



December 2020



## Mawsley C.P School

### Autumn End of term Newsletter

#### Drop Off and Pick Up

Next term, the staggered drop off and pick up times we have had in place for the autumn term will remain the same for all classes.

#### Parents' Evening

On Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> and Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> January we will be holding our second parents' evening of the year.

This will be held virtually as it was in October. Two weeks before these meetings you will receive a data sheet. This will provide you with the most up to date assessment information for your child, these will be discussed with you at your appointment.

#### Values Awards

At the end of every big term we take time to recognise children in each class who have demonstrated our school values; courage, determination, equality, excellence, friendship, inspiration and respect. The children will be presented with their awards on Friday 18<sup>th</sup> December. The parents of the children who have received awards will receive a video message from their class teacher explaining their reasons. Videos will be sent via We transfer

The children's photographs will take pride of place in our hall for the Spring term – well done to all our autumn award winners.

#### Thank you

Thank you to every member of the Mawsley School community for the support you have shown in creating a new normal at Mawsley School. Whilst the classrooms have looked different and contact has been less, we have had happy children, who are engaged and want to learn.

We have continued to work hard as a team to offer children opportunities they usually receive; we came together virtually to remember on Remembrance Day, we changed our laces into rainbows, we dusted off those Christmas Jumpers for Save the children and will this week share the experience of a virtual pantomime.

When we return in 2021 the children will be exploring a range of safety themes on our School Safety day on Friday 8<sup>th</sup> January.

#### Mawsley Parent Feedback Survey

Thank you to those of you who were able to take the time to complete this survey, we received 83 responses. We will spend time as a team analysing the responses and will write to you with more detail after the Christmas break.

It was lovely to see that 98% of responders indicate their children are happy to come to school.

#### Making a Difference

Every term seven children, one from each year group, receive recognition through our Making a Difference award.

These awards are to celebrate children that 'make a difference' to our school community. We have wonderful and amazing young people who show each day, each week and over a school term what a difference they make to their class and other children in our school through being the person they are and being a role model to others.

Parents of our children recognised this term will receive a letter in the post.

Our Training day on Monday 4<sup>th</sup> January means we are looking forward to welcoming our families back, when term starts, on Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> January.

**Have a lovely Christmas break, we look forward to seeing you all in 2021!**