



# Parent Newsletter

Friday 17<sup>th</sup> January 2025

Dear Parents,

## Our Christian Value this half term is:

### Perseverance

On the journey of life, God gives us the strength not to give up.

He stays alongside us as our friends.

We welcome everyone in to our school and want them to feel at home.

In the bible St Paul wrote 'I can do all things through Him who strengthens me.'

God wants us to encourage others to keep going to achieve their goals.

### Bible Verse

In our prayers, we can ask God to help us if we feel worried about facing a new challenge.

Hebrews 12 1-2

## Celebrating our children:



### What Would Jesus Do Awards:

**Honey Bees and Discovery-** Evelyn you are such a kind and caring little person to all in Discovery.

**Atlantis-** Ada for showing the value of friendship and welcoming a new member of our class.

**Enterprise-** River for showing the Christian value of joy. River, we love seeing your happy, smiley face when you're talking to your friends.

**Endeavour-** Stanley for using his values of wisdom, dealing with learning and social situations with calmness and maturity.

**Atlantis-** We have been outside observing the seasonal change from winter into spring.

**Enterprise-** We have been outside looking at the chronology of the Stone, Bronze and Iron Age and placing these periods of history on a timeline.

**Endeavour-** We focused on the school building in science, looking at materials and their properties.



**Honey Bees and Discovery-** This week we have been finding out about space and listening to the UK spaceman Tim Peakes.

**Atlantis-** Practising our throwing and catching skills in PE.

**Enterprise-** Looking at how rocks are formed using chocolate.

## Stars of the week this week:



**Honey Bees and Discovery Class-**

Tianna

**Atlantis Class-** Zuzanna and Georgia.

**Enterprise Class-** Azra, Tom and Bluebell

**Endeavour Class-** Maisie, Camden and Rosie

**Parents will receive an invitation to our Celebration Assembly at 3pm, via Dojo.**



**Honey Bees and Discovery-** We are looking at the weather and finding out about different features...fog, frost, snow and ice.



**Endeavour-** Analysing sources in history.

We have also completed work with our linking school, making identity maps and identity poems. We are off to Burnley Youth Theatre next week to meet Astronauts Class from Deepdale Primary.

## Happier January:

**Happier January 2025**

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
1 Find three things to look forward to this year	2 Make time today to do something kind for yourself	3 Do a kind act for someone else to help brighten their day	4 Write a list of things you feel grateful for and why	5 Look for the good in others and notice their strengths	6 Take five minutes to sit still and just breathe	7 Learn something new and share it with others
8 Say positive things to the people you meet today	9 Get moving. Do something active (ideally outdoors)	10 Thank someone you're grateful to and tell them why	11 Switch off all your tech at least an hour before bedtime	12 Connect with someone near you - share a smile or chat	13 Take a different route today and see what you notice	14 Eat healthy food which really nourishes you today
15 Get outside and notice five things that are beautiful	16 Contribute positively to your local community	17 Be gentle with yourself when you make mistakes	18 Get back in contact with an old friend	19 Focus on what's good, even if today feels tough	20 Go to bed in good time and allow yourself to recharge	21 Try out something new to get out of your comfort zone
22 Plan something fun and invite others to join you	23 Put away digital devices and focus on being in the moment	24 Take a small step towards an important goal	25 Decide to lift people up rather than put them down	26 Choose one of your strengths and find a way to use it today	27 Challenge your negative thoughts and look for the upside	28 Ask other people about things they've enjoyed recently
29 Say hello to a neighbour and get to know them better	30 See how many people you can smile at today	31 Write down your hopes or plans for the future				

**ACTION FOR HAPPINESS** Happier · Kinder · Together

**Honey Bees and Discovery-** Get outside and notice five beautiful things.

**Atlantis-** This week Atlantis have written down our hope and dreams for the future.

**Enterprise-** Put away digital devices and focus on being in the moment.

**Endeavour-** We have been thinking about our strengths when working with our linking school and writing positives about our own character.

### Tree Planting Event:



Thank you for supporting your local community. We hope you enjoy creating this beautiful orchard tomorrow. Please remember to meet at 10am at the Trafalgar Gardens (next to

the playground).

Thank you.

### Please Remember:

#### Don't Forget



- Please be in school on time by 8.50am.
- Make sure your child's uniform is labelled.
- Long hair **must** be tied back.
- Earrings **cannot** be worn in

school.

- See our Face book page for exciting updates:

<https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=100087038689973>

## Important dates for your diary!

### Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> January:

- Dance From The Heart-Y5/6

### Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> January:

- Endeavour Class School Partnership Day

### Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> January:

- Y6 SATs Meeting at 4.30pm

### Friday 7<sup>th</sup> February:

- NSPCC Number Day
- Atlantis Class worship at 9am

### Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> February:

- Safer Internet Day

### Friday 14<sup>th</sup> February:

- School Closes for half term
- FOHSM Disco 3.20pm-4.45pm

### Monday 24<sup>th</sup> February:

- School opens

### Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> March:

- Fair-trade Fortnight

### Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> March-7<sup>th</sup> March:

- Endeavour Class-Min-y-don

### Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> March:

- Ash Wednesday Service in church at 9am

### Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March:

- World Book Day

### Monday 10<sup>th</sup> March:

- Multi Faith Week

### Friday 14<sup>th</sup> March:

- Bishop Philip Visits school

### Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> March:

- TASA Tag Rugby

### Friday 21<sup>st</sup> March:

- World Maths Day

### Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> March:

- Parent's Evening

### Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> March:

- TASA KS1 Festival

### Friday 28<sup>th</sup> March:

- Endeavour Class Worship.

### Friday 4<sup>th</sup> April

- Easter Service in church at 9am.
- School Closes for Easter
- ASC Closes at 4.15pm

**REMEMBER TO PUT THESE DATES IN YOUR DIARY.  
PLEASE NOTE: MORE DATES WILL BE ADDED or  
AMMENDED.**

Thank you for continued support.  
We hope it keeps you up to date with everything  
going on at Hoole St Michael.

