



MANORSIDE  
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Friday, 22<sup>nd</sup> September 2023

Dear Parents/Carers,

Thank you for all making such an effort to come into school, our attendance is looking much more positive than previously so we need to keep this up. Please remember that any pupil who has attendance of 96%+ at the end of term will be able to come to an end of term disco. Pupils seem to be thoroughly enjoying their new topics and new class texts, with year 6 having already been to Bovington Tank Museum. We have lots more exciting extra-curricular opportunities coming up including a Year 5 trip to London, Year 2 trip to the Library and Year 1 Museum trip.

Please remember to read with your child as much as possible at home. Any pupils who read 4 or more times (as per recorded in planners) are celebrated as a Reading Champion each week and we would love for as many pupils as possible to be a part of this celebration. Reading on Oxford Owl or Reading Plus can count towards this if it is recorded in their planners.

We are looking forward to attending sporting fixtures this academic year and are aiming for as many of our pupils as possible to be involved with this!

### Parent Survey

Here is the link to our new Parent Survey. We would very much like to have your views and comments, to take part please click on the link below. Thank you

<https://forms.office.com/e/aKJnykxmK>

### Tesco Stronger Starts Funding



We are excited to let you know that we applied for the Tesco Stronger Starts funding and have been successful - meaning that our school has been put forward to a customer vote in Tesco stores. Voting will commence in store from the first week of October 2023 until mid January 2024.

PLEASE help us by voting and getting those little blue counters into the plastic boxes at checkouts! It will be shown as this on the boxes.

### PTFA

The next PTFA meeting for new and existing members will be held on the 26<sup>th</sup> September at 2pm in school.

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## Harvest Festival Donations

On the week commencing 2<sup>nd</sup> October, we will be inviting our pupils to bring in Harvest festival donations to support the 'Hope for food' charity in Bournemouth. Hope for food regularly feed many families hot meals twice a week with their community meals as well as providing over 170 weekly food packages to people in need. If you can manage, please could you send your child into school on Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> October with

any of the below options as Harvest gifts:



### Harvest Festival Collection 2023

#### We need:

tinned meat, tuna, tomatoes, fruit & vegetables, rice, baked beans, pasta sauce, sauce for rice, ketchup, sweet biscuits, savoury biscuits, tea, coffee



#### Drop off:

Hope for Food, Unit 13 Elliott Rd, West Howe Industrial Estate, Bournemouth BH11 8JZ  
Opening times - Tuesday/ Thursday 09:30 - 12:30 and Saturday 10:00 - 12:00

Hope for Food, Bournemouth.  
W: [www.hopeforfood.org.uk](http://www.hopeforfood.org.uk) T: 01202 570804 E: [info@hopeforfood.org.uk](mailto:info@hopeforfood.org.uk)  
Registered Charity No. 1162039 (England & Wales)

Packet soups, Crisps, Tinned food/Soup, Biscuits, Rice Pasta, sauces, Tinned meat, Packet rice, Noodles, Toilet roll and other essentials.  
Nothing that is perishable please.

We realise that this is a tough time for many, and do not want any of our families to feel pressured into sending in goods if this is too much to ask - please do not feel compelled to! But if you can, then we would welcome any donations. Thank you.

We will be taking all of our collection to 'Hope for Food' during the school day and our school House Captains and Community Ambassadors will present our offerings and support to this local charity.

## Curriculum Information Sessions

Thank you very much to those of you who have attended these. If you have been unable to make it, please be assured that the PowerPoints will be uploaded to the school website by the end of next week. [https://www.manorside-academy.co.uk/curriculum/parent-workshops/?doing\\_wp\\_cron=1694175103.0986208915710449218750](https://www.manorside-academy.co.uk/curriculum/parent-workshops/?doing_wp_cron=1694175103.0986208915710449218750)

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| Year Group | Homework         | Day Set   | Day Due             | Purpose  |
|------------|------------------|-----------|---------------------|--|
| Reception  | Learning Journey | Friday    | Wednesday           | To support with upcoming topic for the following week. |
| 1 – 6      | My Maths         | Monday    | Following Monday    | To support with maths learning.                        |
| 1 – 3      | Oxford Owl       | Wednesday | Following Wednesday | To develop reading and comprehension skills.           |
| 4 – 6      | Reading Plus     |           |                     |  |

## Tax Free Childcare

BCP Council have produced a new flyer promoting Tax Free Childcare that they would love to share with our families. With a Tax-Free Childcare account, working parents will:

- get an extra £2 for every £8 paid in
- get up to £2000 per child, per year or up to £4000 if your child is disabled
- pay for childcare for children up to 11 years or 17 years if they have a disability.

