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Dear Parents, Carers, Children and Governors,



Every once in a while I have to ask parents 'PLEASE DO NOT TO LET YOUR CHILD WATCH UNSUITABLE FILMS or WEBSITES CONTAINING ADULT MATERIAL. Please let your children be children and **do not** expose them to images that are way beyond their age. PLEASE monitor what your child is watching on their devices. There will be leaflets for you to pick up at the consultation evenings next week to help you monitor social media and advice on how to keep your child safe online.



**NATIONAL
LOTTERY FUNDED**

Big Lottery Fund - Once again we have been lucky enough to successfully bid for a £10k lottery grant. We have purchased 30 new laptops and they are already being used by the children. We will also be inviting the wider community to IT lessons in the near future. This will be open to parents, grandparents and anyone in our community who would like some guidance in IT and the internet. Thank you to Mrs McKay, our Business Manager for putting together the bid.

School photos - If you want your photograph order sending by post please bring your order to the school office by next Wednesday 17th October.

Early Bird Week : We will draw the Early bird week winners in our Monday assembly

Parent Consultations –These will take place on Monday 15th October 3.30pm -6pm and Tuesday 16th October 3.30pm -6pm . Our school nurse Mandy Coombes will also be around to answer any parent questions. There will also be leaflets for parents to pick up about online safety for Facebook, Instagram, Twitter and Snapchat plus a leaflet from NSPCC - A Parent's Guide to online safety.

Year 5 residential outdoor adventure to Kingswood - The year children are so excited about their forthcoming trip to Kingswood on 7th November. They will stay for two nights and take part in a range of outdoor activities such as zip-wiring, quad biking, caving, orienteering and laser quest.

Nursery and Reception Welcome Assembly - This will be on WEDNESDAY 17th OCTOBER at 9am in the school hall. Everyone invited to officially welcome our newest pupils to our school. Fr Emmanuel, our new priest will also be there to give the children a special blessing.

Reminder – WE BREAK UP FOR HALF TERM NEXT FRIDAY 19TH OCTOBER AND RETURN ON MONDAY 29TH OCTOBER.

Year 6 Big Sing- Our Year 6 class will go to St Thomas More Church next Friday to join other Year 6 children in the annual Big Sing - it is a lovely morning and the children get to meet other year 6s in our Unity network.

Year 4 / 5 Fit for Fun morning - Next Thursday we welcome members of local business community from Coventry Building Society, Calor Gas and Wright Hassell Solicitors who will lead a fun morning of games. I will send a letter out to parents on Monday detailing what the children need to bring in terms of spare clothing.

Stars of the Week :

Congratulations to these wonderful SUPERSTARS who have shone this week: They had 'Tea with Mrs C' this morning and shared with me their best work and their RE books.



Reception - Samuel Macharia
 Year 1 - Bethany Ronan Henderson
 Year 2 - Savvy
 Year 3 - Alexis Russell
 Year 4 - Ethan McCullagh
 Year 5 - Grace Porter
 Year 6 - Damien Martin

Attendance: for last week - Well done Year 1 having a visit from Cookie Bear

today

Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
94%	99%	92%	97%	98%	93%	96%



Mass – Tuesday 16th October at 9.15am- Year 3 are at mass.

Starting school in September 2019 - If you have a child born between 1st September 2014 and 31st August 2015 you are invited to apply for a primary school place for September 2019. Parents are encouraged to apply online www.coventry.gov.uk/schooladmissions - the closing date is 15th January 2019.



IMPORTANT - GARDENING CLUB FINISHES NEXT WEEK UNTIL THE SPRING

SPORTS DESK

Football: Bad luck team - losing 1-0 to Christ The King - you played so well and were unlucky not to get a draw.

Netball - The team were beaten by a very strong Christ the King team on Wednesday going down 10-0. You gave your best - roll on the next game !

Week commencing 15th October 2018 at a glance – ALL CLUBS FINISH AT 4.15PM

Date	Time	Activity	Venue
Monday	3.15pm – 4.15pm	Irish Dancing	Hall
	3.15pm – 4.15pm	Year 1 and 2 Football with Epic Academy	Field
Tuesday	9.15am	Year 3 at mass today	Church
	3.15pm - 4pm	NO Singing Club as parent consultations	Y1 classroom
	3.15pm – 4.15pm	5/6 FOOTBALL	
Wednesday	9am	Nursery and Reception welcome assembly	Hall
	3.15pm – 4.15pm	Year 1 and 2 Multi skills with Mr Shale	Astro pitch
	3.15pm - 4.15pm	Y3 and 4 Gymnastics with Epic Academy	Hall
Thursday	3.15pm – 4.15pm	Year 3 and 4 Football with Mr Neenan / Mr Shale	Astro pitch
	3.15pm - 4.15pm	Gardening club - last one	Allotment
	3.15pm -4.15pm	Netball with Miss Matthews – Years 5 and 6	Hall
Friday	8.15am	Cross Country with Miss Ward	
	9am	Celebration Assembly	

Have a lovely weekend

Mrs Kate Connelly
 Headteacher