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Dear Parents,

A Huge Well Done to Year 6!

I want to start by saying a massive *well done* to all of our Year 6 children who have successfully made it to the end of SATs week! You have worked incredibly hard, shown great resilience, and we are proud of every single one of you.

SATs are an important opportunity for you to show what you've learned over the years. We always tell our children that working hard, putting in effort, and doing your best are not just important for tests—they are valuable life skills that will serve you well throughout your journey.

At the same time, we make sure you know that these tests only measure a small part of what you know. They *do not* measure your kindness, your creativity, your sense of humour, or the challenges you've overcome. The most important thing is the wonderful person you are growing up to be.

A huge thank you must also go to Mrs Gresty, Mrs Littlewood, and the rest of the amazing staff who have supported the children every step of the way through this week.

I have no doubt that the weekend will be full of celebrations—and they are very well deserved!

Class 1 Assembly

This morning's assembly led by Class 1 was a lovely way to finish the week. The theme of the assembly was Mary, our Mother as we are in the month of May. This then linked into the importance of our own mothers. We have had lots of lovely feedback on such a beautiful assembly.

Save the Date! Pentecost Celebration at St Ann's Church

St Ann's Church is planning a joyful All Nations Party to celebrate the Church's birthday on 8th June, Pentecost Sunday, following the 9.30 am Mass. It will be a wonderful celebration of our diverse community with food, music, and traditional dress. Further details will be sent in a separate email.

Sports Day

We are looking forward to seeing the children compete in sports day which will take place next week. Unfortunately, due to the school grounds, we are not in a position for parents to attend this year. We will still make sure that the children have an extra special time. Please see the separate email for further information.

News from home:

It was a double celebration for this household...

Elijah won the Manchester Youth Super League cup final last weekend. The finals were held at the Silverlands Stadium in Buxton and Elijah's team won 9-3. Well done Elijah!



Elijah's younger brother Isaac, also has something to be proud of...Isaac was presented with a medal and certificate that was an end of season award in recognition of the skills he has displayed at under 4's rugby including listening, try scoring, throwing, catching and displaying balance whilst moving in different directions. Well done Isaac!



Next week:

Monday	Y1 & Y2 Trafford College Sports Event
Tuesday	Y5 & Y6 Sports Day Phonics Check meeting 9:15am or 3:45pm Y1 Parents
Wednesday	Y3 & Y4 Sports Day
Thursday	Y1 & Y2 Sports Day Y6 trip Beach trip
Friday	Nursery & Reception Sports Day Class 7 Swimming Class 2 Assembly 9.15am

