

## Weekly Newsletter

### Character Traits

Through our curriculum we develop **six** carefully selected character traits – bravery, citizenship, curiosity, gratitude, integrity, kindness. We believe these will support the children in school to succeed in the future of their choice.

The character traits are embedded throughout school and form a central part of each year group's termly Bookshelf and PSHE curriculum. We discuss them in weekly assemblies and they form the basis for the weekly achievement certificates the children receive.



Bravery

Citizenship

Curiosity

Gratitude

Integrity

Kindness

The Character Traits represent a range of qualities which we believe mirror our three school rules:

*we are respectful, we do our best, we make good choices.*

### The Great Debate

As part of our speaking and listening curriculum the children have enjoying taking part in bi-weekly debate sessions where they have been able to share their thoughts and opinions about various topics, including the positive and negative impact of Zoo's and whether children should contribute to completing chores at home!

The children have learnt that for a debate to succeed, they need to work together to listen and ask questions of one another. We have also encouraged and promoted the importance of respecting one another's ideas.



### Safety Before and After school

For everyone's safety, please do not let your child ride their bikes or scooters on school grounds, in particular the sloped visitor car park and path opposite the main school entrance.

Please ensure your child dismounts before they come onto the school grounds and that they walk their bike/scooter to the storage pods. This is for the safety of everyone.

### Website Resources

The **Family Support and Guidance** section of our school website is full of resources and advice for supporting families.

It includes parenting advice, family support and resources on many aspects of mental health and well-being. The page can be accessed under the Parents and Carers tab on our website or by clicking on this [link](#).

### **ONESTOCKPORT** Coffee and Connect sessions **Family Hubs**

These are free sessions for parents of neurodivergent or SEND children looking for information or advice. They are running on various dates this term in Brinnington and Reddish.

For more information about these sessions, please contact: [ndteam@stockport.gov.uk](mailto:ndteam@stockport.gov.uk).

### Important Dates

21st Jan	Pre-School Nursery Rhyme Day
30th Jan	Year 2 Road Safety Session
3rd Feb	Children's Mental health Week
6th Feb	Y1 visit to Chester Zoo
11th Feb	Safer Internet Day

**For a full summary of dates over the year, our Annual Planner can be viewed here**

Following our **Pre-School Information Session** all slides and information will be shared on Tapestry.

### Article 5

All children have the right to guidance from their parents and family.

