

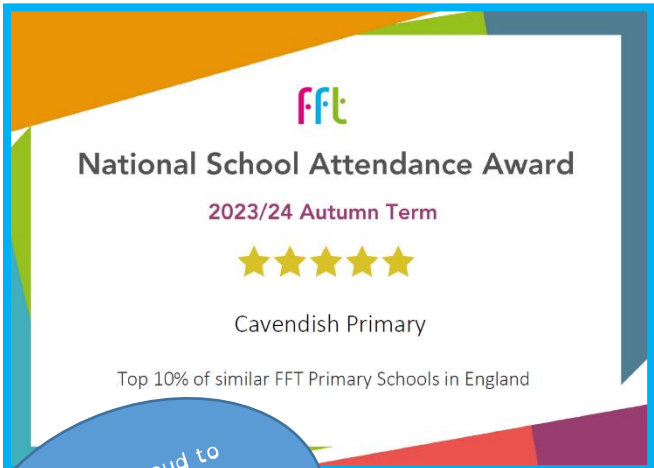
Friday 8th
March 2024

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Diary Dates

- 13th & 14th March: Parents' Evenings
- 15th March: Red Nose Day for Comic Relief
- 22nd March: 1SH class assembly
- 22nd March: PTA Easter Crafternoon
- 26th March: 5MD class assembly
- 27th March: 4KE class assembly
- 28th March: Easter FUN day (bonnets & eggs!)
- 28th March: break up for Easter holidays


RESPONSIBLE thinking...!
 This week, children have been using our golden value of **RESPONSIBILITY** to think about lunchtimes. They used their *right to play* in creating a **LUNCHTIME CHARTER**. We used our values to base our behaviour goals on. We will be sharing our lunchtime charter very soon!



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National School Attendance Award
 2023/24 Autumn Term
 ★★★★★
 Cavendish Primary
 Top 10% of similar FFT Primary Schools in England


Comic Relief – Red Nose Day: Friday 15th March

We will be raising money for Comic Relief next Friday by all **wearing red** and spreading joy throughout our school. Please remember to send your donation to Gateway or with your child into school.




We are proud to be in the top 10% of schools for attendance!

ATTENDANCE Matters

- Last week's whole school attendance was 95%
- Class winners of the attendance trophies were...
- Nursery - Bees - 97.1%
 - Reception - RFK - 98.4%
 - Y1&2 – 2CC – 99.3%
 - Y3&4 - 4KF - 98.6%
 - Y5&6 - 5LM - 100%
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Parents' Evening
 We look forward to seeing you all at Parents' Evening next week. As always, we value your feedback and will be carrying out a parent / carer survey with you whilst you wait for your appointment with your child's class teacher.



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International Women's Day

To mark International Women's Day, we celebrated a very important local woman from the past...Margaret Ashton.

In assembly, children thought about

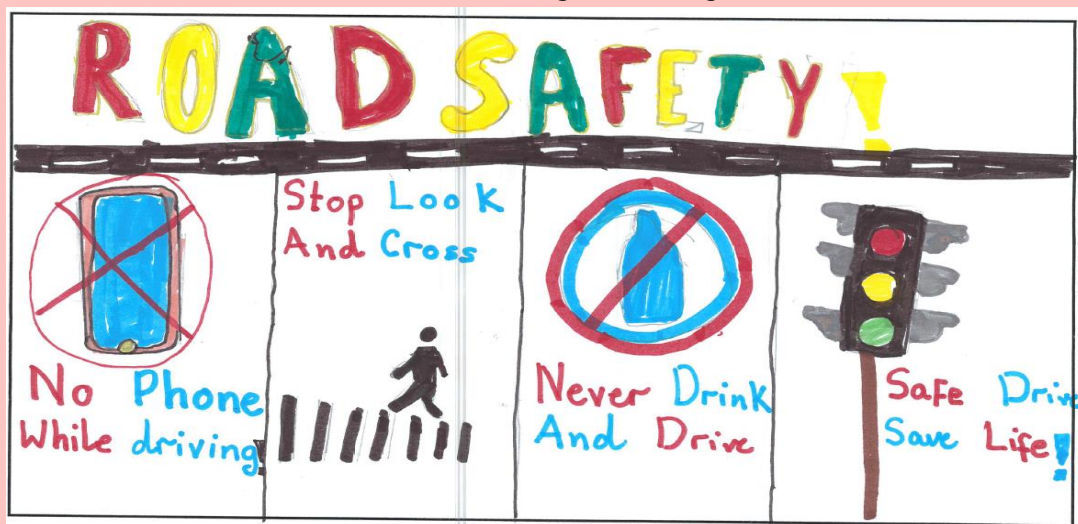
Who she was and why she was important to the local area, Cavendish in particular.

Happy International Women's Day!



Road Safety Poster: winning entry by Razan in Y5

Please be safe when driving & parking near school...



Reports have been made from parents and residents about unsafe driving and parking during drop off and pick up times. We are currently working with the local authority on how to improve this. We ask that everyone considers each other, their safety and the rules around driving and parking on our roads.

