

## **A Note from the Headteacher...**

I would like to say a very warm welcome to our new Nursery and Reception children. They have settled in very well over the last 2 weeks and it's lovely to see them skipping into school so confidently already.

Everyone else has had a busy 2 weeks working hard to impress their new teachers and enjoying their new curriculum themes.

As a school we are still using Class Dojos as a reward scheme but you are no longer able to communicate with staff using this system. If you wish to speak to your child's teacher you can see them in person at the end of the school day as you collect your child. Alternatively you can email the school office and the message will be forwarded on to them.

Clubs are up and running and it is lovely to see so many of our children take advantage of these sessions. I would like to thank the staff who give up their time after school to provide the children with additional opportunities to learn new skills.

There are still places available in Hockey club for Y5 and Y6 on a Tuesday after school. A school team is going to be selected from this club.

### **Headteacher's Award Winners**

A huge well done to the children who have been chosen to receive our new Headteacher's Award by their class teacher. These children are invited to attend a tea party in my office to celebrate their achievement. Well Done!

Week beginning 10th September 2018

1B Bryan

1R Madonna

2J Eshaal

2W Anas

3F Tek

3D Muhammed

4B Zakariah

4M Kevin

5C Ahmed

5R Shukib

6F Khaled

6P Leo

Week beginning 17th September 2018

1B Sameena

1R Haseeb

2J Umar

2W Kalid

3F Breera

3D Jayden

4B Betina

4M Abdullah

5C Darcie

5R Lucy

6F Sadiya

6P Masihah

## Harvest List

### Tinned Food Packet / Jar Food Puddings

Tinned Food	Packet / Jar Food	Puddings
Soups	Rice	Tinned
Puddings		
Minced Beef	Instant Noodles	Angel Delight
Stewing Steak	Microwave Rice	Custard
Tinned Curry	Instant Mash	Evaporated Milk
Corned Beef	Pasta Sauce	Jellies
Tinned Ham	Curry Sauce	Jam
Meat Pies	Tomato Sauce	Tinned Fruit (any)
Tinned Chicken	Brown sauce	UHT Long Life Milk
Tuna	Tomato Puree	Coffee (small)
Baked Beans	Gravy	Fruit Juice

Vegetables

Vegetable Oil (small)

Instant Hot Chocolate

Chick Peas

Toiletries

Sugar (small)

Tomatoes

Shampoo

Biscuits

Potatoes

Shower Gel

Sweets /

Chocolates

## **School Council**

Our new School Council Members for 2018 are:

1R Fatima

1R Sienna

1B Sophie

1B Mustafa

2J Amina

2J Alfie

2W Lolita

2W Alexandra

3F Aaliyah

3D Ifadat

4M Halima

4B Eimaad

5R Bardia

5C Saarah

6F Mia

6P Zainab

We are looking forward to a successful year of thinking of ways to make St Matthews even better.

## **Well Done Khadijah!**

I got my medal for completing the sponsored Bubbles race to raise money for the Bolton Hospice.

I had to overcome all sorts of obstacles such as:

Four feet high bubbles; Soggy mud; Grass and bridges.

It was hard work but because I was raising money for such a good cause, I knew I had to carry on.





**Nursery**

### ***This week in Nursery we are:-***

- *Going on a walk to the forest school with binoculars*
- *Taking photographs of the things we see outside and inside*
- *Listening to 'There's a House Inside my Mummy' and 'I see' and talking about our families*
- *Painting handprints using a range of colours*
- *Building houses together using large wooden blocks and duplo*

## **Parking**

Please can we remind parents to be mindful of where they park when dropping off and collecting children and please be respectful of our neighbours.

## **SEN**

Mrs Khan will be available on Tuesday mornings from 9:00 am - 9:30 am.



# Library

Don't forget that our library is open to all pupils and parents every Monday and Wednesday from 3:00 pm till 3:30 pm.

Miss Kay