they have designed themselves for a £1.00 donation. There will also be a cake sale. Please see the separate letter for more information. We are looking forward to having lots of fun!

### **Parent Questionnaire**

Thank you to all the parents who completed the questionnaire at Parents' Evening. The results are extremely positive and we will be sharing these with you shortly. As a school we always strive to improve and we value your comments. After the last questionnaire we introduced class newsletters so that parents are more informed of what their children will be learning during the year. If any parent wants more in depth knowledge of what their child is learning then please visit our school website and look at our [curriculum pages](#). Here you can see knowledge progression grids and key vocabulary for every subject

### **Holidays in term time**

The government has issued new statutory regulations on holidays in term time. You will still be fined if you take your child on holiday in term time. The amount of the fine has increased to £180 per parent per child. Parents who take children on holiday for a third time during term time will automatically be referred to the Magistrates court.

### **School uniform**

Please ensure that your child wears the correct school uniform. The summer uniform can be worn up to half term. After half term children should wear their **winter uniform**. Waterproof winter coats should be brought to school every day. Thank you for your support with this.

*Sarah Briggs*

