



**Poppyfield**  
Primary Academy

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OCTOBER NEWSLETTER



## REMEMBRANCE

Poppies and Poppy items will be available for sale at the main school office and during the school day. Please remember that the main school office closes at 1:30pm at present.

## PARKING

Can we please request that parents/carers park legally and considerately outside of school. We continue to work with the local authority and PCSOs to ensure the safety of our pupils.

## POPPYFIELD PARENT AND FRIENDS ASSOCIATION

If you are interested in volunteering some of your time to support the development of a parent and friends groups at Poppyfield then please give your name to the school office.







## CLEVER CONFECTIONARY

We started the year with our wonderful transition unit called "Clever Confectionary!" All of the children across the school looked into where chocolate comes from and created their own sweet treat designs for Mr Willy Wonka. A huge well done to our Reception class whose sweet treats won the school votes. I hope you enjoyed your chocolates and sharing time with Marvin.

## OUR NEW SCHOOL AND TRUST VALUES

Our values are important to us and guide our behaviours, our relationships and the way we work together. They define how we want to be. These values of Unity, Integrity, Courage, Curiosity and Excellence, along with our commitment to strong ethical leadership ensure that we build a positive and powerful legacy to be proud of.

	<p><b>Unity</b> We know that by working together, we are stronger than working alone. We work together as a family, united in our shared responsibility to achieve our mission.</p>
	<p><b>Integrity</b> We show integrity by being honest, truthful, and transparent; always doing what we believe is right and true. We show kindness and respect by treating others with dignity, empathy, and understanding.</p>
	<p><b>Courage</b> We show courage by being ambitious, challenging ourselves and others to achieve more. We take on challenges with enthusiasm, determination, and resilience, learning from failures.</p>
	<p><b>Curiosity</b> We show curiosity by having a passion to learn, explore, and discover new things and new ways of working. We are innovative and ambitious, always seeking to be even better.</p>
	<p><b>Excellence</b> We have a strong commitment to continuous improvement, a willingness to learn, and a dedication to becoming the best that we can be.</p>

### KEY DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

26.10.2023 - 2pm - SNAP Playground visit for Den pupils

27.10.2023 - Break up for half term

06.11.2023 - Pupils return from half term break

06.11.2023 - Flu vaccinations for years R to 4

07.11.2023 - 2pm - New parents meeting - New families interested in Nursery or Reception 2024

09.11.2023 - 10am - New parents meeting - New families interested in Nursery or Reception 2024

17.11.2023 - Children in Need - Wear spots day - Donations can be made via parent pay this week

20.11.2023 - 23.11.2023 - Book Fair Arrives - Open every evening after school in main hall

22.11.2023 - 9:15pm - Year 1 Parent Phonics Learn together session

23.11.2023 - Year 2 trip to Blakesley Hall

27.11.2023 - Year 4 trip to Wroxeter Roman City

02.12.2023 - Christmas lights switch on in Hednesford town

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