



Newsletter

Growing Together to Flourish in God's World

Attendance

The whole school attendance for WE 06/02/15 was 98.48% which was higher than last week, this week's attendance was above our target of 96.5%.

This week the attendance league table goes as follows:

- 1st Mrs Martin 's class (Purple) with 100%
- 2nd Mr Gooding's class (Orange) with 99.66X%
- 3rd Mr Bennett's class (Turquoise) with 99.39%

This week we had 282 children with 100% attendance. These are fantastic attendance results!!! Thank you to everyone for helping us achieve this.



CARE CLUB

We have care club places available at the moment

Before school 8am -9am

After school care 3:15-5:30

£4.50 morning session

£5.25 for an afternoon session or £45 for a full week morning and afternoon.

Our Care Club also runs in all school holidays (except Christmas holidays) at a cost of £17 for a full day session (Over 7hrs) and £2 per hour for a part time session (sibling rates do apply – please ask for more details) If you would like further details please contact 07921 283041.



Term time holidays

A pupil's absence during term time can seriously disrupt their continuity of learning. Not only do they miss the teaching provided on the days they are away, they are also less prepared for subsequent lessons on their return. There is a consequent risk of underachievement.

Parents / carers do not have a right to take their child out of school for a holiday during term time. As a result family holidays should be planned during the school holidays.



As of September 2013 the School Governors agreed that, in line with new law, no holidays taken in term time would be authorised. In accordance with the Local Authority Attendance Policy, school will refer for a Fixed Penalty Notice fine for unauthorised holidays.

If your child will be absent for any reason that you know of in advance please put it in writing to the Governors.

Education Sunday

Thank you to all the children and parents who attended the Education Sunday service on 1st February at St Anne's Church. It was wonderful to see so many of you there and to see children from different faiths celebrate together.

I had many positive comments from parishioners and it served to reinforce the partnership between the school and the church.

Thank you once again,

Mrs Sue Holt, Headteacher



Power2Resist

Unfortunately we have had to postpone the Power2Resist workshop for parents due to lack of numbers. We have rearranged the session for **Friday 17th April at 3.30pm** and extended our invitation to all Y5 and Y6 parents. We aware that other local schools have already held this session and it has been very positively received by parents. Invitations have gone out by letter through your child and Parentmail. Please return the invite to the office. Should you require another copy please see the office.



HMP Manchester Community Team

On Monday 9th February we had a visit from HMP Manchester Community Team. Members of the police force and prison service joined us for a day of exploring 'Actions Have Consequences'. This was lots of fun but it had some hard hitting messages on how our children need to keep safe. The officers showed the children how they are here to help as part of our community and are not to be feared. The children had the opportunity to meet the dogs and see them in action!

As our children (and staff) were so knowledgeable about safeguarding and British law we were awarded with The Community Plaque. This has been left with us to award to a boy and a girl each year who have done something in the community and deserve recognition. People are so quick to criticize today's young but not as quick to praise them for being good citizen's in today's world. So, please let us know of any child at our school you would like to nominate and why. We will present this award as part of our Awards Ceremony at the end of the year.



Thanks again for your support in helping all our children grow together to flourish in God's world.

Red Noses – Our red noses have sold like hot cakes!!! Unfortunately we are temporarily out of stock but we have ordered more and will let you know when they are back in stock. When they are back in stock they will be on sale for £1. Children can purchase them but **NOT** wear them in school other than on Red nose day which will be Friday 13th March.



PLANNED EVENTS

Event	Class	Time	Date/Days
Turquoise class assembly	Yr5/6	9:15am	11/02/2015
Half Term Holidays	All		16/02/15-20/02/15
Parents Evening			24/02/2015
Pink class assembly	Yr4/5	9:15am	25/02/2015
Lime class assembly	Y3/4	9:15am	04/03/2015
PTA Meeting	18:30		TBC March
Secret Mothers Day			10/03/2015
Orange class assembly	Yr3	9:15am	11/03/2015
Blue Class assembly	Yr2	9:15am	18/03/2015
PTA Meeting	18:30		TBC March
Bags2School			TBC March
School Disco			27/03/2015
STARS Auditions			TBC March
STARS Rehearsals			TBC April

The above dates and times and events may on occasion need to be amended. It is regrettable and we will aim to give you as much notice as possible in the event of any change.