



Aldwyn Primary School

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Our EYFS and KS1 children performed their nativities this week. We were treated to an amazing show at all performances with beautiful singing and wonderful acting.

Well done Everyone!



Nursery and Reception enjoyed the performance of Bunny Can't Sleep by 2 Boards and A Passion who visited us in school on Thursday morning. We work closely with 2 Boards and A Passion as part of the REAL Project.





Tameside Radio came to visit Aldwyn and Hawthorns last week to collect the gifts that families from both schools have been donating. They met with Pupil Voice representatives from both schools and interviewed them for the radio. The children then helped to load the van with the toys – several trips were needed thanks to your generosity. A video of the visit, including the interviews can be viewed on the Tameside Reporter Facebook page <https://www.facebook.com/TamesideReporter/videos/878014357323212>



The nursery children had a great time decorating gingerbread men this week. They were able to choose from different icing colours and sprinkle to make their own tasty treat look great.



We would like to take this opportunity to remind parents of our school uniform expectations ahead of any purchases ready for the return to school in the new year.

Below are the guidelines for Aldwyn school uniform:

Winter Uniform

- Grey skirt, pinafore, trousers or shorts
- White blouse, shirt or polo shirt (school logo optional)
- Navy blue sweatshirt or cardigan (school logo optional)
- Black shoes – **NOT TRAINERS OR CONVERSE**

Summer Uniform

Same as above, but:

- Blue and white dresses may be worn
- Sandals which fasten onto the foot may be worn

Indoor PE Kit

- White T-shirt (plain)
- Black shorts
- Pumps or trainers with non-marking sole for indoor games
- Bare feet for gymnastics

Outdoor PE Kit

- White T-shirt (plain)
- Black shorts
- Trainers

A plain, dark tracksuit (or jogging bottoms and sweatshirt) may be worn in colder months.

For all PE lessons

- Earrings must be taken out. (Children who cannot remove their studs must bring in tape e.g. Micropore)
- Watches must be removed (No other jewellery is permitted in school).
- Long hair must be tied back.

For Swimming

- Full swimsuit
- Trunks (or shorts above knee length)
- Swimming cap (for long hair)

After School Sports Clubs

- Children attending after school sports clubs must wear the school PE kit. Additional clothing may be suggested for certain clubs e.g. football boots or shin pads.

Uniform with the school logo can be purchased locally from Panache in Droylsden, MCS in Ashton and Top Marks in Ashton.

It can also be purchased online at <https://myclothing.com/collections/aldwyn-primary-school-6892>



To help inspire our future scientists, Scientific Sarah from 'Mad Science' visited on Wednesday morning to deliver a very exciting science demonstration.

We are looking forward to our science club starting in the new year, on a Friday night for Reception to Year 6 pupils.

The first half term sessions are full, but places can be reserved for the club that will take place after the February half-term holiday.

<https://northengland.madscience.org/parents-register-a.aspx>



The KS2 members of Pupil Voice visited Age UK in Openshaw on Monday for an afternoon of festive fun with the ladies and gentlemen of their Monday group.

We enjoyed playing bingo, pass the sprout, making crafts and singing and dancing together. It was great to meet and chat with the different people who make up the group.

Thank you to Oliver and his mum for making it possible.



To be our best at



We will:

- Care for people and property
- Value others at all times
- Listen, think and follow instructions
- Be helpful, kind and polite
- Enjoy and achieve in all our work

Each week teachers choose a star of the week based on the Aldwyn Values.

The winners of this week's awards are:

Theodore	Oscar	Isaac	Hunter	Logan	Daisy
Albie	Willow	Noah James	Halle	Niamh	Rome
Logan	Logan	Nedaa	James	Alfie	Megan
Zac	Winson	Alba	Ivy	Iden	Tilly
Muhammad-Ali	Tilly-Rae	Jae Jae	Year Two children		



The Birthday Message

We wish you many happy returns of the day.
We hope you will be healthy and strong all the way
Strong to do right, slow to do wrong,
And thoughtful of others all day long.




This week and during the holidays we celebrate the birthdays of:

Anthony	Bella	Alfie	Emilia	Archie
Penny	Darcie	Megan	Leia	Rome
Beatriz	Lily	Archie	Alba	Jack
Ronnie	Emily	Alexis	Harrison	Freya
Muhammad-Ali	Belle	Alayna	Lola	Niamh
Mrs Rowbotham	Miss Manning	Mrs Ellis	Mrs Naeem	Mrs Stopford



Christmas Performances and Parties




Monday 11th December 9.15am EYFS nativity for Nursery and Reception Parents
10.30am EYFS nativity for Nursery and Reception Parents

Tuesday 12th December 9.15am KS1 Christmas performance for Year 2 Parents
2pm KS1 Christmas performance for Year 1 Parents

Wednesday 13th December Christmas Dinner and Christmas Jumper day

Thursday 14th December Year 3 and 4 party day

Friday 15th December Year 5 and 6 party day



Monday 18th December EYFS and KS1 party day
9.45am Year 3 and 4 Carol Service at St. Mary's Church
10.45am Year 5 and 6 Carol Service at St. Mary's Church

