



Parochial CE Primary School

Newsletter

January 2019

Welcome back

Welcome back to school. We hope that everyone has had a lovely Christmas and has returned to school refreshed and healthy for 2019.

Dates for your Diary

- 7th Jan - School re-opens
- 14th Jan - Healthy Schools Week
- 25th Jan - Maths/English Workshop
- 15th Feb - School closes for half term
- 25th February - School re-opens
- 4th March - Parents Open Afternoon
- 8th March - World Book Day
- 19th March - Parents Evening
- 3rd April - Easter Service
- 4th April - Easter Disco
- 5th April - School closes for Easter Break
- 23rd April - School re-opens



School Closed

School will be closed on:
Thursday 2 May 2019 for voting purposes
Monday 6 May 2019 (Bank Holiday)

Christmas Fair

Thank you to all of the Parents, Staff and PTA who supported our Christmas fair, we raised **£1036**.

Christmas Draw

The winners of the Christmas Draw were:
£100 - Emma Bamber
Hamper - Emma Winterbottom
Selection of Wines - Karen Bridge

Dinner Money



The cost of a school dinner is £2.25 per meal (£11.25 per week). The cost for this half term, period 7th Jan - 15th Feb is £67.50. Please send the correct money into school in a sealed envelope with your child's name on the front, clearly stating what the money is for. Alternatively you can pay online by using Tameside council's website www.tameside.gov.uk/schoolmeals. ParentPay is currently unavailable for Dinner money. Thank you.

This Term's Themes

The themes for this half term are:
Nursery & Reception - Superheroes
Year 1 - We are Britain
Year 2 - Superheroes
Year 3 - Dinosaurs
Year 4 - Rotten Romans
Year 5 - Almighty Africa
Year 6 - Marvellous Mountains

The winners of last term's learning logs were:

Reception - Maimuna Akram
Year 1 - Elyssia Bardan
Year 2 - Scarlet Summers
Year 3 - Grace Kleben
Year 4 - Niamh Johnson
Year 5 - Liam Wood
Year 6 - Leah Gummersall



Well done to everyone for their fantastic efforts.



Weather

If we experience any bad weather and you are concerned about school being open, then please look at the school website



www.pceps.co.uk for the latest information. In the event that school is closed a text will be sent out, please ensure that your contact number is up-to-date.

After School Clubs

The after school clubs for this half term are:

Year Groups	Day	Club	Finish Time
KS1	Tues	Dance	4.15
Y5&Y6	Weds	Taskmaster	4.00
KS2	Thurs	Netball	4.15

Letters have been sent out with consent forms to secure a place at these clubs. Names were then drawn from a hat to allocate places. Parents of Children that have been allocated a place have been sent a confirmation text.

Parking Problems

Reminder: Please do not park on the zig zag lines outside school or obstruct gateways as this poses a danger to our children and causes problems for residents.



PE Kits (Year 2-6)

Please ensure your child brings in an outdoor PE kit during the winter months (tracksuit bottoms/leggings and a warm long sleeve tracksuit top or similar - the colour isn't important as long as the children are warm). Trainers must be worn for outdoor PE and pumps must be worn for indoor PE.

Contact Numbers

It is extremely important that school have up-to-date contact numbers for all parents. This is particularly important from a child safety aspect. We send a lot of information via text so please let the school office know if you any of your contact details have changed.

Appointments

Please could we remind parents that wherever possible, appointments should be made outside of school hours. Where this is not possible, a copy of the appointment card/letter must be brought into the office beforehand.

