



## Hodge Clough Primary School SMSC (Social, Moral, Spiritual Cultural) News

### **WB 01.10.18**

This week during assembly and circle times we have been exploring the Christian festival, 'Harvest'. We have been thinking about how and why Christians celebrate Harvest and linking this to our continuing work on British Values. The children have also been looking at festivals within other religions that are similar to Harvest and making comparisons.

Tomorrow is our Annual Harvest Festival, where we yet again appeal to your generosity to help those in need. As usual we will be donating all your offerings to the local foodbank to ensure that nobody goes hungry in Oldham. Harvest is a time to be thankful and I know the foodbank and people who receive the goods, have been extremely thankful in the past.

Thank you to everyone who came to support our Macmillan coffee morning or donated cakes. We raised an awful lot of money for a very worthy charity, while having a lot of fun eating cake! A big thank you to Mrs Brogan, Mrs Petrillo and other staff and volunteers who gave up their time to ensure the event was such a great success.

### **WB 08.10.18**

#### **Theme/Value of the Week - Rights and Responsibilities**

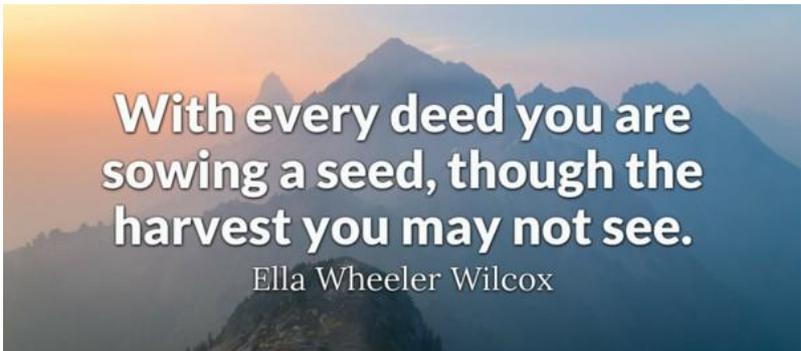
During assembly and circle times we will be discussing the rights and responsibilities the children have in school. The children will also begin to think about what attributes an effective Head of House should have, in the run up to our Head of House elections.

### **Extra Information**

Please keep your proud slips coming into school we are really enjoying reading them! Paper copies can be requested from your child's teacher or you can send them via email to [info@hodgecloughprimary.oldham.sch.uk](mailto:info@hodgecloughprimary.oldham.sch.uk) FAO: Your child's teacher.

**Proud Slip Comment of the Week - Hassan Mushtaq** - He has started to speak English and is memorising new words and verbs everyday. Well done Hassan, speaking two different languages is a real talent. Keep up the good work.

### **Quote of the Week**



**With every deed you are  
sowing a seed, though the  
harvest you may not see.**

Ella Wheeler Wilcox