



# PRESDALES SCHOOL

*Achievement for all*

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Dear Parent/Carer/Student

## **Sporting Success**

On Saturday, our U14 Netball team competed in the Regional Schools Competition at Stanborough School. The students were amazing and came 2nd overall. This means they have qualified for the National Finals which take place in Sheffield in March. Well done to all of the students in the squad. My thanks to Mrs Warner for coaching the girls, Miss Fentiman and Ms Awad for their support.

Congratulations to our U14 and U16 football teams, who won their County Cup quarter finals against Ridgeway (5-2) and Onslow St Audreys (7-0) respectively. We now have County Cup semi-finalists in U14, U15 and U16 age groups. Well done all and thank you to Mr Macrae for coaching the girls.



## **Equality, Diversity and Inclusion**

This week marks Race Equality Week 2025. The school community have been completing activities to help consider issues surrounding race equality as well as how we can be better allies. As part of the week, we held our first EDI conference for our Equality and Diversity student reps. Students were able to share their own personal experiences and took time to review several of our school policies to ensure that they are inclusive and reflect the diversity that we have in school. Thank you to Ms Coulson, our EDI Lead, for organising events this week.

## **Readathon**

Last week, students took part in the 'Read for Good' Readathon, raising £334.00. This money will go towards buying books for children in hospital who cannot attend school. Well done to all those involved. Ms Severino has reminded students to hand in or email their sponsorship forms to her as there are prizes and rewards for those who took part. Thank you to Ms Severino for organising the Readathon this year.

## **School Nursing Team**

Please click [here](#) for details on how the Hertfordshire School Nursing Team are supporting students and parents.

Wishing you all a pleasant weekend.

**Mr M Warren**  
**Headteacher**