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Dear Parent/Guardian,

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Ofsted Report – December 2018

We received our Ofsted report this week and I am delighted to tell you that Ofsted confirmed that St Wilfrid's continues to be rated a good school.

Each family is receiving a paper copy of the full report today and you can also find it on our school website. The report will be published on the main Ofsted website from Monday 21st January, 2019.

The rating is a wonderful achievement for our whole school community: children, parents, staff and governors – so well done to everyone!

One of many positive lines is – 'The School's Christian values are deeply embedded in the culture of the school and acted out on a daily basis by staff and pupils alike'.

Please do take time to read it and share with your child(ren) – we are very proud of them!

Attendance

Congratulations to the following children who were our £10 Vue Cinema voucher winners for Autumn 2018:

Annayah (RCT), Adam and Mary (RSS), Ismah (1R), Nabeel and Jaiden (1LP), Daisi-Mai (2M), Lacey-Mae and Kacey (2R), Teodora (3M), Dylan (3B), Antwaine (4B), Paris and Ailijah (4G), Saadie and Sofia (5M), Adrian and Bilha (5H), Ali (6T) and McKyle (6G).

I wonder who will be our winners for the Spring Term – attendance of 97%+ puts you into the draw!

Our overall school attendance was an area Ofsted recognised for improvement as it is below national averages. Any time lost is lost learning time and difficult to make up. Low attendance has a negative impact on your child's development and progress.

How can you help? - Ensure that your child's attendance remains high and they are on time (8.55 am is the start of school) and ready to learn.

If your child is ill and absent, contact the school to let us know. If you have problems concerning attendance please contact the school and our School Attendance Worker, Michelle Stephens.

Extreme Weather Arrangements

As the weather gets colder, I thought it useful to remind you of arrangements.

In the event of closure of the school due to extreme weather conditions, information of this will be relayed by a posting on the school website, a text message to your mobile and information on Free Radio or BBC Radio West Midlands.

Please do not call the school to see if we are open. Unless we are on any of the above we are open!

Values and Virtues

Congratulations to Lexie (1R) and Jack (3B) who are the winners of our 'Eloquent and Truthful' certificates this week.

Behaviour Awards

Green Badges: Victoria S, Usman, Ahmed, Lexie, Grace C, Cristina, Aroosh, Katy, Mikaeel, Jaydan, Cleo

Pink Badges: Zachariah, Ismail, Joseph P, Aidan, Amari, Hassam, Harrison, Abigail, Joel R, Orlando, Freya, Miley-Louise, Asiya

Purple Badges: Zariah, Jaiden, Nevaeh, Doniro, Jakub, Lilyrae, Jadyne, Ali

Red Badges: Lucy-Rose, Alexandru, Ellie-May, Zaidane

Lilac Badge: Ellie-May





STAR AWARDS AND MERIT CERTIFICATES THIS WEEK

Nursery	David, Jessica
Reception CT	Annayah, Samuel
Reception SS	Aaron
Year 1LP	Kaiden, Armani
Year 1R	Sedi, Kacey
Year 2M	Patryk
Year 2R	Iga
Year 3B	Remi
Year 3M	Alice, Alvis
Year 4B	Jeremiah
Year 4G	Christelle
Year 5H	Daniel, Szymon
Year 5M	Mia
Year 6G	Zara
Year 6T	Wiktorja
SPORTS AWARD	Basketball Team
WISE OWL AWARD	Tyler (RCT)

Well done everyone!

Period – 7th – 11th January, 2019

Group	% Attend
Reception CT	91.7%
Reception SS	97.8%
Year 1LP	92.3%
Year 1R	97.2%
Year 2M	93.8%
Year 2R	93.8%
Year 3B	94.9%
Year 3M	96.6%
Year 4B	96.6%
Year 4G	96.2%
Year 5H	92.7%
Year 5M	94.6%
Year 6G	87.1%
Year 6T	95.7%

Jobs at St Wilfrid's

An advert for two Lunchtime Supervisors has been placed. If you are interested please visit the school office for an application pack.

Have a lovely weekend

Yours sincerely,

R Baker and staff



