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Dear Parents and Carers,

I am delighted to let you know that we are offering the children the chance to take part in the **Junior Duke Award Scheme** this year.

The Junior Duke is a nationally recognised award programme that encourages children to develop independence, resilience, and life skills through a range of fun and practical challenges. To find out more please visit: <u>Capable Kids-Creators of the Mini Duke</u>, <u>Junior Duke & Senior Duke</u>

You will be able to sign up and make payments from Monday 6th October. To take part, you will need to sign your child up and pay the £10.50 fee via Scopay by Thursday 23rd November. Please note that anyone who signs up and pays after this deadline will not be included in the order. Once you have completed payment, your child's Junior Duke pack will be ordered by the school, and you will be notified when they have arrived, you will receive some additional information and guidance prior to starting.

The pack includes a booklet of challenges which your child will have to complete in their own time at home. These may include cooking, artwork, active based challenges, public speaking etc. Each job or task will need to be signed off by Miss Manners (Junior Duke Lead) as your child works through the booklet.

Children from all year groups can take part. Please see below the booklet your child will recieve and will be completing if they take part.

Junior Duke Booklet	Year Group
Micro Duke	Reception
Silver Mini Duke	Year 1
Gold Mini Duke	Year 2
Bronze Junior Duke	Year 3
Silver Junior Duke	Year 4
Gold Junior Duke	Year 5
Platinum Junior Duke	Year 6

In the **Summer Term**, we will hold the **St Anne's Junior Duke Awards Ceremony**, where children who have completed their challenges will receive their awards, badges and celebrate their achievements.

This is a new scheme for our school, and I am very much looking forward to trialling this with you and seeing many of our children sign up and take part.

Do not hesitate to get in touch with any queries.

Best wishes, Miss Manners Duke Lead









