MANOR WAY MAIL

4TH SEPTEMBER 2026

MESSAGE FROM THE EXECUTIVE HEADTEACHER....

Wow, what a fantastic start to the new school year! Here are our new Reception class in their first week at school looking like they have been here for years! Well done Reception staff and children, we are really proud of you!

We would also like to welcome to Preschool: Sarah, Dougie, Vienna, Hugo, Theo, Daphne, Adalyn, John- Brian, Katie-Ann, Jude and Oliver. And Finally, a great big welcome to Kyra joining Year 5.

Thank you to our children, families and community for supporting Manor Way to get off to a flying start! We would like to thank Lottie's Dad, Mr Clark for fitting new carpets in the KS2 stairs and landing, they are amazing and it has made such a diffrence. We would also like to thank Mr and Mrs Bhagwati for their generous donation to buy forest school equipment for our new Dragonwood Forest School. We have also made the renovations to Reception using the very generous donation from Mr Evans and will share some photos very soon.

Reminders for next week

- Its photo day on Monday, please wear full uniform, even Year 4 who are swimming
- Family photos - if you have a child who is a sibling that does not attend Manor Way you are welcome to bring them to an open photo session from 8.20am to 8.45am. Always great for Christmas presents!
- Year 1 Forest school starts on Monday and Tuesday - please see the letter
- Year 1 and 2 are going to Dudley Zoo on Thursday 10th - please see the letter
- It's WAT Games at Aldersley Leisure Centre Friday 11th for those children who have received letters before the holidays from Mr Griffiths.
- Please ensure children have a named jumper and coat

Enjoy a wonderful weekend and see you Monday for our first full week.

Lisa Buffery
Executive Headteacher