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Dear Parents, Sorry for the delay in this week's letter. School life is busy as always!

We are already seeing some fantastic work from all of the children this half term. As they settle into their new classes, we are supporting all children to follow our rules:

🜟 Be safe

🜟 Be respectful

🜟 Be ready to learn

This is the expectation all of the time, no matter which grown up they are working with.

Our children generally do a great job of following the rules, this made our recent task of appointing our first set of prefects very difficult. We had so many great applications and I have no doubt that we will be appointing more as the year goes on.

Congratulations to Effie, Isla-May and Ruby on their appointments as our first 3 prefects of the year!

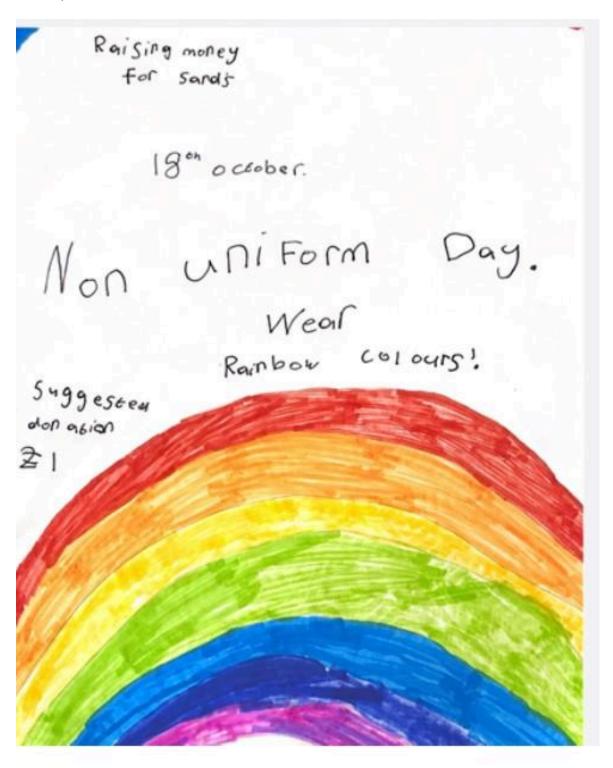


## Non-uniform day

We are really pleased to be able to support John from Fox Class in his fundraising. John approached me as he wanted to support the charity that had supported family friends after they sadly lost their baby. Sands are a fantastic charity who are there to support anyone affected by pregnancy loss and the death of a baby to offer understanding and comfort. They are working to improve the care and to discover why babies are dying and reduce inequalities in

healthcare. John will be taking part in their Ribbon Run fundraiser, for Baby Loss Awareness Week. On Friday 18th October we will be hosting a non-uniform day, asking everyone who chooses to, to wear rainbow colours. There are also plans for a bake sale, so watch this space! If you would like to sponsor John directly, please follow the link to his fundraising page:

https://fundraising.sands.org.uk/fundraiser/victoriacooper/ribbon-run Otherwise we will be collecting donations on the day. We hope our families will help support this worthy cause. Best of luck John!



# Special Awards last week

**Hedgehog Class** Jennifer for working really hard on her writing

**Badger Class** Ethan for being a helpful teacher in Maths and helping the younger members of the class

Fox Class Ellie-Mai for really challenging herself all week

**Writer of the week** Lexi-Mae for uplevelling simple sentences which were beautiful to read

We are very proud of Nathan who has just returned from Poland having represented Norwich City in the Under 11s Pro-Turnieje in Lichen Stary. They played a selection matches and also got some time to enjoy the culture and cuisine!



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### Other messages

#### School Uniform

We are currently sending out pre-ordered stock. Once this is complete we will no longer hold uniform stock in school. All logoed uniform items will then need to be ordered directly from Birds. Further information will be shared on how to do this.

With best wishes, Jennie Müller

Headteacher

### **Dates for your Diary:**

2024

Wednesday 2nd October - Northgate Open Evening
Wednesday 9th October - Parent Surgery with School and Community Team 9am
<a href="https://www.schools.norfolk.gov.uk/article/57442/How-do-they-help">https://www.schools.norfolk.gov.uk/article/57442/How-do-they-help</a>
Wednesday 9th- Friday 11th October - Fox Class Residential
Thursday 10th October - Neatherd Opening Evening
Friday 18th October - Non-uniform Day
Thursday 24th October - Fox Class - Greek Day
Thursday 24th October - End of half term
Monday 4th November - Children return to school
School Meal price increase
Thursday 7th November - Bags2School



#### Level 1:

- CACHE Level 1 Award in Preparing to Work in Schools
- CACHE Level 1 Award in Safeguarding in a Learning Environment
- CACHE Level 1 Certificate in Wellbeing
- Level 1 Occupational Studies for the Workplace

- CACHE Level 2 Certificate in Understanding Safeguarding & Prevent
- CACHE Level 2 Certificate in Understanding Challenging Behaviours

Level 3 Certificate in the Principles of Special Educational Needs

#### Eligibility Criteria:

- Must Be Aged 19+
   Either Claim Benefits (Universal Credit, JSA, ESA, PIP, Income Support, Housing Benefits or any type of Tax Credit including Child Tax Credit).
- OR, be in employment, able to attend the sessions and earning less that £23,500 per year
- You Can't be a student or an International Student
- You Can't be an Asylum Seeker
- You Must have lived in the UK for a Minimum of 3 Years (Except if you are from the Ukraine).

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