



BADSWORTH
CofE School

CARE – Prepare – Believe
'I can do all things through Him who strengthens me.'
Philippians 4:13

13th September, 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope all the children have settled back into the school routine and are now used to their new teachers. It was lovely to welcome our new Foundation Stage children and their families at a church service on Wednesday, led by Reverend Karen at St. Mary's Church. The children certainly made everyone proud with how they sat and listened in church.



School Vision – As we start our new school year, it is always a good opportunity to remind families of our School Vision and Christian Values. The children have been producing work to express what they think of when they hear our School Vision and Christian Values.

Children and staff also use the words of our vision to encourage children and to celebrate their achievements at the end of the week in our celebration worship.

Here at Badsworth C of E Junior and Infant School, we ensure everyone flourishes through the way we:

- CARE – Prepare – Believe
- **Consider And Respect Everyone** as Jesus taught
- **Prepare** for a bright future
- **Believe** we can make a difference

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Christian Values – We have 6 core Christian Values which we focus on each school year. These are:

Belonging
Kindness
Courage
Forgiveness
Trust
Hope

These will be celebrated and discussed with the children over the school year and will be taught in order to let our school vision grow.

Belonging - We start the school year with the value of 'Belonging'. Through our Collective Worship, children will be reflecting on belonging to Badsworth School, to a family, faith and community.

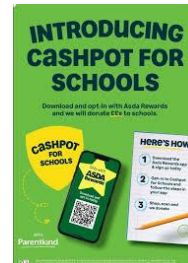


Message from FOBS - Hello and a very warm welcome to both our new and returning families from us all here at FOBS. Our whole purpose is to ensure that we provide additional resources for school and extra-curricular activities so that our children can have their best experience during their time here. FOBS is run purely on a voluntary basis, so we rely on new members joining every year to replace the members that have left as their children have finished their journey through the school. We are currently recruiting for new members to join our committee. We meet in school once every half term and new volunteers always

receive a warm welcome to the team. Any support, no matter how big or small, is always greatly appreciated. Our next meeting is on **Tuesday 17th September at 6pm** in school if you would like to join or, alternatively, feel free to email us at fobs@badsworthceschool.co.uk with any suggestions for fundraising or events, or if you have any questions. We look forward to seeing you at one of our events soon.

Parentkind – The charity that supports school PTAs have teamed up with Asda, which is making millions of pounds available to donate to primary schools across the UK through their 'Cashpot for Schools' initiative. Asda will donate 0.5% of the value of your shop to our Primary School through FOBS. Also, every time somebody opts in, Asda will give an additional £1 to our Cashpot. Plus, it doesn't stop there – Asda are also giving £50 to every school to get them started.

1. Download the Asda Rewards app, register and opt-in to Cashpot for Schools (make sure you have the latest version of the app installed)
2. Choose our Primary School – either searching by name or postcode
3. Shop instore across Asda and George, or online at Asda.com and start filling your Cashpot as you shop



This initiative is running between 2nd September and 30th November 2024 and is on top of the existing Asda Rewards benefits you get as a shopper – so you won't lose out on any of your own earnings or Cashpot. Anyone can sign up so please spread the word to family, friends and colleagues, and help raise funds for our school. More information is available at asda.com/cashpotforschools.

Collecting Children – If someone different to your emergency contact list is collecting your child from school, please ensure a message has been given to school - this is even when it is another parent. School staff will not release children to any other adult than those we have been informed are collecting.

Yours sincerely,

Miss J. Griffiths
Headteacher



The Designated Senior Lead (DSL) for Safeguarding & Child Protection is the Headteacher, Jenny Griffiths, supported by the Deputy Headteacher Jake Thomson, Dominique Jenkins EYFS and KS1 Team Leader and the SENDCO Marie Parker.

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