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Dear Parents / Carers,

Congratulations to:

Gold Star Children this week who are:

<u>Reception</u>: Alfie for working hard to recognise and write book character names.

<u>Y1</u>: Leah for beautiful writing with excellent punctuation.

Y2: Evey for an outstanding piece of R.E work.

<u>Y3:</u> Mia for a beautiful piece of artwork based on a jungle painting.

<u>Y4:</u> Tom for taking part in all the responses and singing beautifully in mass.

Y5: Mia for showing a super positive attitude to her learning in and out of school.

<u>Y6</u>: Antwon for fantastic work in maths all week on long division.

Last week's Golden ticket winners: Finley and Freya Mary

Confirmation Commitment Mass: Thank you to all the parents and carers who supported their children at the Y6 Confirmation Commitment Mass and who attended the meeting afterwards.

As Father Paul requested, please ensure that the children attend Mass each weekend and get their booklet signed to show their continued commitment to their faith. Bishop David McGough will confirm the Y6 children on Friday 30th November at 7pm.



Absence: if your child is absent from school, please ring the school by 9.30am giving a reason for the absence. You can leave a message on the answer machine if necessary.

If you have **not** notified the school by this time, we will call the parent who is first on our contact list. If we do not get a response, we will

follow safeguarding procedure and call **everyone** on the child's contact list until we are confident that the child is safe.

When your child is well enough to return to school, a letter must be sent explaining the reason for the absence. If we do not receive a letter of explanation, then it will be recorded as an unauthorised absence.





Children's Halloween Disco: Thursday 25th October

Reception, Y1 and Y2 from 5.30pm to 6.30pm

Y3, Y4, Y5 and Y6 from 6.45pm – 8pm.

Tickets will be on sale from Monday 15th October at £2 per child. There will be lots of "goodies" to buy so the children can bring their pocket money.

Parents' Evening for Y1 - Y6: will be held on Tuesday 6th November from 3.30pm to 5.30pm and Wednesday 7th November from 5pm to 7pm.

Appointments will be available to book through **Schoolsbuddy**. When choosing your selected time slot, please ensure you tick all the acceptance/confirmation buttons. If you have been successful in allocating a time, you will receive a confirmation email. **If you do not receive this email then you have NOT completed the booking process successfully**. If you have any problems in booking an appointment, please contact the school office.

Booking opens on **Monday 15th October**, so please ensure that your Schoolsbuddy account is active.

Reception class: are **not** included in these parents' evening sessions. Reception class parents will be invited to a "**Play and Learn**" session on either 23rd or 24th October. Details will be sent out separately.

Come and Play: thank you to the staff from Dudley Performing Arts and the children, parents and staff who took part in this musical event. People who could play and complete novices had a great time learning their parts and finally coming together to play a piece of music. Everyone who attended agreed that it was great fun!.



Flu Vaccinations: will take place for children from Reception to Y5 on 19 October. Most of the forms have now been collected. If you haven't returned your child's form, please do so as a matter of urgency.

Enjoy your week, S. M. Mason