



# St. Lawrence CE Primary School

**Executive Head Teacher - Ms. Helen Osterfield**

**Head of School - Mrs. Alison Moore**

Dear Parents and Carers,

Friday 18th September 2020

Thank you for adhering to social distancing measures at drop off and pick up times and supporting school, with your help we are all contributing to keeping everyone in the school community safe. Please can I just politely remind parents that drop off and collection times are at the earliest times for siblings, this is particularly essential for children in Class 1 as we have noticed some children are not arriving until 9.05am or later when the majority of children have been in since 8.45am. This delays the start to our session times and causes some disruption to staffing arrangements in class.

We understand that the drop off and collection times are not ideal as there is little or no time to speak to your child's class teacher and sometimes that little communication is all that is needed to alleviate concerns or queries. Please can I remind that you can email the school office on [a3091@telford.gov.uk](mailto:a3091@telford.gov.uk) or telephone the school at any point if you have any concerns. Mrs Care and Mrs Stevens are extremely efficient and will forward your email to the appropriate member of staff who will respond to you in a timely fashion. We will be offering telephone conversations towards the end of the half term so that you can speak to your child's class teacher about how they are settling back in to school. Details of this will follow in the next few weeks.

SeeSaw, our online platform for communication will be uploaded with homework tasks today so please do check this. We will be sending home learning tasks out on a Friday and the expectation is that tasks will be completed by Wednesday. Children will be sent home with a purple homework book to record home tasks and this can be photographed as evidence and uploaded to their individual class page. If the home learning task is practical you may wish to photograph or record this as evidence. We ask for the Purple homework books to be kept at home and not brought back into school as we are following guidance on reducing transmission from home to school. Please do ask for another book if you complete the one sent home today.

This week the annual PTFA AGM took place virtually and we thank all of you who were able to attend. The fundraising from the PTFA during my time here at ST. Lawrence has been marvellous and the dedication from our committee members has been outstanding. I would like to place on record my thanks to all the PTFA members past and present who have been involved in the events organised and helped support school in raising money. Through your support school has been able to buy additional resources to enhance the curriculum and provide exciting opportunities for all the children at St. Lawrence. A new committee was appointed on Wednesday evening led by Julie Jones as Chairperson, so we look forward to working with them and discussing some creative ideas on how we can fundraise in these very strange and difficult times.

'Have a safe and enjoyable weekend'

Mrs Moore



# Celebrating Success this week!



## CLASS 1

**Ariana-Jane** : for helping and supporting her friends

**Isabella W** : for putting 100% effort into all her work and always ready to learn

## CLASS 2

**Owain W** : for working really hard all week

**Leo Y** : for his excellent guided reading work

## CLASS 3

**Joshua L** : for his fantastic effort in all his subjects

