



Our Christian Value this week is

Friendship



Dates for the diary

- 25th September** – Reading & Phonics meeting @ 6pm, all welcome
- 3rd October** – Autumn Praise in school hall @ 10am, all welcome
- 6th October** – Harvest Service at St Christopher’s, all welcome
- 18th October** – ‘Show Racism the Red Card’ day (wear something **red**)

Come to school – it’s really cool!
Be on time – it helps you shine!



Diamond 9

Our Diamond 9 word this week in class has been ‘Unique’.



Look for the curriculum overviews & class targets on the school website so you can see what we will be learning this term.

Class 1 Newsletter
Friday 20th September



Reception

What a super start Reception have made. You should be very proud of yourselves! We are learning the routines and rules of the classroom and school, and are already making new friends. We have started learning some letter sounds and will soon be ready to blend them together to read short words. All parents are invited to a short meeting next Wednesday to find out how we teach both the mechanics of reading and the love of it! We hope that you have received your Seesaw invitations – please speak to Mrs Moores if you have any issues with the app.

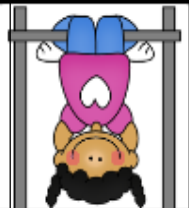
Year 1

The children are starting to settle into their new Year 1 routines. It can be a shock at the start of Year 1, with the increased work expectations and decreased continuous provision. In English we have been working hard on segmenting words for spelling. Please find their home reader in your child’s bag. We have been reading this book in school but they would really benefit from reading this with you at home too. In Maths we have been looking at 1 more, recognising number as words and counting to 10 from any given number. We have had a visit this week from Blackpool Schools Youth Work and Sue talked to us about the Holy Bible.

It was nice to meet many of you at the Welcome Meeting. If you were unable to attend, please look for the meeting notes on the website or feel free to drop in at our open door on a Monday (Y1) or Tuesday (Reception) after school.

Reminders

All children need a PE kit to keep in school. Please see the uniform information on the school website. Reception children are collected from the Reception outdoor area at home time. Please ensure children are safely with you as you leave the school gates. Just plain water in water bottles please. Thank you for your support.



Reception Certificate Winners	Year 1 Certificate Winners
<p><u>Curriculum Awards</u> Freya – for fantastic work in the creative area, using lots of techniques in her art. Laila – for a fantastic start to Reception.</p>	<p><u>Curriculum Awards</u> Oliver – fantastic answer in discussions. Freddie – for an inspirational attitude in starting Year 1 lyla – for 100% in all lessons.</p>
<p><u>Christian Value/Diamond 9 Certificate</u> Louie – for showing great kindness to his new friends. Elsie – for being a kind and caring friend.</p>	<p><u>Christian Value/Diamond 9 Certificate</u> Olivia – for working well collaboratively and being a great friend. Arthur – for being a great friend to all.</p>
<p><u>Star Writer</u> Jaxon – for practising the letter 's' so beautifully in his choosing time.</p>	<p><u>Star Writer</u> Oakley – for fantastic independent sentences. Anna – for super segmenting.</p>

Well done on letting your lights shine so brightly!

