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Hadith of the Week

The Prophet Muhammad ﷺ said:

"It is prohibited for a Muslim to frighten another Muslim."

(Source: Bukhari)

Teaching of the week: We should not frighten or bully others with our words and actions, even jokingly.

Faithful Stars Homework

This week's homework is on the theme of **Looking After Our Neighbours**.

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Attendance

This week's attendance has fallen to **94%**. Well done to Year 4 and Year 6 who had the highest attendance this week. Attendance was particularly poor in Reception, Year 1, 3 and 5. Our attendance on *Friday* was just **93%**. Please be aware that even though school is open for only half a day on *Fridays*, your child still covers their daily English and Maths lesson. If your child misses this day, they automatically develop a gap in their learning. It is the responsibility of all parents to ensure that their child(ren) is in school every day and on time.

Year Group	% Present
Reception	91%
Year 1	94%
Year 2	95%
Year 3	93%
Year 4	97%
Year 5	94%
Year 6	97%
Overall	94%

Parent Governor Vacancy

We have three candidates for the parent governor role. Every child received a ballot paper with accompanying envelope today. Parents will not be able to get a replacement copy of ballot paper if lost, so please keep them safe. Please read the instructions carefully. Once completed, please return it to the office by **Friday 4th November 2022**.

All three candidates will be invited to count the votes once the deadline has passed and an announcement of who has been elected will be made thereafter.

After School Clubs

There are no longer spaces in any clubs, please avoid calling the school to check if spaces are now available as all spaces have been allocated.

Open Evening for New Reception

Our annual Open Evening for new Reception 23-24 parents will be held on **Thursday 17th November 2022, 5:00-6:30pm**. The application window for new reception in September 2023 is now open and closes on **15th January 2023**.

Message from Principal (Mr. Mirza)

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Assalamu alaikum (peace be with you).

I am shocked and saddened to say that once again, despite multiple reminders, over a dozen cars belonging to parents blocked the entire entrance to the Church on Friday afternoon. There was a physical and verbal altercation between parents (who were parking illegally) and the Church security staff resulting in three Police cars with 7-8 Police officers arriving at the scene and moving our parents on.

There has never been a time that I have been more embarrassed and ashamed by the behaviour of our parents than this incident. I will be writing to all parents shortly.

Seerah Week

Next week is Seerah Week where will help pupils to develop a love for our beloved Prophet Muhammad (SAW). The following activities will be taking place:

1. Sunnah Food Day (Wednesday 19-10-22):

Sunnah food will be served, and the menu will be as follows: meat curry and rice, honey cake, dates, cucumber, olive oil with bread and olives.

2. Writing/Speech competition (Deadline 20-10-22):

200 words on the following title: 'My life as a Young British Muslim & how The Prophet ﷺ has inspired me'. Pupil with winning entries will be asked to read out their piece of writing in the form of a speech.

3. Million Salawat Challenge (keep a count on daily basis)

Pupils have been asked to read as many Salawaats as possible and keep a count. Each child needs to read at least 100 Salawaat to meet the whole school target.

4. Who Wants to be a Janataire (quiz during assembly)

Seerah quizzes will take place during assemblies.

5. Dress like a Prophet ﷺ / Sahaba Day (Friday 21-10-22):

Pupils will be asked to wear a clean preferably white garment and will be allowed to wear attar or nice fragrance. They will give a short speech in their classes about importance of cleanliness and how our Prophet ﷺ always kept Himself ﷻ clean and presentable.

6. Super Seerah Spirituality Day (Friday 21-10-22):

Pupils will display and celebrate all their hard work (written/Art work) in the PE Hall. Parents are invited to come and see the exhibition from 11:45 onwards.

7. Super Sadaqah Day (every day throughout the week):

Collection of items for the Food bank

8. Daily reminders Sunnah by teachers/SLT

9. Listening to daily Nasheeds

Free School Meals (FSM) Vouchers

Free School Meals (FSM) vouchers will be issued next week for the amount of £15 per child which will cover the half term holidays.