



Dear parents,
He's back again.... Sammy the Seal!

Social and
Emootional
Aspects of
Learning

Our Mission statement for children says:

**"We belong to the family of St. Joseph's School.
We love, live, learn and celebrate together
Building God's kingdom with Jesus, Our Lord."**

Growing in the skills of loving, living, learning and celebrating are key to a happy and successful future for all of us.

SEAL is a programme which helps us work with you to develop your child's social, emotional and behavioural skills.

Our theme for this half term's work is **'Going for Goals!**

We will be exploring how children can **motivate** themselves in their learning and across the school. Research has shown that children who can motivate themselves enjoy greater success and happiness.

On **Monday 8th February** we will be having a whole school assembly where each class shares what they have learned. We hope you will be able to come to that assembly and then look at your child's work in class.

This half term your child will bring home 1 activity—the magic wand. This is **NOT** compulsory, need not be returned to school and is not marked. This is simply to give you an opportunity to share with your child what they have been doing.

We hope you enjoy doing them with your children.

Thank you
Miss Hodgson and Mrs. Hall