

'Being the best we can be, because with God all things are possible"

Dear Parents,

We are at the end of the Autumn term, and Christmas is nearly with us. It has been lovely to share a Nativity performance and Church services with the children and many of you.

As this is my last newsletter before finishing in my role as Executive Head this week, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your support and kindness over the last four years. I have truly loved working with your children- they are a joy and bring so much happiness to St Lawrence every day. I would also like to express my thanks to the staff who are a wonderful team, going above and beyond for the school and pupils. I will miss everyone at St Lawrence; staff, pupils and yourselves as parents, and I will always carry a piece of St Lawrence in my heart.

I wish you all a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year for 2025- may it be filled with love and laughter, peace and joy, and I pray that the good times will outweigh the bad.

Romans 15:13 - May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace as you trust in Him, so that you may overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit.

With very best wishes,

Mrs Nash.



Monday 6th January– CLOSED PD Day

**Tuesday 7th January** Back to school



# Celebrating success this week

## AWARDS THIS WEEK GO TO ....

#### THE CORE VALUES AWARD

Our St. Lawrence Values Award is an award nominated by the pupils and teachers to reflect the school's values.

The Spiritual Ambassadors this week have nominated—

**Lucas** for showing compassion to his class mates when they are sad.

#### TEACHER AWARDS

<u>Class One</u> All of **Class 1** for a fantastic performance this week

<u>Class Two</u> All of **Class 2** for a fantastic performance this week

<u>Class Three</u> All of **Class 3** for a fantastic performance this week

<u>Class Four</u> All of **Class 4** for a fantastic performance this week





Class 2 have won this week's Attendance Trophy with an attendance figure of 100%

**ATTENDANCE AWARD** 

Very well done!







Teaching of our behaviour curriculum centres around six core behaviours that encourage children to be polite, active learners.

Children can earn awards for showing the six core behaviours. When they have achieved all 6 awards, they get their name and photo on the hall of fame.



### This week the Behaviour awards go to ......

- <u>Class 1</u> Super sitting : **Evie** Active learning **: Hania, Jasmine and Jax** Magnificent manners **: Ophelia**
- <u>Class 2</u> Magnificent manners : Ella Active learning : Marios Wonderful walking : Evie
- <u>Class 3</u> Magnificent manners : Drew, Lucas and Theo

Super sitting – **Lily, Aman and Ella W** Wonderful walking : **Millie S, Ewuradwoa, Elsie. Gurleen, Eowyn and Jack**. Fantastic listening : **Ariana, Hudson and Esmae** 

<u>Class 4</u> – Active Learning : Ivy-Rose and Isla

Super sitting : Oliver and Cameron



Evie, Marios, Ivy-Rose and Isla

have received all six behaviour certificates and has received a brilliant behaviour award









We would like to share Millie Thomas's picture prior to her Christmas dance show over 2 days 14/15th December. She danced and sang in 7 performances which lasted 3 hours each day. Millie was confident and enjoyed participating with her dance team.

Millie has improved in her self esteem and development since joining the club, which is so positive. Her family are very proud of this achievement.

Well done Millie!



# This week in School....





From The Friends of St Lawrence Thank you to everyone who has taken part and volunteered to make the Christmas events happen. Whether it's buying a raffle ticket, donating a hamper prize as part of the mufti day, buying a cup of tea or mince pie, or lending a helping hand, we really couldn't have pulled it off without you.

Thank You

Together you have raised a huge

## £620!

This is on top of anything that the school raised directly with the disco. WOW!