

15th March 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

Lunchtime on the Field

Thank you to all families that supported their children in a change of footwear this week. The children have only had one opportunity to go on the school field due to the bad weather this week. Feedback from teachers is the children really enjoyed this opportunity. Fingers crossed that the weather improves and of course this is something we cannot control.

REMINDER - Reports

In the next few weeks teachers will be sending out school progress reports for all children. These will be sent via Class Dojo. Parents and Carers are welcome to make an appointment or receive a phonemail from their child's class teacher if they wish to discuss this in more detail. A paper copy of the report can also be requested and can be collected from the school office.



REMINDER - Food Vouchers to cover the Easter holiday 2024

Again we want to ensure that those eligible for free school meals on the grounds of low income receive a food voucher to cover the next holiday period. Please contact the school office if you need any support in this matter.

Attendance

We wish to celebrate with our school community how fantastic our current school attendance has continued to be.

A super well done to the classes below for achieving over 95% attendance last week.

Classes 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 11 and 12.

Class 6 enjoyed their breakfast waffles this week as they gained the highest attendance in school.



Let's get reading - BOOM Reader

"If you are going to get anywhere in life you have to read a lot of books." - Roald Dahl



Well done to all the children and families who have logged onto Boom reader. We are pleased to announce the most home reading logs recorded on Boom reader this week.

Position	Name	Reads at home
First Place	Mustasim Muhammad Class 4	13 parent home reads
Second place	Yaqoob Khan Class 3	9 parent home reads
Third Place	Aayan Ali Class 3 Affan Mazhar Class 3 Muhammad Haseeb Class 8	8 parent home reads



Spelling Shed Winners

Place	Total points awarded for correct spellings	Child
1st	112,348,978	Mustasim Muhammad Class 4
2nd	32,021,254	Hareem Almas Class 12
3rd	12,121,140	Haroon Mohammad Class 9



TT Rockstars - CELEBRATIONS!

The most accurate Class	Class 12
The most active class	Class 5
The most improved speed	Lana Hayes Class 4
The most active player	Musa Muhammad Class 5

Word Aware

This week's word is 'stuffy.'

Please encourage your child to use this word when out and about.



Childhood Vaccination Campaign

CHIMMS Campaign Launch Press Release (Attached)

A new campaign launches in Greater Manchester to drive up childhood vaccinations amid concerns over fall in uptake.



- UKHSA Chief Executive Jenny Harries visits Salford to launch campaign as measles cases continue to rise.
- 16.5% or 1 in 5 of children in Greater Manchester are not protected by their 5th birthday.

Parents and carers can find out more about the different vaccines their child should have and when by visiting www.nhs.uk and searching for 'NHS vaccinations and when to have them'.

Visit NHS.uk for information about booking your child's vaccination appointment.
Visit www.nhs.uk/childhoodvaccinations for the full timetable of vaccinations and when to have them and information on how to book.

Preparing for Work Course

Lifelong Learning Preparing for Work Course Poster (Attached)

This course from Oldham Lifelong Learning is for those who would like to develop their confidence and skills to gain employment.
Please see attached leaflet for full details.

Grants available to artists in Oldham

Are you or do you know of a musician who would benefit from a new instrument, a small group who needs funds to expand their wardrobe, or a freelance artist who wants to upskill with a training course?

The GM Inspire Fund offer grants of £500 to £2,000 for independent arts and culture practitioners (and small organisations of up to £100k turnover) who can show how the award will contribute to the arts and culture landscape of Greater Manchester.

The fund reopens to applications on **Monday 29 April 2024**.

Full details can be found here

Point of Contact: grants@salfordcvs.co.uk

TESCO Blue Token Scheme

Shopping at any large Oldham Tesco, please collect a blue token and vote for Kingsland School by Sunday 31 March 2024.



REMINDER - Holiday Activities & Food (HAF) Easter Programme

Exciting HAF activities will be running over the Easter school holidays for children and young people aged 5+ whose families are in receipt of the free school meal eligibility (FSM) benefit.
Please click here for more information:

<https://www.oldham.gov.uk/HAF>

