

# Dane Bank Primary School Newsletter

Friday 10th September 2021

Welcome back to school everybody! What a lovely first week it has been and a great start to our Autumn Term. The children have all come back with smiles on their faces and a spring in their step and to finally have assemblies and playtimes together again has been just lovely. I would like to thank everybody for their support and kind words as we have started the new school year—and also a thank you to those that attended our Meet the Teacher meetings earlier this week. If you missed the session but would like to have a chat with your child's new teacher, please contact the School Office to arrange this. Thank you, Mrs Lennon ☺

## Afghanistan Crisis Appeal

Thank you to those that have sent items in to help the Tameside Afghanistan Crisis Appeal. All donations will be collected by Wednesday next week. If you would like to donate, we are collecting: larder goods, e.g.—tins, packets, biscuits; toiletries/sanitary products, nappies/baby wipes, new underwear and socks.



## Baby news!

I am pleased to share some very exciting news—Mrs Leigh (Year Two Teacher) is pregnant with her first child (a little girl!) and due in January. I know you will join me in sending huge congratulations to both Mrs Leigh and her husband.



## After School Clubs

A reminder: the After School Clubs letter went out yesterday. If you would like to sign up to a club, please return your form on Monday.

## Date for the diary

On Friday **17th September** we will be celebrating **Jeans for Genes Day**. This is a charity that supports millions of children and families living with genetic disorders across the UK. More details will follow next week—but if you have any old pairs of jeans, we would appreciate them being donated to school. We are going to make some 'denim art'!

## New pupil toilets!

I am incredibly pleased to share that we have had a brand new set of pupil toilets installed over the summer holidays. Year 3 and 4 pupils now have much nicer toilet facilities to use and we are hoping to repeat this process with other sets of pupil toilets in the future.



## Stars of the Week

These children have been chosen by their teacher to receive the "Star of the Week" certificate in Friday assembly—what a great achievement!

We are very proud of them all.

Nursery: **Harlow O'Neil** : A great start to the term and fantastic number work!

Reception: **All of Reception Class** : For a great 1st week and making a fab start!

Year One: **Sebastian Ukwuoma** : A great start to the year and a lovely member of the class!

Year Two: **Lily-Raine Scott** : A fab 1st ever week at Dane Bank and a lovely smile!

Year Three : **Alfie Seville** : Alfie has settled in brilliantly and been very helpful this week!

Year Four : **Aria Stevens** : Being a fantastic, ready learner with the most beautiful handwriting!

Year Five : **Reuben Screen** : A fab 1st ever week at Dane Bank—already a fab class member!

Year Six : **Millie Timblin** : For being helpful; an engaged learner and simply being a joy to have in class!

