

# Alexandra Park News

Friday 20th September 2024

Dear Alexandra Park Families,

Please follow the link to view our recent OFSTED report. I am delighted to inform you that Alexandra Park has again been rated an **Outstanding** school!

I would like to take this opportunity to thank every member of our team for their hard work and dedication, every child for always **Caring, Aspiring, and Achieving**, and to all of you, our parents, for being such an integral part of our school community.

<https://www.alexandrapark-pri.stockport.sch.uk/assets/Documents/Attachments/July-2024-OFSTED-report.pdf>

## Assembly Focus

Every week, we have an assembly focus on Monday, which usually ties into our school values or Learning Behaviours. The children then have an opportunity to explore the focus in more detail during their Class Forums. In Friday's Celebration Assembly, our Star of the Week winners are often those who have exemplified the value or learning behaviour we've been focusing on.

The focus of the infant assembly will be on reading for pleasure and the junior assembly will focus on introducing this year's school councils.

## Star of the Week

This week's Star of the Week was a little different. Our focus was collaboration so instead of having one winner in every class, we had two! It was great to hear how our winners, and in fact all the children, have supporting each other with their learning this week.



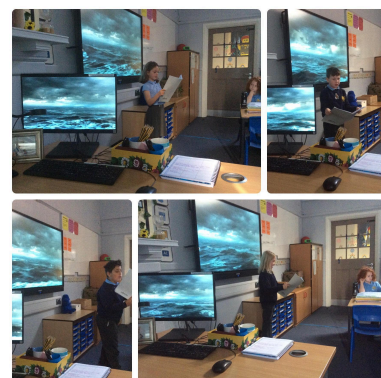
## EYFS

We really enjoyed our visit from the Dental Nurse this week. We talked about healthy choices and the importance of keeping our teeth and gums healthy.



## Year 4

Year 4 enjoyed performing their final setting descriptions about the dangerous Isle of Berk to the class and used some fantastic vocabulary that they have been learning in their English lessons.



Just a quick reminder about two upcoming events, both focused on *Care* and *Community*.

- **Share and Care Event:** We will begin collecting items on Monday, 30th September, and the event will take place on Friday, 4th October. If you're planning a clear-out before then, please set aside any items that might be useful to other children.
- **Community Celebration:** On the last day of the half term, 18th October, we will be celebrating some of the incredible contributions our children make to the community. If you would like to nominate your child or another child, please email us with details of how they've helped the community, and ideally include a photo. Send nominations to: [office@alexandraparkprimary.uk](mailto:office@alexandraparkprimary.uk)



Asda and Cashpot for Schools are running a generous initiative from September through November, where they will donate millions of pounds to schools. We are eager for the children at Alexandra Park to benefit from this scheme!

Here's how it works: Asda will donate 0.5% of the value of your purchases, plus an additional £1 for each parent who signs up to the scheme, and £50 when the first person registers. Even if everyone just signs up, we would raise over £500 for new books and sports equipment!

To help, simply download the Asda app and select our school. Your participation can make a significant difference!