

Newsletter No 19: Term 6

July 2020



Church of England Academy

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Dear Parent / Carers,

I hope this newsletter finds you well and that your children have enjoyed taking part in their class Zooms with their current class teacher. As we move into the final two weeks of term we are all looking ahead to September and wondering what things will be like when we return next year. The Government have announced their plans for everyone to come back to school in September. We are working with our Trust DBAT to draw up plans and will communicate these as soon as we have them. So, keep a look out for an email towards the end of next week.

Meet the New Teacher Zoom Meetings

Next week your child's **new** class teacher will be running a Zoom meeting. Please make sure that your child's name is the label on the screen when you join. Teachers won't necessarily have met your child before and so they will need to put names to faces and this will be a lot easier if your child's name is displayed on the screen. To change a name on Zoom – On the picture click the three dots in the top corner – Click rename and type your child's name. See next page for the meeting ID and passcode that will enable your child to join the meeting on their device. You need to join the meeting of your child's **new** class not their current one! New class letters were sent home on June 26th with details of your child's new class. If you need further information please email / phone the school. Please let the school office know if your child is unable to access the class zoom and we will get a letter from the new teacher sent to them via parent email.

Last week of term

As you already know our school will close on Wednesday 15th July at the end of the day in order to enable children who have not been into school to visit and say goodbye to their class teacher and support team. Each child will receive their end of year report when they visit. Please make sure you arrive at the main gates at a time between the slots listed for your child's **current** year group as staff teams will only be out on our playground in the slots outlined. Everyone will travel through the school site and leave via the gate behind the Old Library.

If you are a Key Worker and you cannot arrange alternative child care for the Thursday and Friday morning, please phone the school office. We will need to know who we are catering for by the end of **Monday 6th July**. Thank you to those of you who have already made contact with the school. Once the deadline has passed we will plan how we manage this and communicate with you as soon as we are able.

A reminder of the slots for each year group onsite visit are listed below:

- Year 1 Thursday 9-10am
- Year 2 Thursday 10.15-11.15am
- Year 3 Thursday 11.30- 12.30pm
- Year 4 Thursday 1.15pm – 2.15pm
- Year 5 Thursday 2.30-3.30pm

Nursery Friday 9-9.30am

Reception Friday 9.30-10am (nb. this is only for those who have not attended school as they will already have their reports on Weds 15th)

Y6 Leavers Assembly on Zoom – 9.30-10.30am Friday 17th July

Y6 will then attend school in small groups throughout the day. Parent /carers will have a text message to say which group their child is in and what time to come onto site. Leavers T- shirts or hoodies and your child's school reports will be handed out at this time too.



Value of the Term : Courage

Questions of the Week

Week 6: Can you think of a time when you have shown courage and stood firm?
(Rev Lizzie will join us for this one too!)

Week 7: How can we be courageous in offering friendship to everyone?

Each Monday, join our Zoom Collective Worship. Log on and you will see lots of our teachers, teaching Ast and children. We love to join together and get thinking of our responses to our Questions of the Week. Our Collective worship are suitable for children of all faiths and for those who have none. We'd love to see you @ 10am each Monday.

Need Help? Struggling financially or lacking food? Need someone to talk to?

**Please don't suffer in silence – we are here to support you!
Give us a ring.**

Give us a call at school (Mrs Coker or Miss Goodman will be there to help) or phone Mrs Cahill direct on the school mobile 07595615388

Collective Worship – Monday at 10.00am

Thanks to all who joined us on Monday last week when we explored the story of Martine Wright and how she displayed the value of courage when faced with disability. We challenged ourselves to think about the barriers and challenges facing people with disabilities and reflected on how to support others and show kindness. Next Monday we will have Rev Lizzie joining us to share the story of Daniel as she helps us reflect on the challenge of standing firm when others around you do not believe the same!

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FOOD CLUB

Reception Learning from this last week.
Can you guess the theme of the week?

