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Dear Parent/Guardian,

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We marked the beginning of the season of Lent with school mass where everyone had the opportunity to receive ashes as reminders of the time of prayer, penance and alms-giving during the season.

Our charity activities also began with Year 2 hosting a superb Coffee Afternoon on Tuesday for The Birmingham Dogs Home. Thank you to all those who came on the day or donated cakes. The total raised was **£197.10**.

Nursery also held their Teddy Bears picnic in aid of Centrepont.

Friday was also Non-Uniform Day (£1 per family) and we will have Non-Uniform every Friday during Lent.

Next week Y3 will have their Cinema Afternoon for Macmillan Cancer Care.

World Book Day

On Thursday we joined schools across the world in celebrating World Book Day by coming as a book character and bringing along a favourite book.

The creativity and spectacle of the fancy dress was wonderful to see, as seen in our annual parade. (You can view the photos on the website).

Most importantly the children had chance to share and celebrate books. The hope being that more and more children will enjoy the vast wealth of books there are available!

Values and Virtues

Congratulations to Harrison (2M) and Barney (3B) who are the winners of our 'Learned and Wise' certificates this week.

British Science Week – 11th – 15th March, 2019

Once again we are delighted to be taking part in British Science week - a ten-day celebration of science, technology, engineering and maths. The theme this year is '**journeys**'.

The children will be getting involved by taking part in activities in class next week. From creating tunnels, time capsules and perfume, to keeping a nature log and mummifying an orange, there's something for everyone.

If you would like to get involved and share in the science with your child you will find lots of ideas on the British Science week site <https://www.britishscienceweek.org/>.

Behaviour Awards

Green Badges: Narcisa, Inaya, Nikola, Lacie-Jai, Xavier, Costi, Edi-Marco, Gabriele, Iyarna, Aliyah

Pink Badges: Asaad, Malayka, Alessia, Kellan, Dante, Michael T, Hamzah, Jeremiah, Kimberley, Chloe-May

Purple Badges: Aidan, Olivia L, Kacey C, William, Divine, Orlando, Remi, Barney, Joel R, Chanselle, Sienna

Red Badges: Joseph P, Adiyy, Riley G, Eliezer, Miley-Louise

Lilac Badges: Zariah, Jack

Yellow Badges: David O, Benjamin

Dark Blue Badges: Mustapha, Ellie-May





STAR AWARDS AND MERIT CERTIFICATES THIS WEEK

Nursery	Whole Nursery
Reception CT	Adam
Reception SS	Michael
Year 1LP	Aidan, Olivia
Year 1R	Ahmed, Usman
Year 2M	Gary
Year 2R	Kellan, Poppie
Year 3B	Abigail, Orlando
Year 3M	Teodora
Year 4B	Leeson
Year 4G	Tristan, Fathima
Year 5H	Whole class
Year 5M	Tyrese
Year 6G	Hashim
Year 6T	Raees
SPORTS AWARD	Nicardo (5M)
MUSIC AWARD	Samuel (RCT)
WISE OWL AWARD	Asiya (6T)

Well done everyone!

Period – 25th February – 1st March, 2019

Group	% Attend
Reception CT	92.5%
Reception SS	90.7%
Year 1LP	93.1%
Year 1R	96.3%
Year 2M	91.3%
Year 2R	97%
Year 3B	98.3%
Year 3M	90.7%
Year 4B	95.5%
Year 4G	94.9%
Year 5H	94.5%
Year 5M	98.6%
Year 6G	90%
Year 6T	93.1%

Have a lovely weekend

Yours sincerely,

R Baker and staff