Cavendish Sport



Following on from their success last Friday, the girls performed brilliantly and won all their games! They were fantastic ambassadors for the school and are looking forward to more games in the future! What BRILLIANT team work, well done!

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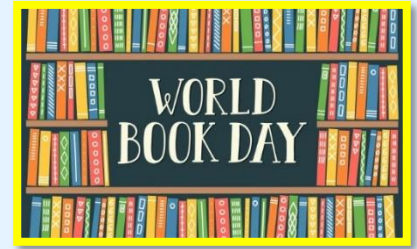
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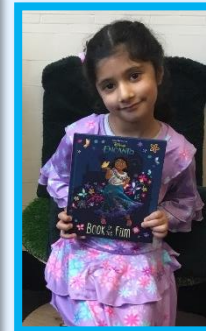
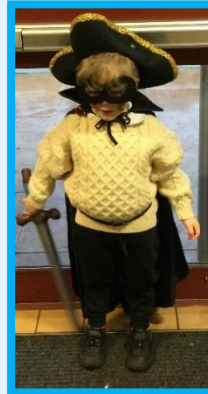


World Book Day at Cavendish!

What a BRILLIANT World Book Day we had! Children came to school in colourful costumes, ready to talk about their favourite or chosen books.



We welcomed special visitors from AS Creatives who delivered Character Hunt workshops. The children explored characters through drama and had lots of fun!



We also had assemblies to celebrate how wonderfully magical books!



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BRILLIANT CITIZENS

In this section of the newsletter we hear all about how the children are being **BRILLIANT** citizens!

Zaviyar has worked hard this week organising his friends to do litter picking as part of an online Arabic course he is doing. Well done Zaviyar, what a **BRILLIANT** citizen!



We love to hear about how our children are achieving and making a difference outside of school. If you would like to share your news in the Cavendish newsletter, please let us know what you have been up to by emailing the school office... office@cavendish.manchester.sch.uk

To celebrate World Book Day on 7th March 2024
The Didsbury Parsonage Trust are pleased to announce our very first

CHILDREN'S SHORT STORY COMPETITION

THEME
The Didsbury Parsonage/
The Parsonage Gardens

PRIZES
The two winning entries will be read out at our *Easter Storytelling Event on:
Thursday 11th April
and produced into a 'book(let)' for all visitors to read and enjoy in our cosy reading nook/coffee area
*Further details to be announced soon!

No. of words - 500
Age categories: 5-7 & 8-11
Entry Fee - £3 donation

"All donations received go towards maintaining and improving the building and supporting the various community activities and event at The Parsonage."

"Come down to The Didsbury Parsonage & Parsonage Gardens and get some **INSPIRATION!**"

Pick up an entry form from The Curator's Room at The Didsbury Parsonage Office or email: manager@didsburyparsonagetrust.org.uk
Drop off your entry at The Didsbury Parsonage Office by: **Monday 1st April** along with your **£3 donation**
Judging to take place on: **Thursday 4th April** | Winners announced: **Friday 5th April**

PROOVE

CALLING ALL PIZZA PICASSOS

DESIGN A PIZZA BOX & GET **FREE KIDS PIZZA!**

1 KIDS PIZZA FREE WITH EVERY FULL PAYING ADULT
1ST - 14TH APRIL

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GROWING BRILLIANTLY

5 PROVEN WAYS TO BUILD HIGH SELF-ESTEEM IN KIDS

1 MODEL IT BY...

CELEBRATING SUCCESSES

"I'm so glad I did skateboarding with you. I was nervous but I tried it. Go me!"

NORMALIZING FAILURES

"I lost my temper. Next time, I'll take a deep breath, and count to 10 before I say anything. Then I'll be more in control of my feelings."

2 RESPECT THEIR CHOICES BY...

SHOWING INTEREST

"Who do you like watching on Tik Tok? What do you like about them?"

ACCEPTING DIFFERENCES

"I like that you have your own unique style. You know what you like to wear."

3 ENCOURAGE INDEPENDENCE THROUGH...

SUGGESTING A KID-FRIENDLY TASK

"Do you want to help with making breakfast today?"

GIVING OPTIONS SO THEY FEEL IN CONTROL

"Hm... I need someone to butter the toast or set the table. Which would you like to try?"

4 ACCEPT ALL EMOTIONS BY...

ASKING ABOUT FEELINGS

"How did you feel when your friend made fun of you in class today?"

SHARING HOW YOU COPE

"When I feel sad, sometimes listening to music helps me feel better. What makes you feel better when you're feeling that way?"

5 APPRECIATE MISTAKES...

BOTH THEIRS

"You had a little spill? That's ok. What do you think is the best way to clean it up?"

AND YOURS

"Oops. I think I put too much salt in that recipe. That was a good lesson. Now I know for next time."





KEEPING SAFE & BEING HAPPY

At National Online Safety we believe in empowering parents, carers and trusted adults with the information they need to hold an informed conversation about online safety with their children, should they feel it is needed. This guide focuses on one platform of many which we believe trusted adults should be aware of. Please visit www.nationalonlinesafety.com for further guides, hints and tips for adults.

