

Dear parents and carers,

Shenzhen visitors

On 21st/22nd October & 11th/12th November & 25th/26th November, we will be hosting visitors from Shenzhen in China. They are here to learn about Education in England and how schools are run. They will watch some lessons and work with groups of children introducing them to aspects of Chinese culture.

Winter Weather

Brrr! It's starting to get quite chilly now, so please remember to send your child to school dressed appropriately for the cold weather. Hats, scarves and gloves should (like all other clothing) be labelled with your child's name. Children do continue to do P.E. outside during the winter months and should have a track-suit/ joggers and sweatshirt in school.



**Come and join us as we celebrate
Harvest on October 24th at 9.30 AM in
the school hall.**

**Refreshments and cakes will be on sale from
9 o'clock before our Harvest assembly.**

**Donations of fresh produce and tinned goods
are warmly welcomed. Tins will be sent to
The Salvation Army and fresh produce will
be auctioned off after assembly.**

We very much hope to see you there!



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Sydenham Super Stars!

Congratulations to all of this week's Sydenham Super



Attendance Stars

Our whole school attendance target is 97% this academic year. We can't achieve this without your support!

This week's attendance:

Class R MB: **88%**

Class R AH: **97%**

Class 1 LC: **97%**

Class 1KH: **97%**

Class 2: **99%**

Class 3: **100%**

Class 4: **98%**

Class 5: **96%**

Class 6: **95%**

Overall Attendance: 96%

**Congratulations to to Class 3, who had 100% attendance ~
Fantastic!**

Sydenham Super Stars

Please see the publication of our School Code of Conduct overleaf. We have a wonderful range of fantastic collectable badges that the children can choose from when they are nominated as 'Sydenham Super Star' by their class teachers for their achievements in learning and / or behaviour. There are lots of lovely badges to collect, including seasonal ones. The badges are custom made in our school colour of red, and the 'mini medal' has 'Sydenham Super Star' written on it.



I hope that you have an enjoyable weekend.
Best wishes, Juliette Westwood, Executive Head Teacher



Sydenham Primary

School Code of Conduct

Our Golden Rules:

1. We come to school every day and arrive on time
2. We work hard and always do our best ~ *we don't waste our own or others' time*
3. We are gentle ~ *we don't hurt others*
4. We are kind and helpful ~ *we don't hurt anybody's feelings*
5. We are honest ~ *we don't cover up the truth*
6. We listen ~ *we don't interrupt*
7. We look after property ~ *we don't waste or damage things*
8. We look after each other

Rewards:

1. Verbal praise
2. Written praise
3. Stickers
4. Certificates
5. Letters home
6. Golden Time
7. Five minutes' extra play (class reward from lunchtime supervisors)

Sanctions ~ what will happen if you *choose* not to follow the rules:

Classroom

- 1st time: verbal warning
2nd time: moved to another part of the classroom
3rd time: go for 10 minutes' 'time out' in another classroom (recorded in class behaviour book)
4th time: missed playtime, supervised by class teacher
5th time: sent to Assistant Head or Head Teacher
6th time: contact parents

Lunch time

- 1st time: verbal warning
2nd time: stand with supervisor for 10 minutes
3rd time: misbehaviour recorded in senior midday supervisors book and brought to Assistant Head or Head Teacher for 'time out' of the playground
4th time: following poor behaviour in senior midday supervisor's book 3 times in one week, parents will be contacted and child will have 'time out' from the playground for 1 week.



The children in years 3 and 4 will
proudly present their production of

The Lion King

On Thursday 21st November at 2.00pm
Ticket requests slips will be sent out next week

Babies and toddlers are welcome, but we politely request that parents take small children out of the hall if they become tired or upset, so that the audience can hear and enjoy the show.