



Sauncey Wood Primary School

Be curious, be kind, be your best, be you!

Head Teacher: Mr Jamie Brewis

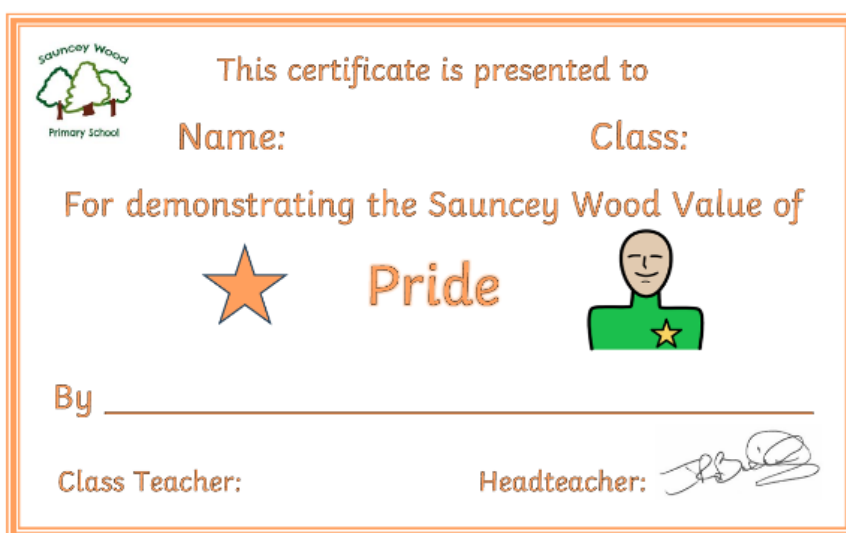
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Dear Parents and Carers



During Monday's assembly Mrs Bloomfield introduced this half term's learning behaviour "Pride". We looked at different people who had shown commitment and dedication to their chosen careers to the point where their perseverance had led them to win awards. We talked about how proud they must have felt and that along the way there would have been many "small proud moments" for themselves and their families.

Each child was asked to think about something they were proud of last year and to think about something they want to achieve this year. Over the weekend, please talk to your child about their responses so that these can be shared with their class teachers next week.

I have felt very proud walking around the school this week, looking at the effort our children are putting into their learning and the pride they are taking in the work they are producing. We are having a big push on handwriting this term and children, as part of their homework, should be practicing their handwriting (when they learn their spellings) each week.

Please remember that we are having our rearranged Sports Day next Friday, with the colour run starting straight after school. Please do come along for both events if you are able to make it.

We are setting up a new intervention room and are looking for a few resources, if you have any you can donate then please bring them to the school office:

Duplo bricks



Interactive toys which make sounds, light up or move



Many thanks Mrs Bloomfield

Have a wonderful weekend and I look forward to seeing you at our first Celebration Assembly on Friday.

Mr Brewis
Headteacher



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Playground Renovation Project

In aid of Friends of Sauncey Wood

The playgrounds for Reception and Year 1 at Sauncey Wood School were in dire need of update and repair. Thanks to the Harpenden Trust and our wonderful parents, we successfully raised the money to deliver the first update - our lovely new climbing frame. Now we need to raise the money for the second phase of works!

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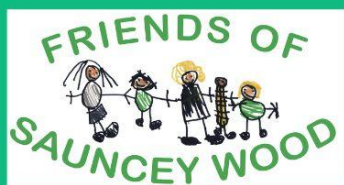


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Dates for the Diary	
Friday 11 th Sept 2026	Teddy bear's picnic for Reception and Year 1 pm
Wednesday 16 th September 2026	Meet the teacher 3.30-4.30
Friday 18 th September 2026	Sports day and colour run
Tuesday 22 nd September 2026	EYFS and KS1 phonics meeting 3.30-4
Wednesday 23 rd September 2026	Reception to Hedgehog Sanctuary
Tuesday 6 th October 2026	Year 5 trip to STEM Centre
Thursday 8 th October 2026	Year 4 to Verulamium Museum
Tuesday 13 October 2026	Year 3 trip to Celtic Harmony
Tuesday 20 th October 2026	Year 6 trip to RAF Hendon
Monday 23 rd November 2026	Year 6 class assembly
24 th November and 26 th November 2026	Parents evening
Friday 27 th November 2026	Occasional day
Wednesday 2 nd December 2026	Chestnut class to St Albans abbey
Friday 4 th December 2026 at 3.15pm	FoSW Christmas Fayre
Friday 11 th December 2026	Save the children Xmas jumper day
Tuesday 15 th December 2026	Nativity performances EYFS year 1 and 2 am and pm
Thursday 17 th December 2026 9.00am	Governor's assembly
Thursday 17 th December 2026	Class Christmas afternoon
Friday 18 th December finish at 1.30	End of term
Monday 18 th January 2027	Year 5 class assembly
Monday 26 th April 2027	Chestnut class assembly
Monday 10 th May 2027	Year 4 class assembly
Monday 21 st June 2027	Reception class assembly
Monday 28 th June 2027	Year 3 class assembly



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