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Dear Parents and Carers

I am delighted to be able to tell you about an exciting new opportunity for your child. We are now working in partnership with MK Dons to deliver football coaching sessions and mentoring sessions.

These will run weekly, on a Tuesday/ Friday afternoon and will last six weeks. Both sessions are free of charge to the children.

The purpose of these sessions is twofold. The football sessions are intended to provide a motivational reward for those on the programme following the completion of identified targets during the previous week.

These targets will form a 3 way agreement between you, the child and the school: the aim being that the child achieves their full potential in the approaching SATs exams.

The mentoring sessions will be focused on increasing an individual's self-esteem, confidence and self-motivation to achieve. The sessions will be 30 minutes long and will run with up to 10 children per session. Again, the purpose of these sessions will be to remove any personal doubts about the SATs exams so that your child is able to achieve their full potential.

If you would like your child to be involved in either of these sessions please email me at vale@thesharedlearningtrust.org.uk. We have 25 places for the football coaching and up to 20 places for the mentoring sessions.

Please register your interest by 12.30pm on Monday 6th March 2017. Following this date the register for each session will be created and you will be sent copies of the relevant paperwork for signing.

Thank you all for your continued support.

Bex Howe
Principal

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