



Newsletter 26th March 2021

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COMPASSION COMMUNITY COURAGE CURIOSITY

Dear Parents,

Most definitely the learning highlight of this week has been the 'We Love Sports' morning for Conygar and Priory children. I joined in (with my odd socks) and had so much fun! I was greatly challenged on many of the activities but the children, as always, were full of encouragement and praised me for my efforts! We are delighted to be able to provide the same opportunity for our younger children in Bluebell and Windmill next Tuesday morning. A very big thank you to our wonderful Bristol Sports Foundation coaches for delivering such a high quality event that our children needed now, more than ever.

As you know from our vision, 'we support and challenge each other to be the best we can be', it is really important to us as a school that we continually strive to improve. So, when we discovered that some children were not finding school lunches very tasty at the moment, I sat down with Kerry (our school cook) and our House Captains and Vice Captains to share thoughts and ideas. It was humbling hearing how skilled the children were at providing sensitive and constructive feedback. Kerry left the meeting feeling empowered and supported with some clear suggestions for improvement. Here are some of the things the children said:

Emily: In my opinion, the school meals are rather tasty...the cake is the nicest thing ever!

Joseph: The pizza is nice and very cheesy

Jago: I really like the way you are connecting with the school and our values

Otis: Maybe you could have other sauces for the chips

Jago: Knowing what meals I can have with allergies would be really helpful

I am going to spend some time in the kitchen next week, learning alongside Kerry and seeing the many challenges that she is facing due to our current Risk Assessment.

Best wishes,

Sophie Westerwijk

Dates for your diary:

Term 4

Whole school value

COMPASSION

w/b 29th March

Holy and Easter Week

Monday 29th March

Governors Meeting

Tuesday 30th March

Share My Learning Journey on our website

Wednesday 31st March

Easter Celebration

2.30 pm via Teams - **please**

check your child's Teams calendar for the link to join us for this community celebration.

Thursday 1st April

Easter flowers for our neighbours in the village

Last day of term 4

Mon 19th April

Term 5 Starts

Monday 3rd May

May Day Bank Holiday

Tuesday 4th May

Environment Day

Monday 10th May

Governors Meeting

w/b Monday 17th May

Internet Safety Week

Tuesday 25th May

Share My Learning

Journey on our website

HOLY AND EASTER WEEK



Your child(ren) will be involved in a range of engaging activities throughout next week to deepen their understanding of the Easter story. Please ask them about this at the end of each day. I would like to thank Mrs Speed for planning such interesting and engaging activities in her role as leader of Religious Education.



We are seeing so many examples of Compassion in action across our school community and I congratulated the children on this in our Celebration Collective Worship today. It is truly impressive!

Time to Talk: What examples of Compassion in Action can you see outside school? How do these make people feel?

GENTLE REMINDER

Please do not allow your child to bring their scooter or bike onto the school site. This includes the field. For Health and Safety reasons we are unfortunately unable to allow children to play on the school field at the end of the school day, so please make sure you leave the school site as quickly and safely as possible after pick-up. Thank you for your continued support.

PLEASE REMEMBER TO CALL SCHOOL IF YOUR CHILD IS ATTENDING SCHOOL AND HAS ANY OF THE COVID 19 SYMPTOMS BELOW:

- ❖ High temperature
- ❖ New and continuous cough
- ❖ Loss of taste or smell

DO NOT SEND YOUR CHILD IN TO SCHOOL WITH ANY OF THE ABOVE SYMPTOMS
THANK YOU

Dates for your diary:

Friday 28th May

Term 5 Ends

Term 6

Monday 7th June

INSET DAY

Wednesday 9th June

Welcome meeting

Teacher to parents

4pm via Teams

W/b Monday 14th June

Health and Well-being

Week

Friday 18th June

Sports Day

W/b Monday 21st June

Refugee Week

Friday 25th June

Reserve Sports Day

5th July

Governor's Meeting

Friday 9th July

End of year Reports go home

Monday 12th July

Share My Learning

Journey on our website - class pages

Tuesday 13th July

Transition Afternoon

1.15-3pm

Teddy Bears picnic for our new Reception children

Wednesday 14th July

Year 6 Leavers Service

Wednesday 21st July

Last Day of Term 6

