

## Parent Update Friday 21<sup>st</sup> July

Dear Parents and Carers,

The end of a fantastic school year. At assembly this morning we talked about some of the things the children (and staff) have enjoyed this year, highlights included – getting to know Miss Floyd, listening to Miss Collins beautiful voice, the Y3 art gallery trip, the Anderton Centre trips, Scoffit, the beach, learning about fossils! And many other things!! Thank you for your support and contributions to school which enable us to offer the children a wide range of experiences. If you want to see the whole list of what we've done, please click [here](#).

Our Year 6 children are moving on today, to six different high schools. We wish them every success at high school.

On behalf of the staff I would like to thank all the parents for the cards, gifts and presents which have been sent into school. You are very generous! It was also the first time in 4 years that every child was collected on time at hometime – thank you for making that effort for us at the end of a busy and tiring term.

The following children were awarded Certificates this morning at assembly.

	Francis Factor	100% attendance
Reception	Charlie	Karo Reception Alfie Slattery Y1 Iaan Y2 Alyssa Y2 Michael Y3 Gloria Y4 Grace Y4, Ruby T Y4 Jeremiah Y6
Year 1	Emmie	
Year 2	Maro	
Year 3	Thomas B	
Year 4	Faith	
Year 5	Harry	
Headteacher's award	Evie Y3	
The class with the best attendance this year was Y6 with 96.42% the whole class were rewarded with ice cream		

### **Getting ready for September.**

**Uniform** - Please see our uniform policy here: Please do not buy the children shoes or trainers with sports logos on. Even if they have "got away with it" this year, or you see another child wearing them (some children have medical grounds to support alternative footwear).



**Breakfast and Afterschool Club.** Please rebook your place in our afterschool and breakfast club (only 14 families have done this so far). Please note, places are to be paid in advance at the start of each half term or your child's place will be withdrawn. Some families have taken advantage of our good nature which has resulted in extra work for staff in chasing payments and then tension in home/school relationships. If

you need an ad hoc / one off booking, it will have to be paid for by Friday of the same week.

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**PE kits** – Next year we will revert back to children wearing uniform each day and keeping a PE kit in school. We have noticed that many children are unable to dress themselves, fasten their shoes or organise their own belongings since we began coming to school in PE kits, we would like to improve these independence skills.

<b>What to bring in September</b>	<b>Do not bring</b>
Sun cream & Sun hat	
<p>PE kit in a PE bag that will be kept in school. These are the only style of bags which will be allowed due to issues with storage space in the classroom. If you wanted to buy a colour to match your child's house, that would be great.</p>  <p><a href="https://ziggysschoolwearmanchester.co.uk/product/p-e-bag/">https://ziggysschoolwearmanchester.co.uk/product/p-e-bag/</a></p>	<p>Rucksacks or any other bag</p> <p>Trainers which have to be taken home. Black PE pumps will suffice. We will only send the PE kits home to be washed at half term.</p>
<p>A flat reading folder like this. They don't have to be red; if you wanted to buy a colour to match your child's house, that would be great.</p>	<p>Rucksacks or any other bag – we don't have room</p> <p>Please don't buy these ones with long straps from Ziggy's they are too bulky and are time consuming to open and close.</p>

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	A water bottle – we will provide this
	A pencil case – we will provide what the children need.

School reopens for the children on Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> September, with breakfast club at 8am and everyone else to arrive from 8.45 – 9.00am. (Please remember to book and pay for your place at breakfast club in advance, don't just turn up. Click here to book).

Wishing you all a very happy and peaceful summer holiday with your lovely families.

With love and prayers,

Mrs Johnson