




Friday 10th
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Cavendish Values – POSITIVITY!

Lots of POSITIVITY shown this week in the children's learning and interaction with each other, as we think about mental health and wellbeing. Read on to find out more...



Diary Dates

17th Feb - finish for half term
27th Feb - school re-opens

Cavendish – RESPONSIBLE CITIZENS

We will be raising money for the Syria and Turkey Earthquake appeal next Friday by having an OWN CLOTHES DAY and asking you to make a donation. Details of payment will be on School Gateway, or send your money to the school office. Details to follow.



Pooches on the Playground

Please can we ask that dogs are not brought onto school grounds or tied to school gates whilst you are collecting your child. Thank you for your co-operation.



Cavendish Coffee Morning!

Friday 17th February

9:10am - 10:10am in the Annex



We are very pleased to be holding our first **Cavendish Coffee Morning** for parents and carers. All are welcome to come along for...

- a chance to meet other parents/carers (catch up and chat over a brew & a biscuit!)
- find out more about school
- get some information on a variety of topics
- speak to our staff for help or advice
- feel part of the BRILLIANT Cavendish Community

Each session will have a focus where a member of the Cavendish staff will be there to have a chat with and share information or advice. Special Education Needs will be the first focus and one of our SENDCOs will be attending.

All welcome, including babies and younger children.



LOST PROPERTY

FREE Pre-Loved Jumper Give Away at the end of the half term – next Friday outside the main office.



PLEASE make sure your child's belongings are clearly named so that they can be given back. Unnamed items will be placed in a lost property box, which the children are encouraged to check.

Your Senior Leadership Team

Assistant Headteacher – Mrs Day

Her role is to lead the staff and children in Year 5 & 6.

'I have loved all my years at Cavendish (too many to count!). It's been a real privilege to work with so many families over the years. I really enjoy watching the children grow, coming back to visit from high school and universities and sometimes returning as parents with their own children. Cavendish Primary School is a lovely community which has taught me so much and I'm looking forward to seeing the next generation come along.



BRILLIANT SPORT

A group of children across Y4, 5 & 6 went to the Regional Athletics Arena to take part in a Multi Skills Primary Panathlon Event. The children had lots of fun and demonstrated great teamwork and perseverance skills. Truly brilliant citizens! They also got to meet Nedum Onuoha (ex Man City footballer).



The Cavendish Values

Creating **BRILLIANT**
Citizens

RESPECT EQUALITY POSITIVITY
RESPONSIBILITY KINDNESS COURAGE





Mental Health Week 2023

We have been celebrating and learning all about CONNECTING as part of Children's Mental Health Week.

<https://www.childrensmentalhealthweek.org.uk/schools/>

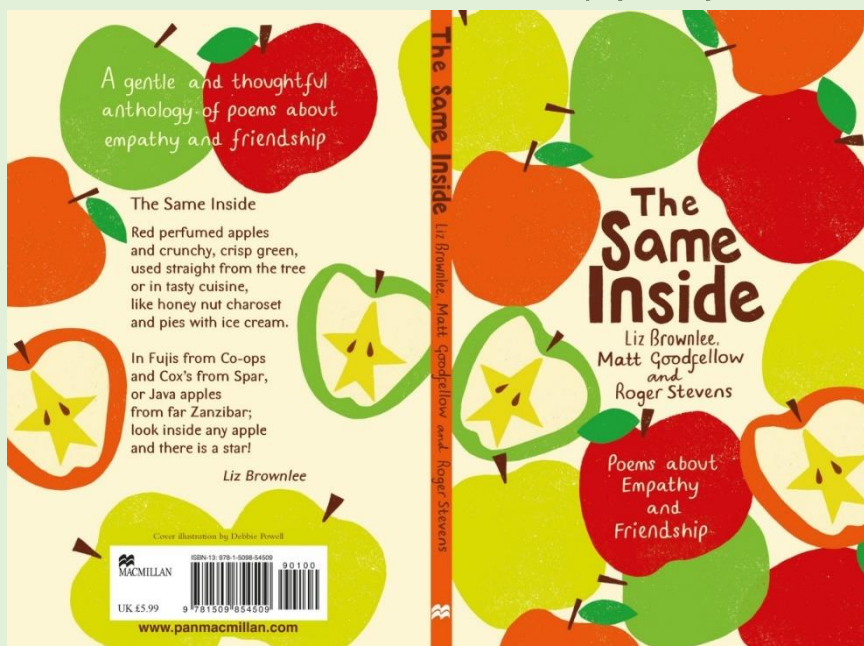


The theme this year was 'Let's Connect' and we reminded the children about the importance of togetherness and reaching out when it is needed.

It was a great reminder of how important it is to talk and connect with each other as well as taking the time for mindfulness. Our new meditation techniques really helped – thank you Meditation Masters!

Assemblies were enjoyed by all children where stories, messages and poems were used to share the message of 'Let's Connect!'

Here is one of the books that was enjoyed by the children...



Thank you Mr Tate, our Mental Health Lead, for leading such an important message.





Safer Internet Day 2023



This week, we have also taken part in Safer Internet Day. Each year group took part in an assembly and activity to remind the children of the importance of keeping safe online and talking about their worries, concerns or questions.

Safer Internet Day is a global campaign to promote the safe and responsible use of technology, which calls on children and young people, parents, carers, teachers, social workers, law enforcement, companies, policymakers and more, to help to create a better internet.

Using the internet safely and positively is a key message that we promote at Cavendish and celebrating Safer Internet Day is a great opportunity for us to re-emphasise the online safety messages we deliver throughout our curriculum.

We would be delighted if you could join us in marking the day by continuing the conversation at home. To help you with this, the UK Safer Internet Centre have created some free activities and information for parents and carers which are available at: saferinternet.org.uk/SID-parents.

Whether you have 5 minutes to start a conversation or hours to spare, there are top tips, quizzes and films which you can use at home with your child.

If you have any concerns or questions about keeping your child safe online, please do get in touch with your child's class teacher or Miss Evans, our Designated Safeguarding Lead.

You could also visit our school website for more advice

<http://www.cavendish.manchester.sch.uk/>

Online Safety Parent Workshop

There will be an Online Safety Parent Workshop on Monday 27th February from 6.00-7.00pm. Learn more about how to keep your child safe in their online world.

The Online Safety Hub and parental control safety app will also be introduced and shared.

Follow the link to join the Workshop:

https://smoothwall.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_ivfMbhX9TO-dFgF6y4LPnA