Find more information here on the [Family Information Directory](#).

The subscription link to the [Family Information weekly newsletter too](#)? Packed with articles covering a variety of information, locally and nationally, for all our families in Bournemouth, Christchurch and Poole with children aged 0 to 19 years including topics for those with special educational needs and disabilities (SEND) 0 to 25 years.

## High Achievers for the previous two weeks:-

|           |                            |           |                        |
|-----------|----------------------------|-----------|------------------------|
| <b>1S</b> | <b>Isla, Remi</b>          | <b>4F</b> | <b>Paige, Obasola</b>  |
| <b>1H</b> | <b>Harrison, Maja</b>      | <b>4P</b> | <b>Danny, Brooke</b>   |
| <b>2O</b> | <b>Clay, Elodie</b>        | <b>5C</b> | <b>Dylan, Courtney</b> |
| <b>2T</b> | <b>Caine, Lucy, Aariah</b> | <b>5S</b> | <b>Jaxon, Poppy</b>    |
| <b>3H</b> | <b>Maya, Dakota</b>        | <b>6C</b> | <b>Emily, Evie</b>     |
| <b>3W</b> | <b>Jakub, Alessia</b>      | <b>6F</b> | <b>Aiden</b>           |

## School Value Awards for the previous two weeks:-

**Kindness** – Jamie 6F, Halle 2O, Brooke 4P, Mohid 4F, Oliver 2O, Sophie, Cherrie, Toby,  
**Resilience** – Riley 5C, Anya 5S, Oliver 6C, Barnaby 2T, Elisa 3H, Vinnie 3W, Toby 1H, Sophie, Amelia, Adam, Blake  
**Respectful** – Mylo, Bhavisha, Victoria, Alice, Sienna

## Sports Class of the Week – Class 3H Sports Certificate Awarded to Betsy 1S

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**Reading Ambassadors - Brooke 4P, Caleb 5S, Amy 5C, Finley 4F, Rosa 4F, Ella 3W, Oby 3H, Barnaby 2T, Charlotte 2O, Iris 1H**

#### Pen Licences

**Bronze** Jessica 2O  
**Silver** Charlotte, Max, Jade, Emily, Harley, Nelly, Evie, Victoria N, Victoria D all in 6C  
 Alessia, Sara both in 3W  
**Gold** Majus 6C

#### Raring2go Magazine

<https://8bbal.r.ag.d.sendibm3.com/mk/cl/f/sh/SMK1E8tHeFuBo0cdfpemoe91dmFQ/-wEc6lYhhJv>

#### Dates to Remember:

|                              |  |
|------------------------------|--|
| Mon 25 <sup>th</sup> Sept    | Phonics and Reading Workshop 15.25 – 15.55 |
| Tues 26 <sup>th</sup> Sept   | Individual Photos                          |
| Tues 26 <sup>th</sup> Sept   | PTFA meeting in school at 2pm              |
| Thurs 28 <sup>th</sup> Sept  | Yr 5 visit to The London Eye               |
| Friday 29 <sup>th</sup> Sept | Yr 2 visit to the local library            |

#### REMINDERS

**PE KIT** - As previously advised it is now compulsory to wear our new PE kit. You will find purchasing details on our website. Thank you.

**School Lunches** – These should be booked in a week in advance, the cut-off period is midnight on Tuesday for meals the following week. If you have not booked you will be called and asked to provide a packed lunch from home.

**After School Clubs** - Clubs will be advised to you today, and access to book places via Parent Pay will be from 10am on Tuesday, 12<sup>th</sup> until Friday 15<sup>th</sup>. The clubs will then be closed and no more bookings will be accepted for the remainder of this term. Your child/children will be expected to attend all sessions of their chosen club.

**PTFA** –Co- Chairs for this current academic year, are Louisa Haines and Kirstie Thompson.

Yours sincerely

Miss Sutter  
Principal

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