Dear Parents and Carers,

END OF AUTUMN 1

As we come to the end of the first half term I would like to say a thank you for the support that you have given the school since our return after the summer break. We have had McMillan Coffee Morning, a cake sale for CCLG, Harvest Festival, Non-Uniform day and Parent Consultation. Not forgetting a thank you to all those parents who attended our Autumn 1 Achievement Assembly.

AUTUMN 1 ASSEMBLY

Well done to all of our winners who were celebrated in our Achievers Assembly today. We celebrated our half term value of **Generosity**, as well as awards in the key skills of **Phonics**, **Reading**, **Spelling**, **Handwriting**, **Maths and Home Skills**. Our winners are on the next page.

Dolphin were the house winners this half term with a fantastic 11536 green points.

HARVEST FESTIVAL

Thank you for the many donations at Harvest time on Monday of this week. We have a huge number of items that we have donated to Wellspring. A great way to celebrate our value of Generosity.

REMEMBRANCE

We will have poppies and other

remembrance items available to purchase after the half term break. If you or your child would like to buy any of these items please send you child into school with some money to donate.

I hope you all have a wonderful half term break and we look forward to seeing you all back in school on Monday 31st October.

Best wishes.

Paul Anderson Headteacher

Autumn 1 Half Term Achievers		
KT	Reading	Idrees
KP	Reading	Isaac N
RQ	Phonics Reading Maths Value of Generosity Home Skills	Haider U Luke C Ismail S Poppy L Freya K
RS	Phonics Reading Maths Value of Generosity Home Skills	Molly K Marley B Lucas L Corey C Ryan C
1C	Phonics Reading Spellings Handwriting Maths Value of Generosity Home Skills	Felicity H Cooper H Areya B Ahana G Martha N Luca H Parsa D
1Н	Phonics Reading Spellings Handwriting Maths Value of Generosity Home Skills	Sam F Simran J Joey L Everlyn M Dawud M Alice B Jack Mc
2JC	Phonics Reading Spellings Handwriting Maths Value of Generosity Home Skills	Bruce L Evan J Him Y Holly A Porscha B Finn D Ciara H
2CS	Phonics Reading Spellings Handwriting Maths Value of Generosity Home Skills	Henry R Ella C Aurara W Zara C Erin L Poppy S Rowan C



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Reading

Spellings

Maths

Handwriting

Home Skills

Value of Generosity

Summer M

Ariana L

Emily H

Jack B

Rory S

Tiffany M

Autumn 1 Half Term Achievers 3B Teddy T Reading Spellings Amelia H Handwriting Shayne T Maths Jack H Value of Generosity Ruby S Home Skills Isabel Mc 3C Reading Tylan H Freddie S-L Spellings Handwriting Charlotte P Maths Yahya U Value of Generosity Ellen H Home Skills Alice C 4C Katie Mc Reading Spellings Alexander W Handwriting Harriet D Maths Tate O'Hare Value of Generosity Summer Rae B Home Skills Sophia H 4W Millie M-F Reading Phoebe C Spellings Handwriting Maisie P Maths Henry N Value of Generosity Bella S Home Skills Joseph H 5G Hilary W Reading Spellings Harry L Thomas P Handwriting Harrison B Maths Value of Generosity Eden S Home Skills Freddie A 5SR Reading Libby C **Spellings** Harry L Handwriting Charlotte H Max D Maths Value of Generosity Ollie D Home Skills Isabelle T 6HT Reading Oliver Ellis Hollie Teasdale **Spellings** Handwriting Madison S Fraser M Maths Value of Generosity Olivia P Home Skills Preston S-L





At National Online Safety, we believe in empowering parents, carers and trusted adults with the information to hold an informed conversation about online safety with their children, should they feel it is needed. This guide focuses on one of many goes which we believe trusted adults should be gware of. Please visit www.nationalonlinesafety.com for further guides, hints and they for adults.

What Parents & Carers Need to Know about





SENDIT

Sendit is an add-on to Snapchat, not a standalone app: it requires users to have an active Snapchat account, which they then connect to Sendit. It's important that trusted adults realise, therefore, that any risks associated with Snapchat also affect children using Sendit. Within the app, people play question games like 'Truth or Dare' and 'Never Have I Ever': users select a question to share on their Snapchat story for their friends to reply to. All responses are anonymous, although – for paying subscribers – Sendit reveals hints about who sent which messages.



WHAT ARE THE RISKS?

ANONYMOUS RESPONSES

Anonymity online encourages people to say things and act in ways that they normally wouldn't. They're less accountable, and it's harder to track who sent a message. Research has highlighted that children perceive anonymous messages as being more severe than if the same message had come from a friend. Any app that lets children communicate anonymously should be treated with caution.

