



St Peter's News

13th March 2020

Doing all the good we can through faith, love and excellence

- On Tuesday, Class 5 had a lovely visit to the library. Lots of the children applied for new membership which means more readers! 'I really love being able to borrow different books' was a quote from Diana in Class 5!
- On Wednesday our School Improvement Partner from Kent visited us. Mrs Wilson visited all the classes with Mrs Dyer and Mrs Pickles to see how we had improved the school against our School Improvement targets. Mrs Wilson felt that the library not only looked amazing but also showed that the children were using it and enjoying it. The working walls were established in each classroom and, on the whole, the children could articulate how useful they were to support their learning. The displays were more reflective of our school in the corridors and she particularly liked displays that showed what the children were/are learning and progression across the year groups. It was a very positive visit. Thank you to the team at St.Peter's for all their hard work towards our improvement goals which will benefit the children.
- The School Council chose to support the Sports Relief Charity this week. The children brought in their own pocket money and raised £50.87, which is fantastic. The children also enjoyed a dodge ball competition on Thursday led by our Sports Specialist teachers. On Friday the children dressed as their favourite sports personality and raised a further £130.02! Well done.

Diary Dates



March-

- Tuesday 17th- Year 1 Trip to Wingham Wildlife Park
- Friday 20th- Non-School Uniform Day, bring in Easter eggs.
- Friday 20th Assessment Parent Meeting
Parent Council Meeting
Year 6 Walk for water.
- Friday 27th- PTFA Easter Bingo, details to follow
- Wednesday 1st April- Last Day of Term

Parent information talk on assessment

Mrs Dyer will be holding an information session on how we assess your child/ren in Year 1 to Year 6. Please come along to the hall via the front office once you have dropped your child/ren off. It will be held at 9am on Friday 20th March.

Next Parent Council meeting

The next parent council meeting will be held on Friday 20th March at 2:30pm in the school. Please send any feedback regarding the new behaviour policy to your class representatives.

Walk for Water Charity

On Friday 20th March, Class 6 are going to be taking part in their Walk for Water charity event at Kent University. The children will need to wear comfy shoes for walking on this day. If you have any questions, please feel free to speak to Miss Mills.

PTFA Easter Break Read-a-thon

To kick off the start of the PTFA Easter Break Read-a-Thon, we will be holding a Book Swap on the last day of term, Wednesday 1st April. Bring in a book or a few that you are finished with and pick up the same number that are new to you for free!

PTFA donations

If you would like to make a regular donation to our PTFA of @ £5 a month then please contact them on ptfa@st-peters-canterbury.kent.sch.uk They will provide you of details with how to do this. These donations would have a considerable impact on the resources and activities that we can provide all the children. Thank you in advance for your support on behalf of the children.

Collecting children

Please make sure that you contact the office to give permission for someone different to collect your child. If we have not been informed then we will not release your child until we have your permission. This is to safeguard your child.

Early Arrival Club

As it is not safe for the children to be waiting for the school gates to open in the mornings without adult supervision we would like Breakfast Club to offer Early Arrival sessions for children to attend each morning.

This is to allow for children to be dropped off at school as early as 8:20 and it will run until the school gates open.

In our collective worship this week we have been thinking about Lent. Collective worship has been led by Mrs Dyer, Miss Webb and Mrs Beard led the Key Stage Worship and Celebration worship was led by Miss Mills.



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