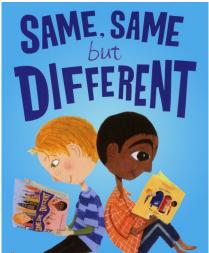


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National Anti-Bullying Week: Theme 'One Kind Word'

This week we join the national campaign to teach children in an age appropriate way what bullying is and how we all have to take a stand against it. Children will be taking part in many activities, discussions and lessons about how we need to value every unique person for who they are. That we have many differences but are all people and deserve fairness, kindness and equality.

On **Monday** we invite children and staff (and family members) to wear **odd socks to school** with their school uniform. This simple activity reminds us that they are all socks and serve the same purpose but each is

different and unique! Much like us!

We will also be sending home anti-bullying guidance and resources for parents and carers so that we can work together to keep every child safe from the harmful effects bullying and celebrate difference! **One Kind Word** also reminds us of the healing power of **kindness!**



Name	Class	Stars of the Week w/b 8th Nov
Jacob Crump	RB	Fabulous writing
Esme Copson	RW	Super writing
William Morris	1J	Super hard work with his writing
Ellie Titchen	1B	Fantastic writing about Thomas Edison and Lewis Latmire!
Isabella Davies	2S	For excellent ideas for writing
Bella Yapp	2M	For super reading at home and in school
Taylor Kenwrick	3M	For excellent use and application of his reading skills
Maryann Hallissey	3N	Designing a beautiful book cover of Cinderella
Olly Gillett	4M	For a superb drawing of Mr Tumnus
Violet Copson	4C	For her super discussion points during the Anglo-Saxon workshop
Lillie-mae Burne	5W	For working hard throughout maths and now showing a deeper understanding
Olivia Wyatt	5CS	For working on reading and interpreting line graphs
Mujtaba Shoaib	6Sm	Fantastic and thoughtful responses in reading lessons
Josh Roberts	6Sp	Superb instruction following in the DT lesson
Erin Edinborough Macie Bennett Oliver Dugdale Jae Hinton & Jack Newell	School Sport Stars	Super effort during Kidderminster Harriers football lesson For great imagination whilst dancing For super athletic skills For outstanding progress in gymnastics
Reggie Halion Art Club	School Artists	For a super detailed drawing of a lamp For creating beautiful poppies
Bailey Doherty	Extreme Reader	Getting into the habit of reading his own choice of book at bedtime

Staff News: We welcomed Mrs Chamberlain back from maternity leave last week and on Monday Mrs **Boulter** starts her maternity leave. Mrs Rackliff will now teach full time in class 1B and Mrs Chamberlain will work in Reception at the start of the week and Years 1 and 4 on Wednesdays. I am sure you will join me in wishing Mr and Mrs Boulter all the best and we look forward to sharing their news with you when their baby arrives. Mrs Boulter met with all of Year 2 to talk about babies and birth as part of their science curriculum and the children were all excited to learn more about the human life cycle.



Inspire, Nurture & Achieve

Our Christian value this half term is:





This week the children really enjoyed the visit from **M & M Theatre Company** for **Beauty and the Beast.** It was a fantastic production—lively, fun, full of happiness, songs and laughter but also with a serious message behind the story. **Thank you** to the many families who helped support this by making a voluntary contribution of £3. If you haven't been able to do this yet we would still be very grateful. If you are unable to afford £3 per child but could give a little less that is also gratefully received.

It helps us provide fantastic and inspiring events in school in financially challenging times. We held a whole school Remembrance Assembly where we learnt about and remembered the men, women and animals who gave their lives in war. Check out an amazing film 'We Will Remember' made by our Year 6 children on Twitter @StBPrimWorcs via the website. It is beautiful, creative and all the children's own words and work.





PTA Friends Keep the date! Next events:

Christmas Jumper Sale: Friday 19th November School Hall 2.30– 3.45pm

This brilliant idea will give families an opportunity to buy a pre-loved Christmas jumper for £1. Many sizes available. They already have a lot of great jumpers but do please donate any clean, pre-loved Christmas jumpers of any age/size to the Friends via the office or one of the PTA members.

Bags 2 School Tuesday 23rd November
Please see the website for items that can be
donated: www.bags2school.com. Collection at 9.00
a.m. that day so please drop all donations first thing
to the Y2 outside area

School Disco: Friday 10th December

4.30-5.30 pm Reception-Year 3 6-7 pm Years 4-6

£2.50 a ticket to include entry & drinks. Tuck shop available. All children must be collected by a responsible adult after the disco.



Keep the Date!



National Anti-Bullying Week 'One Kind Word' Monday 15-Friday 19th November.
Wear Odd Socks to school- Monday 15th
Nov. Anti-Bullying Parent guides will be sent home next week



Friday 19th Nov-BBC Children In Need Appeal: School Council have asked us all to Wear something spotty to school on Friday and bring a donation— no amount too small.



PTA Bags to School Tuesday 23rd November— please see www.bags2school.com for items accepted. All funds raised are spent on our pupils.

Christmas Dates in next week's Newsletter