

5th November 2021

Dear Parents and Carers,

IMPORTANT - Changes to collecting your child/ren at the end of the school day

Please find attached to this newsletter important information regarding changes to the collection of children at the end of the school day.

We have however taken into consideration both staff and parents/carers voice in changes to revise the system even further. It will also allow less time for everyone to be waiting outside in the cold winter months.

The new system will begin on Monday 8th November and will be reviewed daily. The main changes are that parents/carers will be collecting their children from inside the school playground and from their external classroom doors.

We thank you all for your support.



Non-uniform Day/Halloween

Thank you to all our families for their contributions towards our fundraising non-uniform/Halloween day. The total amount raised was £316.

This was to raise money for the Mayor's Charities Appeal Fund and, at the end of the Mayoral year, any money raised is distributed among the charities. The Mayor of Oldham, our Vice Chair governors Jenny Harrison has eight charities, chosen on the theme of diversity and inclusion. One of the charities that the children are keen to support is Maggie's in Oldham. Please see below as to the difference this money will make.

<https://www.maggies.org/our-centres/maggies-oldham/>

100% Attendance

A huge well done to all our children who have been in school everyday since the start of this academic year. The children were presented with a certificate today in assembly.

For their reward they will be able to wear their own clothes on Friday the 12th of November.



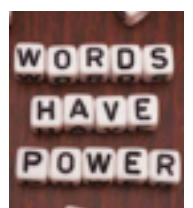
Poppy Appeal

This year we will again be supporting 'The Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal.' Our Children's Leadership team will be selling poppies and other poppy merchandise at break times. Thank you again for your donations.



Word Aware

This week's word is 'Mischievous'. Please encourage your child to use this word when out and about and complete the activities, which Miss Valery will share on Class Dojo.



Children arriving to school

It is important that your child arrives to school at the correct time in the morning. **Any children who arrive after 9.05am must enter through the main school front door and not enter through their classroom doors.** A member of staff will be on the main gate until 9.15am.

ATTENDANCE

Absolutely AMAZING attendance last week!!!

Well done to classes 1, 2, 4, 6, 7, 9, 10 and 11 for achieving over 96% attendance in the last week before the holidays.



COVID Test results - REMINDER

A reminder to parents to send any results to us directly regarding COVID test results. This email is covid@alexandrapark.oldham.sch.uk



We thank all parents for the immediate responses we have had. You have certainly worked with staff to support the safety of children and staff with high levels of communication.