Personal data is a strange commodity. Cyber thieves can buy huge quantities of personal data on the black market for very little, yet your own personal data is hugely valuable to you. If your personal data falls into the wrong hands, it could lead to identity theft, bank fraud or something even more sinister such as stalking. The severity of that threat is multiplied when it comes to the personal data of children, when threats such as internet grooming begin to emerge. The bad news is that children aren't always great at safeguarding sensitive information, which is why they need parents' help and guidance. That's why we've created this guide to show you how you can protect your own and your family's personal data.



What parents need to know about **PROTECTING PERSONAL DATA**



EVERY DETAIL IS KEY

Which info should you be wary of sharing online? Aside from the obvious, such as full names, date of birth and address, think of the type of information you're asked for when answering security questions for services such as online banking. The name of your first school, your mother's maiden name, the names of your pets, your favourite band. Data thieves will harvest as much of this information as possible, so don't make it easy for them by publishing it anywhere online.



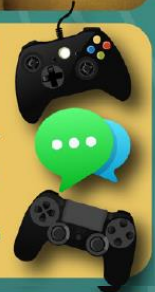
SOCIAL MEDIA VISIBILITY

Social media sites, such as Facebook, encourage us to share sensitive information in order to build our online profiles. Many people are lulled into thinking that only their friends can see such information, but that's rarely the case. Such information can easily be shared with 'friends of friends' or even anyone searching for you online because privacy settings are opaque. Keep social media profiles to the bare minimum. If you wouldn't be comfortable hanging a sign with that information on your front door, don't enter it into social media sites.



DANGEROUS GAMES

Online games are a particular risk for children. Many of the most popular games – such as Fortnite, Minecraft or Roblox – have voice or text chat facilities, allowing them to talk to fellow gamers. Or, sometimes, people pretending to be fellow gamers. It's very easy for children to be seduced into divulging personal data such as their address, birthday or school. It's critical parents both educate children on the dangers on online chat in games and take safeguards to protect children.



IMPOSTERS AND PHISHING ATTACKS

Even if you're scrupulous about keeping your data private on social media, it's easy to be lulled into handing it over to imposters. There are two golden rules for you and your children to follow: 1. Never divulge personal information to phone callers, unless you can be absolutely certain you know who they are. 2. Never click on links or open attachments in emails or social media, unless you're 100% certain they are genuine. So-called phishing emails are growing ever-more sophisticated, with fraudsters able to replicate the exact look of bank emails and even include details such as account numbers and IDs.



THE RISKS OF PASSWORD SHARING

Password sharing – using the same password for multiple sites – is one of the easiest ways to lose control of your personal data. Hacking of major websites, including usernames and passwords, is common. If you're using the same password for a hacked site as you do on your Gmail account, for example, you're handing data thieves an easy route into your inbox, where they will doubtless find all manner of sensitive information, such as bank emails and contacts. Your email account will often also let them reset the password on multiple other accounts. Don't share passwords; use password managers to create strong, unique passwords for every site.



Safety Tips for Parents & Carers

LOOK OUT FOR LEAKS

Many security software packages have features that look for personal data leaks or prevent people from entering it into risky sites in the first place. For example, BullGuard Premium monitors dangerous sites for usage of data such as your email address, debit card numbers, passport number and more, and then sends you email alerts and details of how to take remedial action if it spots them being used. Such software also issues warnings if it sees personal data being entered into unprotected, high-risk sites.



KEEP DATA GUARDED

Don't give the thieves a head start by handing them pieces of sensitive information for free. For example, it's very common to see email address such as davesmith1976@gmail.com – an immediate clue that you were born in that year. If you have a less common name than Dave Smith, thieves could immediately start using that information to cross reference against public records or other database breaches, allowing them to start building a profile of information about you. Likewise, don't use your date of birth in a password. If that's hacked, you've handed the thieves another big clue.



DON'T OVERSHARE ON SOCIAL MEDIA

The biggest threat to your child's privacy is you. Parents often overshare personal information on social media: full names, names of schools, children's birthdays, names of their friends. All of this can be easily gleaned to build profiles that could be used to groom your child in online games or in real life. Exercise extreme caution with social media posts concerning your children.



BE WARY OF SHARED NETWORKS/SYSTEMS

Avoid entering any personal data into a web browser when you're using public Wi-Fi (in a coffee shop or airport, for example) or when using shared computers. Shared Wi-Fi connections are much easier to eavesdrop on than your home network, especially if they are not password protected or the password is shared freely with customers. Don't do online shopping, banking or enter any logins/passwords when using shared Wi-Fi. Likewise, if you're using a shared computer at work, for example, as it's very easy for a browser to save logins that could be used by others.



PLAY SAFE IN ONLINE GAMES

Children must be taught to treat strangers in online games with the same caution as they would treat strangers in the street. Don't allow children to use their real name as their username in games to prevent imposters conning kids into thinking they are real-life friends, and only allow them to add friends in the game that they know in real life. Regularly ask to monitor your child's friends list in such games and ask them to identify who the players are. With younger children in particular, ask them to only use voice chat in family rooms, so that you can hear conversations.