MENTAL HEALTH IMPACT

categories of questions such as "Ask me anything" or "Rate me" — coupled with the app's anonymity — mean there is a likelihood of some friends or strangers (if the account is set to 'public') responding in a negative manner. These critical comments (especially if there are several) could ruin a young person's self-esteem — heightening their insecurities and affecting their mental health.

MEMBERSHIP COSTS

Currently costing £8.49 per week sendit's Diamond Membership offers clues about who sent a particular message, such as their approximate location, the type of phone used and any mutual friends. Membership also provides exclusive games and an ad-free experience. Young people may well be curious to find out who certain messages are from and therefore sign up for membership.

BULLYING AND HARASSMENT

Open-ended questions which relate personally to the sender are an opportunity for malicious people to make offensive remarks, which can lead to full-blown bullying and harassment. Additionally, builles and trolls can hide behind the anonymity that Sendit offers, teeling more powerful and able to intimidate their target – who, by contrast, feels hurt, victimised and helpless.

POSSIBLE GROOMING

if your child doesn't have their Snapchat account set to private, or they have previously added strangers as friends, there is a possibility of predators responding to their Sendit questions. They do this in an attempt to gather information about your child – or to initiate a conversation with them, seeking ultimately to form an online 'friendship' and gain the young person's trust.

REPEATED ENGAGEMENT

On Sendit, users receive trophies for reaching a particular number of responses, for answering friends' questions and for posting their own. This sense of achievement could incentivise a young person to be active on Sendit more requently – spending more time on their phone or tablet as they may naturally want to collect all of the trophies or might be competing with their peers.

Advice for Parents & Carers

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If your child has already downloaded Sendit, it hight be wise to have a discussion with them about the impact that saying something anonymously online could have on others. Encourage them to think about how they would feel if they were on the receiving end of a particular comment. Reminding them to stop and re-read messages before sending could reduce the number of regrettable situations.

BLOCK IN-APP PURCHASES

Even if you do allow your child to use Sendit, you might want to consider talking to them in advance about whether they really need a membership subscription. Either way, it's probably safest to make sure that in-app purchases are blocked in the settings, or that you have configured your child's device to ask for your approval before making

TALK IT OVER

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TRUTH

OR DARE

setore allowing a young person onto a social networking app, it's a good idea to chat with them about the possibility of receiving hurtful comments. Explain that not everyone online is nice; that people often say things they don't mean; and that posts get misinterpreted. Teach your child not to reply to any offensive users on Sendit and simply block instead them (via the three dots in the top right of the screen).

ONLY PLAY WITH FRIENDS

BUBIE

Stress the importance of your child playing Sendit games only with their close friends and not having strangers on their contacts list. This should help to keep the nature of the questions light-hearted – and if the games are being played among a small group, it will be easier for the members to figure out who gave certain answers if someone's been left feeling hurt or uncomfortable by any responses.

Meet Our Expert

Dr Claire Sutherland is an online safety consultant, educator and researcher who has developed and implemented anti-bullying and cyber safety policles for schools. She has written various academic papers and carried out research for the Australian government comparing internet use and sexting behaviour of young people in the UK, USA and Australia.



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Thursday 3rd November

Junior Hall - 5:30pm to 6:30pm

Tickets £3.00

Please see disco letters for more information, to purchase tickets please complete the slip at the bottom of the disco letter and send in to school with the money in an envelope marked disco. Please ensure you purchase these in advance - Tickets are limited, subject to availability and on a strictly first come, first served basis, once this limit is reached, for Health & Safety reasons no more can be sold.

REQUESTS FOR TICKETS MUST BE IN BY MIDDAY THESDAY IST NOVEMBER - NO TICKETS CAN BE SOLD AFTER THIS DATE



RobMcRunning

Rob from RobMcRunning is a local Running Coach and Sports Therapist offering a FREE weekly guided 5k straight from the School gates. Friday at 9:05am every week (starting after half term) come rain or shine he will be helping people get into running, keep motivated and socialise especially as those winter mornings approach.

This is a complete mixed ability group and will cater for the super fast and the brand new, with Rob's support he can help you become a fitter healthier you. Feel free to have a look at his website

www.robmcrunning.com or email him at the address below.

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October Multi Sports Holiday Courses

Monday 24th October - Friday 28th October



Multi Sports

Norbury Hall Primary School, Hazel Grove

Drop off 9am - 9.15am Collection 3.15pm - 3.25pm

Early drop off 8am - 9am (£3) Late pick up 3.25pm - 5pm (£4)

Open to boys and girls in year 1 - year 6

per day

Siblings attend together for only £15 each per day Use code 'SIBLING22' Full Week
Booking Special
ONLY £80
Use discount
code
'FULLWK'



Halloween theme day on Friday 28th October

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